

# Newsroom to Classroom Program

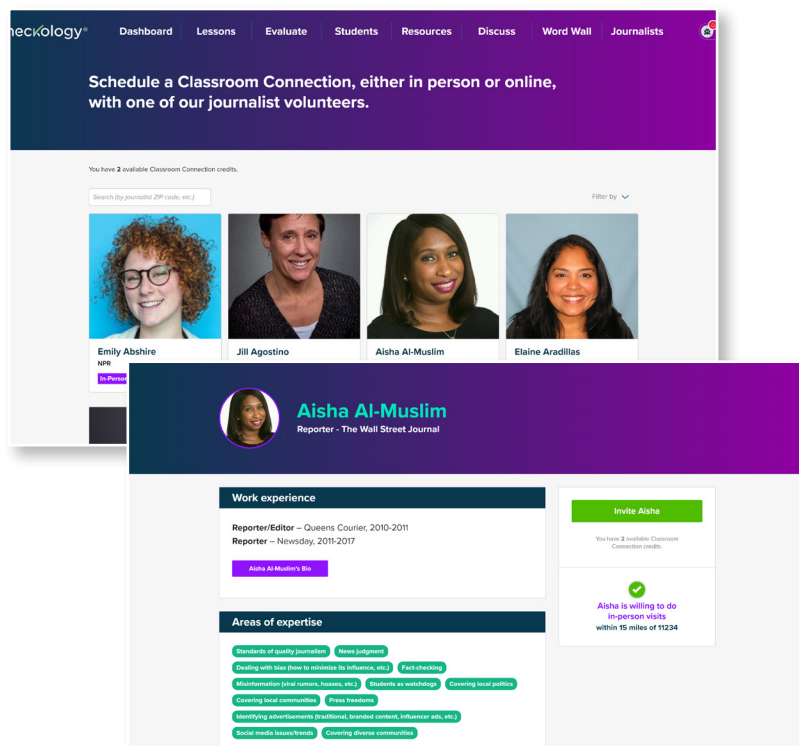
Forging meaningful connections between journalists and students

## Real-world experts in your classroom.

The News Literacy Project's **Newsroom to Classroom** program brings journalists into middle schools and high schools — in person and virtually — to share their knowledge and expertise with students in their community, across the United States or around the world.

This program — available through NLP's **Checkology® virtual classroom** — offers unique opportunities for students to learn from real-world experts, for journalists to participate in news literacy education and for educators to enhance their students' classroom learning.

## Classroom visits enrich learning, broaden perspectives.



## Checkology makes it easy for educators

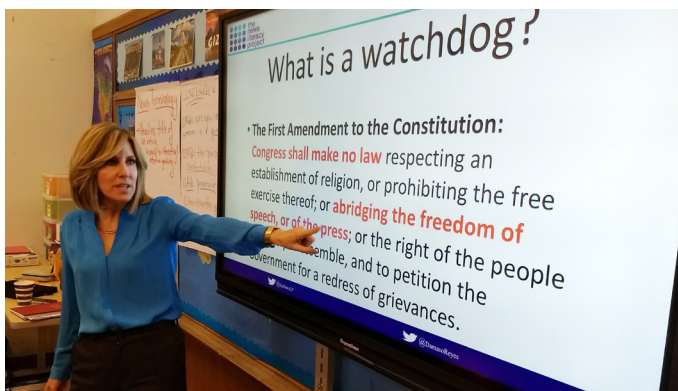
with Premium accounts to request a Classroom Connection with a vetted NLP journalist volunteer. Just search the online directory, filter results by area of expertise and other factors, and send a request for an engaging, conversational news literacy lesson.

These sessions are designed to:

- **Demystify** the practice of quality journalism.
- **Demonstrate** how to think critically and become information-savvy in today's complex online landscape.
- **Develop** an appreciation of the vital role a free press plays in a robust democracy.

Connecting with the reporters and editors behind the headlines serves as an invaluable resource for teachers and a powerful news literacy learning experience for students.

## How it works



### For journalists:

Once your application is approved, you complete a short online orientation and tutorial, and your profile is added to the directory. Educators will invite you to their classrooms through the Checkology platform; you and the educator then work out details by email. You decide how often you want to participate, and you can pause your involvement at any time.

**Learn more:** [journalists@newslit.org](mailto:journalists@newslit.org)



### For educators:

Checkology Premium educators can click on the “Journalists” tab at the top of any Checkology page to access the journalist directory. You can search journalists by location, area of expertise or relevant topics. Invite them to your class through the platform; then arrange the visit directly with the journalist over email.

**Learn more:** [support@checkology.org](mailto:support@checkology.org)

## About NLP

NLP, a nonpartisan national education nonprofit, provides educators with tools and resources to teach their students how to navigate today's complex information landscape and learn to judge the credibility of information for themselves.

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