

CHAPTER THREE: DECIDING WHAT IS NEWS

Read Pages 58-67 in the textbook and answer the following questions:

1. Define “Hard News”
2. List the four reasons given for the cultural shift away from hard news. Then write a few sentences explaining how **you** have shifted away from hard news, or, why you were never interested in it in the first place.
3. Define News Judgment:
4. Explain the "Who Cares?" Method.
5. Using the “Who Cares?” method, write a story idea that could be used in our student newspaper for each one of the following 8 sections. Don’t forget to indicate which idea belongs to which section.

1. Home

2. News

3. Travel

4. Money

5. Sports

6. Life

7. Tech

8. Weather

6. **Identify and explain** the SIX ELEMENTS of news.

1. Element:

Definition:

Example: