

# COM3215 – Photojournalism

## Assignment One

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As explained in the Outline, photojournalists tell a story in photographs. They capture a moment in time and try to help the reader understand not only what was going on in a particular place, but also what the people felt when they experienced it. Before you start to take these photos yourself, you should first look into the responsibilities and requirements of becoming a photojournalist. Go to the website listed below to complete the following questions.

[http://photography.lovetoknow.com/Photojournalism\\_Job\\_Description](http://photography.lovetoknow.com/Photojournalism_Job_Description)

Most photojournalists must complete at least one college level program related to photojournalism or photography. List three of the five identified on the website.

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In the simplest terms, photojournalists \_\_\_\_\_

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Identify the eight main duties and responsibilities of a photojournalist.

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Identify the seven additional duties a photojournalist may have to perform.

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List the four most common requirements a photojournalist must meet.

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List the six desirable skills a photojournalist should possess.

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Make a quick list of pros and cons to being a photojournalist. Be sure to list at least five pros and 5 cons.

<b>Pros</b>	<b>Cons</b>