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FEEDBACK

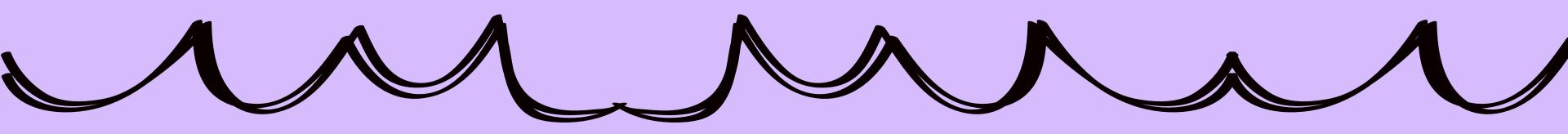
- -Think about the ending as well as the beginning of the story (e.g., framing the story)
- -Play around with the structure
- -Editors, keep an eye on whether the styles are repeating themselves,
- encourage more out-of-the-box thinking
- -Describing and playing with words you have it!
- -PHOTOS-VIDEOS-GRAPHS (seems that you have forgotten about it?)
- -Think about promotion of your stories have been working on it?





LONGREAD

- Longreads are in-depth articles that can range from 2,000 to 10,000 words.
- They offer a deeper understanding of a subject and captivate the reader's attention.
- Storytelling is key in creating a successful longread.
- It's essential to have a clear narrative arc that builds tension and keeps the reader engaged.
- Longreads require a balance between facts and emotions, providing a human touch to complex topics.





LOOK AT SOME LONGREADS WITH YOUR TEAM: YOU CAN FIND THEM ON INTERACTIVE SYLLABUS

Snow Fall The Avalanche at Tunnel Creek

By JOHN BRANCH

Longread 1

- **1.** Choose a topic that you are passionate about and that will sustain your interest over a longer period of time. This could be an issue that you feel strongly about or a subject that you have expertise in.
- 2. Conduct thorough research to ensure that your longread is well-informed and accurate. Use a variety of sources, including primary and secondary sources, and take detailed notes to help you organize your thoughts. **3.Create an outline to guide your writing and help you stay focused. Your** outline should include a clear introduction, a main body that explores your topic in-depth, and a conclusion that ties everything together. 4. Use a strong narrative structure to engage your readers and keep them
- interested. This could involve telling a story or using vivid descriptions to create a sense of place or character.
- 5. Write in a clear and concise style, using language that is accessible to a broad audience. Avoid jargon and technical terms unless they are essential to your topic

Longread 2

- **1.** Use quotes and anecdotes to add color and depth to your writing, and to provide evidence to support your arguments.
- 2. Incorporate multimedia elements, such as photos, videos, or infographics, to help break up long blocks of text and provide visual interest.
- **3.Edit your work carefully, paying attention to sentence structure,** grammar, and spelling. Take breaks and come back to your work with fresh eyes to catch errors you may have missed.
- 4. Consider the pacing of your longread, and use transitions to guide your reader smoothly from one section to the next.
- **5.Finally, don't be afraid to revise and rework your longread as needed.** Writing a longread can be a challenging but rewarding process, and the more you revise and refine your work, the better it will become.



KEEP IN MIND!

- Your longread should be at least 10 000 characters (w spaces)
- You should think about how you will build it (what is the narrative arc?); think about the "phases" or "topics" that emerge
- **Everyone in your team has to write a part in it** However, all the parts should be written in the same stylistic manner (editor!)
- There should be additional videos, graphs, and photos (boxes with information) - go off
- Deadline? next week Thursday we will have a Zoom consultation and by 10th it should ready-steady-done.

