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The second of a two-part Jamestown at 400 guide provides Washington Post articles, illustrated bio of a young Jamestown settler, an archaeologist’s profile, and suggested activities for a study of Jamestown, yesterday and today. Articles can be categorized under four main themes: The convergence of three cultures, the invention of America, the realities of survival and daily life, and the significant contributions of archaeology in understanding the Jamestown settlement and its inhabitants.

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Disaster in Japan, April 4, 2011

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The Comics — Funny and Serious Business, December 7, 2009
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“Finding the Local Angle,” Media in the Time of Tragedy, September 18, 2001
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“GUIDELINES | Cover the Inauguration,” What King of Government Do You Want?”October 2012
“GUIDELINES | When Reading a Feature Article,” Ledes, Focus and Journalistic Values, September 2017
Herblock & History, October 9, 2009
Informational Graphics — The Visual Dimension, January 1, 2008
“Inside the Post,” Now You’re in the Know, February 11, 2003
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Make a Correction, Mistakes, Misinformation and Media Accuracy and Balance, May 2015
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More Than Today’s News, September 7, 2010
“Naming the Accused,” Justice for Juveniles? September 27, 2005
“News Hound Scavenger Hunt,” April 8, 2009
“Newspapers react to Abraham Lincoln’s 1860 presidential win,” Civil War 150, December 14, 2010
“Preparing for an Interview,” American Woman, March 19, 2002
The Press, The Pentagon Papers and The Post, January 2018
“Read for Yourself,” On the Front Lines, October 29, 2002
Reading The Sunday Post, February 3, 2010
Real News (Media Literacy), May 2017
“Solve a Problem,” Make a Difference, March 2015
Sports — In Word and Image, December 5, 2007
The Student Editor, The Editor, November 2014
“To fight bigotry and hate, don’t muzzle it. There’s a better way.” Ledes, Focus and Journalistic Values, September 2017
“Use Primary Sources,” 1963-2013 The Dream Continues, September 2013
Write a Publication Policy, “What to Do?” Blackface — Then and Now, March 2019
“Writing About the ACA,” Affordable Care Act, November 2013
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“Milestones in Thurgood Marshall’s Life and the Road to Brown,”
Boom and Brown, May 25, 2004,
“Time to Bench ‘Judicial Activism’,” Extending the Legacy, August 3, 2004

JUVENILE JUSTICE
Juvenile Justice 2016, February 2016

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“Amending the Constitution: The Story Behind the 19th Amendment,”
D.C. Renaissance, April 27, 2004
“A Nation of Immigrants,” Decades of Pursuit, June 29, 2004
“The Evolution and Purpose of Patent and Trademark Laws,”
The Capital Transformed, March 30, 2004
“Getting Out of Slavery: From Dred Scott to the Thirteenth Amendment,”
Civil War and the Capital City, February 24, 2004
“Judicial Activism and the Supreme Court,” Extending the Legacy, August 3, 2004

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“Rail of the Week,” Reading The Sunday Post, February 3, 2010

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Leadership in the First 100 Days and Beyond, February 4, 2009
The Road to Leadership, December 7, 2011

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH, U.S.
Control of Congress, November 5, 2002
The 2002 election provides the faces and facts from which students can examine American citizens’ involvement in the democratic process and the power and influence that comes with control of Congress. “From Bill to Law in 5 Easy Steps” handout makes the law-making process easy to understand.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR
Citizen’s Voice, September 6, 2011
Letters to the Editor provide a brief and effective forum for citizens to express their views. Students employ their skills of comprehension, analysis, comparison, synthesis, and persuasion through reading and writing letters to the editor. They may also be used to understand attitudes of the past.

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Presidential Legacy and Language, January 7, 2009
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MAPS
“Map It,” see all D.C. History curriculum guides for historic maps of the Washington Metropolitan area.
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“Antarctica,” Exploration and Discovery, April 10, 2012,
“Arab Spring Countries,” Protest and Petition, February 2, 2012
“Asia,” Exploration and Discovery, April 2012
“Assessing Bird Flu,” Cute, Dangerous or Both? June 1, 2006
“China,” China, February 8, 2011
“Europe,” Exploration and Discovery, April 2012
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“Inset Maps,” Putting Yourself on the Map, December 19, 2006
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“Record quake, widespread destruction,” Disaster in Japan, March 12, 2011
“The Silk Road,” China, February 8, 2011
“South Africa,” “South Africa, Eastern Cape and Robben Island,”
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Turkey, Turkey Today, Turkey, November 2018
The Voters, Force of Freedom, February 21, 2005
The Way the Winds Blew, November 30, 2005
“XL Keystone Pipeline Proposal,” If I Were a Member of the President’s Cabinet, February 2013

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The Federal Reserve at 100, February 2014
“Thinking in Circles,” A World of Money, May 22, 2001
“We Are in the Numbers” and “Census Counts,” Career Choices, March 11, 2003

Measles
Current Concerns, Express Your Concerns: Models and Approaches, May 2019

Meet the …
Account Manager, National Retail Advertising, Get an Ad-Vantage, April 5, 2010
Ad Designer, Keep the ‘Ad’titude, May 20, 2003
Botanical Illustrator, Observations of Climate, April 2017
Capital Weather Gang, Severe Weather, October 2017
Car Columnist, Call for Columnists, September 2018
Cartographer, Putting Yourself on the Map, December 19, 2006
Columnist, Columns of Thought, April 29, 2003
Commentary Writer, Turkey, November 2018
Editor, Talk of the Town, January 28, 2003
Energy Correspondent, Plankton — The Drifters, October 10, 2007
Foreign Correspondent, The Foreign Correspondent, June 5, 2007
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Press Secretary, Career Choices, March 2003
Real Estate Editor, What’s a Neighborhood? May 2018
Religion Reporter, Media Coverage of Religion and Faith, October 2015
Reporter, The Pledge of News, November 11, 2002
Sports Columnist, Call for Columnists, September 2018
Sports Editor, Shirley, One of the Best, April 1, 2003

Mexico
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Mexico Faces Challenges, May 6, 2009

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Morrison, Toni
Reviewing a Whirl of Books, December 8, 2008

Movements, Political
Third Parties, Political Movements and Interest Groups, October 7, 2010

Music
“A boy determined to serve his country,” (CW drummer boy), Innovations of the Civil War, March 2012

Museum
American History Through the African American Lens, October 2016

Museum Exhibit, Student-produced
Museum Musings, September 11, 2007
Guide includes steps to create an exhibit from concept to wall text and press release.

Muslim
Muslim: Fact and Stereotype, September 25, 2001

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The Toll of War — 6,655, May 2013

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News Brief
“Follow the News,” On the Brink, March 10, 2009

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“How nuclear reactors work,” Disaster in Japan, April 4, 2011
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“A Life Passes, And the Game Goes On,” (Redskin Sean Taylor), *Sports — In Word and Image*, December 6, 2007
*Remembering a President*, January 16, 2007
“You Really Have to Love Life to Write About Death Every Day …,” *Writing About People*, February 13, 2007

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The Depth and Breadth We Seek, October 2013
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*Plankton — The Drifters*, October 10, 2007
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**Oil Dependency**
Accelerating Demand for Fuel, September 9, 2008

**Oil Spill**
Environmental Disaster: The Gulf of Mexico Oil Spill, June 9, 2010

**Ombudsman**
“The Columnist Connection,” *Columns of Thought*, April 28, 2002
“How to be a man, or woman, of letters,” *Citizen’s Voice*, September 2011
“Making Sense of Science Reporting,” *On the Brink*, March 12, 2009

**Pandemic**
“A Pandemic of Fear,” *Cute Dangerous or Both?*, June 1, 2006

**Paragraphing**
“Order the Paragraphs,” *Road to...*

**Photography**
Facing Allied Lives and Futures, January 10, 2010
As Americans face high unemployment, activities include coping with recession, using economic indicators, and telling the story through Michael Williamson’s photography.

INSIDE Journalism: ‘Good Picture’, December 19, 2002
The news photograph, qualities of a “good picture” and the ethics of digital manipulation as well as “Meet the Photo Editor,” and “How to Write a Cutline.”

**Parallel Structure**
“Apollo 11: One Giant Leap,” *Something for Summer*, June 8, 2009

**Patents and Trademarks**

**Percentage**
The Federal Reserve at 100, February 2014

**Personality Profile**
“Pearl’s Unfaded Luster: For One Night in Ohio, Earl Monroe Held Court Over Wide-Eyed Kids,” *Sports — In Word and Image*, December 6, 2007

**Photosynthesis**
*Leaves*, October 23, 2001
As students read about the changing colors of leaves in Fall, they learn about photosynthesis, the life cycle of leaves, three pigments

**Plagiarism**
“Practice in Paraphrasing,” *Research Integrity*, February 26, 2002

**Plankton**
*Plankton — The Drifters*, October 10, 2007

**Plant Propagation**
*Seedless Fruits and Vegetables*, October 25, 2005

**Podcast**
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**Poetry**
*Poetry in the Post*, March 28, 2006

**Potomac River**
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*Our First Families*, September 23, 2003
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*The Shape of Rivers*, April 2018
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Power Point Presentations

Not Just Oil, Environmental Disaster, April 4, 2010

Preservation

Preserve, Restore or Toss, May 2012

Presidents, U.S.

Executive Decisions, December 29, 2004
In order to become informed participants in a democracy, students should learn about the women and men who make decisions concerning their lives. The president of the United States and the Cabinet that he appoints are such people in the executive branch. Through Washington Post articles and activities using “Cabinets of President George W. Bush,” students are introduced to members of the Cabinet and their roles. David Broder’s commentary “Tight Little Cabinet” provides stimulus for an evaluation of Cabinet members. “Spotlight on the Attorney General’s Role” gives historic perspective, current expectation and an activity focusing on a current issue. Quiz your students’ knowledge using “White House Families” and “Presidential Trivia.” Read a review of presidential memoirs, “All the Presidents’ Books,” or select a book to read from suggestions.

Historic Choices and New Approaches, October 7, 2008
Change is the mantra, shibboleth and slogan of the 2008 presidential election. History will be made when either an African American is president or a female is vice president of the U.S. It is also a turning point in new uses of technology by candidates to attract donors, to communicate their message and to organize campaign workers, and by media and citizens to examine financial contributions and to fact check the candidates.

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“Former President Had a Passion for Sports,” (Reagan), From Print to Air, November 21, 2006
“Listen,” From Print to Air, November 21, 2006
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“Radio — All the Rage,” D.C. Renaissance, April 27, 2004

Reading

Rewards of Reading, May 24, 2005
Visual Impact, January 12, 2012

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2018 Winter Olympic Games, February 2018
Children in a Time of War, Make a Difference, March 2015
Media Coverage of Religion and Faith, October 2015
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We’ve Got Letters, March 2017

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Media Coverage of Religion and Faith, October 2015
Muslim: Fact and Stereotype, September 25, 2001
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Visits America, Media Coverage of Religion and Faith, October 2015
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Review, Book

“Review a Book Review,” Make a Difference, March 2015
Reviewing a Whirl of Books, December 8, 2008

More Than Today’s News, September 7, 2010
“Capture the Second” presents 8 elements essential to the composition of a photograph. Illustrated with the work of Michael S. Williamson.

Sports: In Word and Images, December 5, 2007
Post photographer Jonathan Newton’s pointers (“Out the Door Every Day”) are illustrated with his photos of high school and professional athletes.

Photo Essay

“Shining strands,” Exploration and Discovery, April 10, 2012
Visual Impact, January 12, 2012
Photography can be a cross-disciplinary tool for non-verbal literacy development, aesthetic and technical visual literacy instruction, and a study of the human condition.
“Photographs That Brought the War Home,” The Press, The Pentagon Papers and The Post, January 2018
“Photography and Science: Seeing to Believe,” Exploration and Discovery, April 10, 2012
The Sunday Washington Post, February 2010
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**Review, Movie**
The Movie Review(er), November 20, 2001
“Harry Potter and the Sorcerer’s Stone” provides the vehicle to introduce the basics of movie review writing. Also “Movie Math,” “Harry Potter Matching Challenge,” vocabulary development lists.

**Rezaian, Jason**
Mistakes, Misinformation and Media Accuracy and Balance, May 2015
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**Riverkeeper**
The Shape of Rivers, April 2018
Treat Water Well, January 2013

**Robots**
Robots on the Move, January 2015
Robots replace workers, In the Job Market, February 2019

**Role-play Activities**
Consider Conflicting Loyalties, “Triumph and Tragedy,” April 2015
Diplomatic Relations in the Middle East, Turkey, November 2018
Guam, Puerto Rico an Other American Parts Unknown, November 2017
Rewards of Reading, May 24, 2005
“Student Activism on Gun Violence: When the First Amendment Addresses the Second Amendment,” Gun Control — Advocates and Activists, March 2018

**Roller Coaster**
“The Thrills of Physics,” Something for Summer, June 8, 2009

**Seedless Fruits and Vegetables**
How and Why: Seedless Fruits and Vegetables, October 25, 2005

**Shaddid, Anthony**
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**Silk Road**
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**Sixteenth Amendment**
A Taxing Time? March 2013

**Slavery**
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1963-2013 The Dream Continues, September 2013
Civil War and the Capital City, February 24, 2004
“The Constitution and Slavery,” Bloodshed and Emancipation, September 2012
“Legacy: Indenture, Separation, Trains,” Corks and Works, Blackface — Then and Now, March 2019

**Social Media**
Atwitter Over Social Networking — Its Uses and Abuses, April 9, 2009
“Evaluate a Web Site,” Research Integrity, February 26, 2002

**South Africa**
South Africa — Diverse People Unite, January 2014

**Space Exploration | NASA**
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**Speech**
“I Have a Dream” speech and John Lewis speech, 1963-2013
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**Sports**
2018 Winter Olympic Games, February 2018
Finding Character and Ethics in Sports, April 2013
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Profile, Ledes, Focus and Journalistic Values, September 2017
Sports — In Word and Image, December 6, 2007

**Sportsmanship**
Be a Good Sport," Shirley, One of the Best, April 1, 2003

**Stock Market**
“Understanding the Effects Disasters (Natural and Man-Made) Have on Stock Markets, Companies and Consumers,”
“Disaster in Japan,” April 4, 2011
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Student Rights
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Creating a Caring Community, November 6, 2007
Discipline and Decalogue, March 7, 2011
Justice for Juveniles? September 27, 2005

Summer
Something for Summer, June 8, 2009

Supreme Court
“Justice William O. Douglas — Environmental Activist,” Extending the Legacy, August 3, 2004
Long Arms of the Law, January 26, 2005
The Press, The Pentagon Papers and The Post, January 2018

Syndication
“Syndication Q&A,” The Comics, December 7, 2009

Tammany Hall
“Tammany Hall and Workplace Safety Reform,” Triangle Fire, September 9, 2005

Ten Commandments
Discipline and Decalogue, March 7, 2011

Teddy Bear
“1902 — Year of the Teddy Bear,” The Capital Transformed, March 30, 2004

Terrorism
“Dealing with Terrorism,” Media in the Time of Tragedy, September 18, 2001
Make a Difference, March 2015
Muslim: Fact and Stereotype, September 25, 2001

Think Like a Reporter
“Bring the Story Home,” Tariffs and Trade (Dis)agreements, October 2018

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“Compose Historical Questions,” Bloodshed and Emancipation, September 12, 2012
“Cover Faith and Religion,” Media Coverage of Religion and Faith, October 2015
“Cover a Health Issue,” Express Your Concerns: Models and Approaches, May 2019
“Cover a Science Topic,” The Shape of Rivers, April 2018
“Develop a Story of Your Neighborhood,” What’s a Neighborhood? May 2018
“The Explanatory Journalist,” Affordable Care Act, November 2013
“Know Who Does What,” If I Were a Member of the President’s Cabinet, February 2013
“Read, Research, Report,” Budget and Manage Health Care, November 2013
“Research Using Reliable Sources,” D.C. Emancipation, November 2012
“Share Special Events and Opportunities,” Explore a New Museum, American History Through the African American Lens, October 2016
“Use Primary Sources,” 1963-2013 The Dream Continues, September 2013
“Write a Follow-up,” Treat Water Well, January 11, 2013
“Write a News Story,” Triumph and Tragedy, Civil War 150: War Ends, Political Pursuit Continues, April 2015

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“Getting Out of Slavery: From Dred Scott to the Thirteenth Amendment,” Civil War and the Capital City, February 24, 2004

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**Tiger**
*Tigers*, November 6, 2001

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*The Press, The Pentagon Papers and The Post*, January 2018

**Tom Toles**
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**Trade**
*FTAs, Trade Policies, International Relations and Your Wallet*, February 2017
*Tariffs and Trade (Dis)agreements*, October 2018
*Trade Policies, International Relations and Your Wallet*, October 2018
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*Where in the World is Cuba?* January 2016

**Transportation**
*Our Nation’s Capital Created*, December 2003
*Transportation — The Tie That Binds Our Nation*, February 2015

**Triangle Fire**
*Triangle Fire*, September 9, 2003

**Tsunami**
*Disaster in Japan*, April 4, 2011

**Turkey**
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“Eat your weeds,” *How Does Your Garden Grow?* May 10, 2011

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*Day of Wrath: Visions, Villas and Vesuvius*, November 5, 2008

**Washington, George**
“George Washington — a Model Leader,” *Road to Leadership*,
December 2011
*Presidential*, September 2018

**Water**
*Treat Water Well*, January 2013

**Watergate**
*History and Herblock*, October 2009
The Nixon Resignation at 40 Years, *Executive Privilege — Real and Perceived*, September 2014

**Watermelons**
*Seedless Fruits and Vegetables*, October 25, 2005

**Weather**
“A Look at Temperature,” *Antarctica*, February 12, 2002
*Circumnavigation*, April 23, 2002
*Disaster in Japan* (earthquake, tsunami), April 4, 2011
*Observations of Climate*, April 2017
*Severe Weather*, October 2017
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*When the Winds Blow* (hurricane), November 29, 2005

**Word Find**
“At Antietam Creek,” *Bloodshed and Emancipation*,
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“Find the President,” *What Kind of Government Do You Want?*”
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“Find the Rights,” *Discipline and the Decalogue in the Schools*,
March 7, 2011
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“It’s Business,” *Reading The Sunday Post*, February 3, 2010
“Pencil It In,” *Pencil Points*, October 15, 2002
“Seen in Silver Spring,” *Insect Habitat*, October 9, 2001
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“The Age of Exploration and Discovery,” First Towns, October 21, 2003

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“A Look at Carry,” Backpack Math, December 4, 2001
“A Look at Chores,” Colonial Chores, January 14, 2002
“A Look at Circumnavigation,” Circumnavigation, April 23, 2002
“A Look at Congress,” Control of Congress, November 5, 2002
“A Look at Culture,” If I Were a Member of the Cabinet, February 2013
“A Look at Cowry Shells and Porcelain,” May 22, 2001
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“A Look at Economy,” Recession Is Not Recess, January 29, 2002
“A Look at Entomology,” Insect Habitat, October 9, 2001
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“A Look at Mosque,” Muslim: Fact and Stereotype, September 25, 2001
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“A Look at Mummy,” September 11, 2001
“A Look at Photosynthesis,” October 23, 2001
“A Look at Plagiarism,” Research Integrity, February 26, 2002
“A Look at Sleep,” Sleep, January 15, 2002
“A Look at Suffrage,” American Woman, March 19, 2002
“A Look at Temperature,” Antarctica, February 12, 2002
“A Look at Terrorism,” Media in the Time of Tragedy, September 18, 2001
“A Look at Weather Words,” Weather, May 28, 2002
“Bring Life to Your Vocabulary” (bio, micro, supra), November 4, 2011
“Bully for You,” Bullies, March 29, 2005
“Shaking and Shaping Your Vocabulary” (tsunami), April 4, 2011
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“A Word About Epistles, Communiques, and Letters,” We’ve Got Letters, March 2017

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Assembly
“Some Assembly Required,” Protest and Petition, March 2, 2012

Athlete as Role Model: Sportsmanship and Freedom of Speech
Shirley, One of the Best, April 1, 2003

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Democracy Through Suffrage — International Enfranchisement
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Mightier Than the Sword, February 25, 2003

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Should the Electoral College Count? November 23, 2004

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Ideal Supreme Court Appointment
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Music Censorship in America
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“The Ethics of Photo Manipulation: Does the Picture Help Tell the Story” ‘Good Picture,’ December 15, 2002

Pledge of Allegiance
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The Supreme Court and Sexual Harassment, Bullies, March 29, 2005

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Transgender Students
“Are Transgender Students Protected Under Title IX?” We’ve Got Letters, March 2017

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Who Has the Right to Vote? September 27, 2004

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