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Make us a part of your curriculum

A stable society depends on an informed citizenry.

Young people need to know how governments work, why political differences exist and be able to find different ways of coming together to solve societal challenges. At News Decoder, we see civics education as an essential part of our mission.

What you can do with News Decoder



Use our news stories as a basis for class discussions. We provide a deep database of global news stories that can be incorporated into a government or politics class curriculum.

We work with more than 45 correspondents in countries all over the world – from India to Peru to Rwanda – to put context to complex, important global events and trends. Many of our stories dissect the political complexities behind global events: the politicization of religion in the Ukraine war; Great Britain's struggles in winning back allies post-Brexit; the West's worries about the camaraderie of Russia and China; the role of the United Nations as the world's peacekeeper.



Demonstrate political ideas through the production of journalism. With News Decoder, students identify a problem affecting their community. They seek out expert sources and documents from credible sources to find ways governments can help solve those problems. We can guide them in building a compelling story based on their research.



Set up a class webinar on a political or legislative topic. In News Decoder webinars, students choose a topic, conduct research, seek out experts and then present their findings live over the Internet.

How we work with classes

We work with individual classes upon the request of faculty. We can Zoom in for customized workshops on topics such as sourcing, interviewing and writing. We will also work with students individually once they pitch stories to us. Let us help you engage your students and make your work easier. We can also provide guest speakers to talk to students about particular topics.

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Check out our Pitch, Report, Draft and Revise process for news reporting and storytelling.



Find out more about our student webinars.



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