

MISSOURI EDUCATOR GATEWAY ASSESSMENTS

Field 070 Journalism

Content Alignment Study

The Content Alignment Study below provides information about the alignment of knowledge and skills described in the competencies that make up the test framework for this licensure test with the state and national standards designated by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for this field. The table indicates those portions of the relevant state and/or national standards that are addressed -- in whole or in part -- by each competency.

Test Competency	Journalism Education Association (2012) Standards for Journalism Educators
Journalism Skills and Processes	
0001 Understand types of information sources and skills, criteria, and methods for gathering and evaluating information.	1A, 1B, 2, 3
0002 Understand principles, values, forms, and functions of journalism.	1A, 1B
0003 Understand processes and conventions of writing and editing for a variety of print and digital media.	1A, 1B, 3, 4
Foundations of Journalism	
0004 Understand the history and evolution of journalism and the role of journalism and the press in a democratic society.	1A, 2, 4
0005 Understand laws, judicial decisions, and ethical principles related to journalism, mass communication, and media content.	1A, 1B
0006 Understand the evolution of mass media; the functions, limitations, and influences of mass media in society; and skills and criteria for analyzing and evaluating mass media.	1A, 1B, 2, 3

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Student Media, Advising, and Instruction and Assessment	
0007 Understand principles, elements, tools, and techniques of multimedia design and production.	1A, 1B, 3, 4
0008 Understand different types of student media and roles and responsibilities of scholastic journalists and student media advisers.	1A, 1B, 2, 3, 4
0009 Understanding journalism instruction and assessment.	1A, 1B, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6