Investigate the News

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Newspapers serve communities by writing about people who live and work there. Local news also connects people in their community to others in their region, state, nation and world. For example, a company operating in your local community is likely to sell goods or services to people who live in other places. Access to clean water is an issue at home and around the world.

What do you learn from your newspaper about your community’s connections to other places? What do you learn about each place?

SHARE ideas with friends. List places in the news and find as many as you can on maps. Classify the places as local, state, national or world. Where might you go together? What would you hope to do and/or learn from your trip?

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