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### ITE-115 – Information Literacy Assessment – Module 1

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. What type of resource would contain an overview or background information on your topic? (*Select one*)
  - a. Journal article
  - b. Magazine article
  - c. Encyclopedia article
  - d. Newspaper article
2. What type of resource is written by an expert in a particular field, reports on scholarly research and includes a list of cited references at the end? (*Select one*)
  - a. Journal article
  - b. Magazine article
  - c. Encyclopedia article
  - d. Newspaper article
3. Which of the following is NOT an example of a primary source? (*Select one*)
  - a. Letter
  - b. Speech
  - c. Book review
  - d. Interview
  - e. Memoir
4. The Information Cycle is the progression of media coverage of a newsworthy event. Match the resource with the time it typically appears or is published after an event occurs.

a. Book	___ Day of the event
b. Magazine	___ Day/s after the event
c. Journal	___ Week/s after the event
d. Internet, Television, Radio	___ Month/s after the event
e. Newspaper	___ Year/s after the event
5. Periodical articles come from: (*Select one*)
  - a. Journals
  - b. Magazines
  - c. Newspapers
  - d. All of the above

6. Match the resource with when it is best to use:

- a. Book
- b. Newspaper
- c. Magazine
- d. Journal
- e. World Wide Web

You need:

- \_\_\_ a scholarly article on original research.
- \_\_\_ an article on a popular or recent topic written for a general audience.
- \_\_\_ an in-depth treatment of a topic.
- \_\_\_ the most current news or opinions on various issues.
- \_\_\_ a recent article on a local event.

7. Review the article citation below. Select whether the article comes from a scholarly journal or popular magazine.

Does Reality Backbite? Physical, Verbal, and Relational Aggression in Reality Television Programs. By: Coyne, Sarah M.; Robinson, Simon L.; Nelson, David A. Journal of Broadcasting & Electronic Media, Apr2010, Vol. 54 Issue 2, p282-298, 17p, 3 Charts.

- a. Scholarly journal
- b. Popular magazine

8. Review the article citation below. Select whether the article comes from a scholarly journal or popular magazine.

THE Wild, the Stupid & the Jersey Shore Shuffle. By: Eliscu, Jenny. Rolling Stone, 8/5/2010, Issue 1110, p54-57, 4p, 2 Color Photographs.

- a. Scholarly journal
- b. Popular magazine

9. Which of the following is NOT an example of a Reference book? (*Select one*)

- a. Encyclopedia
- b. Dictionary
- c. Journal
- d. Almanac
- e. Directory

10. Government documents from all levels of government are an excellent resource for finding both historical and current statistical data. (*Select one*)

- a. True
- b. False