



MONROE COUNTY  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

# Course Outcome Summary

**Standard Course**

## **JOURN 162 Journalism Workshop I**

### **Course Information**

<b>Division</b>	Humanities/ Social Sciences
<b>Contact Hours</b>	45
<b>Total Credits</b>	3

**Prerequisites** JOURN 161

### **Course Description**

In this course, students will be given practical experience in journalistic writing, photography, layout procedures, and newspaper production. They will have the responsibility for producing the college newspaper, the Agora, and its website, [www.mcccagora.com](http://www.mcccagora.com).

### **Course Outcomes**

In order to evidence success in this course, students will be able to:

1. Describe the function of journalism in a free society
2. Demonstrate the ability to write news stories using appropriate journalistic style and a variety of structures
3. Demonstrate the ability to tell visual stories
4. Explain the various laws and protections that affect the work of journalists, from the First Amendment to open meetings and open records acts
5. Demonstrate their ability to correct grammar and style errors in journalistic writing
6. Demonstrate quality design in a print and online publication
7. Explain methods journalists utilize to engage with communities

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