

news judgment

timeliness

novelty

research

consequence

database

human interest

computer-assisted
reporting

conflict

validity

currency

observation

proximity

data

“who cares”
method

documents

prominence

press conference

crowd sourcing

sunshine laws

poll

survey

panel discussion

secondary source

open source
journalism

5W's and H

reliability

expert

public records

direct quote

transcript

indirect quote

primary source

Q&A

open records laws

close-ended

verification

softball questions

attribution

formal interview

reaction

quotation (quote)

rephrase

sound bite

advance

read back

person on the street

two-part question

follow up

fact checking

open-ended

investigative
reporting

informed consent

background

confidential
source

off the record

probe

deep background

confirmation

undercover
reporting

gotcha

on the record

