

DEBRIEFING QUESTIONS

1. What criteria did you use when selecting the 3 most important issues for your class news journal?
2. How are your criteria related (if at all) to core democratic values?
3. How important were your 3 issues to other sources?
4. What criteria did these other sources use in selecting their most important stories?
5. Are their criteria consistent with core democratic values?
6. What other factors might influence the media's selection processes?

