

## ENGLISH B

### TEXT TYPE : NEWS REPORT

#### CONTEXT

##### Purpose

To report/recount yesterday's news

##### Audience

General public or the specific demographic targeted by the newspaper

##### Language

Formal and largely factual

#### FORMAT

- headline
- byline
- intro: when, what, where, who , how and why
- chronological details or reverse pyramid (least important information last)
- short paragraphs
- predominance of past time
- reported speech

#### Suggested Task

Locate, download and glue a short news article based on a “human interest story” onto lined A4 paper. **Annotate** the features of news reporting used by the journalist and sub-editor with colored pens. Use a key to explain your annotations.