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Student Editorial Aide		x166	Ш

## **DEFINITION**:

Under the direction of a Manager/Supervisor, a student performs all or part of the following duties:

- (a) Responsible for newspaper reviews, press releases, obtains photos and additional information when necessary, organizes materials, writes copy, types final copy for approval, writes and sends follow-up letters.
- (b) Researches and writes other news and feature stories; occasionally accompanies editor to interviews board meetings, etc., occasionally "fills in" for the editor.
- (c) Proofreads story copy, typesetter's galleys, camera-ready artwork, edits copy for grammar, spelling and punctuation.
- (d) Sorts and classifies editorial files as well as photos and incoming bills.
- (e) Assists editor in layout of newspaper; obtains graphics and other earthwork; runs occasional errands.
- (f) Schedules interviews and photo sessions for editor.

## BASIC QUALIFICATIONS:

At least Junior standing <u>or</u> the completion of six (6) semesters of university course work with a 2.75 GPA (A=4.00). Completion of at least one writing course beyond Freshman Composition. Have some experience in journalism and well-developed writing and organizational skills. English or Communications major. Must be articulate and present a poised image.

## QUALIFICATIONS FOR STARTING AT STEP B:

Completion of eight semesters of university course work as well as additional qualifications listed above.