

LESSON PLANS LESSON FIVE WRITING FOR DIFFERENT PLATFORMS

TRANSCRIPT OF VIDEO (ENGLISH LANGUAGE VERSION)

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Hello again.

So you've found your news – and you know what story you want to cover.

You have checked your facts and talked to people involved in the story.

Now you need to think about how your story will work as a video, as an audio story for radio or a podcast, or online as a text story on a website.

For television or video you have to think how a story will look on screen – are the pictures good to look at – do they tell parts of the story for you? You may choose to use graphics or text to illustrate the story. If you like – you can make a storyboard to help you.

For radio – you need to think how you can tell the story without pictures. You may need to use sound effects – or to describe a scene – as there are no pictures to help the listener. It's a really good test of your writing skills.

And for a story online – you need a strong picture or image for the top of your page – and a good headline. Then you need a couple of sentences which sum up the story as many people may not read the whole thing. You can give more detail further down and even include short audio or video clips.

And remember to keep your scripts Clear, Concise and Correct.

There is more in our masterclasses.

So now it's your turn – to tell your story for Radio, Video or online, or even better – maybe a version for all 3 – Good luck and enjoy.