

 **Writing A Newspaper Article**

**Name: ……………………………**

**Grade: 8 CS:…………………….**

**What is a newspaper report?**

Newspapers report on news stories from around the world every day. They are written in the past tense because they are reporting on things that have already happened.









* The key elements of a News Report are:
	1. **Headline**

 Catches your attention

 Sums up the story

* 1. **Byline**

 Writer’s name

 Writer’s Specialty, e.g. sports, food, crime, current events

* 1. **Lead**

4.

 The opening section

 Gives most important information

 Should answer most of the 5W's

* 1. **Body**

 Supplies detail

 Most important details come first

 Simple true statements

 **5.Quotation**

 What someone actually said

 Adds accuracy

 Adds “at the scene” feeling