

Magazine Cover

Grading Requirements & Guidelines

Create Magazine Cover using MS PowerPoint:

- Open PowerPoint
- New Presentation
- Click on Design tab
- Click Slide Size (*right hand side of the screen*)
- Select & click Page Setup
- Type in **8.5** in the Width box > Type in **11** in the Height box
- Click OK

Creating Magazine Cover:

- Design cover using, Shapes, Word Art, Text Boxes, Images, Pictures/images, different text colors-pops of color (4 max), bar code image, etc.
- Acceptable fonts for Headlines & Captions: **Calibri, Arial Black, Century Gothic, Futura, Impact, Tahoma, Britannic**
- Use Word Art for all headlines

Top Headline Bar:

Requirements:	Point Deductions
1 or 2 text boxes in line with one another (you decide the headline)	1
Type it in ALL CAPS	1
Appropriate Font & Font Color (No Shadow, No Outline)	1
Words are spread out across text box/word art box & page	1
Text is easy to read	1
Colon (:) between 2 titles	1

The "People" Headline:

Requirements:	Point Deductions
Typed in Word Art	1
Font: Times New Roman, at least size 200-230	1
Should be White Fill Color, Black Outline, Bold, with a Shadow	1
Spacing should be: Condensed, by at least 22 points	1
Typed in Word Art	1
Font: Bodoi MT Black, at least size 200-230	1

The Feature Photo & Background:

Requirements:	Point Deductions
Your picture must be cut out smoothly without any white/green spots around you	5
Your picture must be the biggest picture on the page	2.5
Use a square shape with a lighter color/no border color, stretched over the whole page for the background	2.5

Name: _____

Period: 1st 3rd 5th 6th 7th

The Feature Photo Headline:

Requirements:	Point Deductions
"100" (use yellow text, one of the fonts listed above, no outline, no shadow)	2.5
"MOST WHATEVER" (should be what your feature story "is about", type in ALL CAPS, use a font listed above, can be outlined or have a shadow)	2.5
Lead in Headline for Feature story	2.5

The "Exclusive" Sidebar Section:

Requirements:	Point Deductions
Title should be "EXCLUSIVE <i>Something</i> "! (you decide the section-Photos, Info, Recipes, Stories, etc.)	3
Title should be "EXCLUSIVE <i>WHATEVER</i> "! (typed using a font listed above, ALL CAPS, text color should be yellow, can be outlined or have a shadow)	1
Find two pictures or items that can be "EXCLUSIVES" (use the Internet, save image as, > choose jpeg > select your H:/ drive, click save)	3 pts each
Title must have an ! (exclamation point) after the title	2
No outline on the side bar section	1
Placement of side bar is appropriate	1
Text in the Side Bar:	
Each picture or item must have a headline/caption under it (use a font listed above, make ALL CAPS, text color should be the same for each, no outline, no shadow, must include an !)	2 pts each
2-3 lines for each picture headline/caption	1
Text is hard to read	1
Breathing room/white space between the "sections" in the side bar	1
Spelling and Grammar errors	1 pt each

Photos:

Requirements:	Point Deductions
Must have 4 total photos/images	3 pt each
Must include barcode image from the Shared Folder, in an appropriate location	2
Pictures/images are resized, cropped, etc. proportionally & appropriately	5
Adequate amount of breathing room/white space is present on the cover	2

Saving documents for this project:

Requirements:	Point Deductions
Feature Photo saved as .pxd while working on cutting it out in Pixlr.com	3 pt each
Save the Magazine Cover as a PowerPoint presentation, while working on it	2
Final copy of Magazine Cover is saved as a PDF	10
Final PDF file is added to Google Classroom Assignment to turn in for grading	2