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QUARTERLY ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST – 1Q 2024

The following is listings of some of the significant issues responded to by Station WCYB, Bristol VA along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the 3rd Quarter period, 1/1/24-3/31/24 This listing is by no means exhaustive. The order in which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

Regular Programs

Station WCYB airs local news, weather, and traffic reports Monday thru Friday 4:30a-7a, 12p-1p, 5p-6:30p and 11p. Saturday / Sunday 7a-8a, 6p, and 11p/ The National Desk WCYBD2 Mon-Fri 1p Full Measure (WCYBD2 Sunday 11:30p and Sunday 12a and Armstrong Williams WCYBD2 Saturday 5:30a

1	y 11:30p and Sunday 12a and Armstron	2	Saturday 5:30a		
Description of Issue	Regular Programs	Air Date(s)	Time	Duration	Narration of Type and Description
Crime /Safety	News 5@7a	2/4/24	7a	:30	THE TENNESSEE HIGHWAY
					PATROL HAS NOW IDENTIFIED
					THE PEOPLE INVOLVED IN A ROAD
					RAGE INCIDENT THAT HAPPENED
					SATURDAY. IT HAPPENED ON
					INTERSTATE 81 IN GREENE
					COUNTY NEAR EXIT 23.THP DID
					NOT RELEASE THE IDENTITIES OF
					THOSE INVOLVED AND HAS NOT
					YET DETERMINED IF THERE WILL
					BE ANY CHARGES.
	News 5 @ 11pm	2/13/24	11p	:40	A RUSSELL COUNTY DEPUTY WAS
					INJURED IN THE LINE OF DUTY
					WHILE ATTEMPTING TO MAKE AN
					ARREST. ACCORDING TO THE
					RUSSELL COUNTY SHERIFFS
					OFFICE, THEY WERE DISPATCHED
					TO THE AREA OF THE HUDDLE
					HOUSE FOR A DOMESTIC
					RELATED CALL. DEPUTIES WITH
					RUSSELL COUNTY WERE
					ASSISTING ST PAUL OFFICERS.
					ONCE ON THE SCENE, POLICE SAY
					THE MAN RAN.

	News 5 @ 4:30a	3/21/24	4:45a	3:00	THE SULLIVAN COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE SAYS A LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT IS LOOKING INTO A REPORT OF A HIDDEN CAMERA AT A NOW CLOSED BARBERSHOP. NEWS 5'S KRISTEN QUON HAS BEEN INVESTIGATING THE CIRCUMSTANCES AROUND THIS CASE. SHE JOINS US NOW IN THE STUDIO WITH THE DETAILS.
Local Interest	News 5 @11pm	1/23/24	11p	2:00	AN INVESTIGATION IS NOW UNDERWAY AFTER AN ABANDONED BUILDING FIRE IN BRISTOL, VIRGINIA. NEWS 5'S ANDREW MCCLUNG LEARNS WHAT THE BUILDING WAS ONCE USED FOR, AND WHY AUTHORITIES ARE CONCERNED THERE COULD HAVE BEEN HOMELESS PEOPLE INSIDE.
	News 5 @ 5a	3/1/24	5a	:20	THE BIRTHPLACE OF COUNTRY MUSIC MUSEUM ANNOUNCING TODAY PART OF THE ARTIST LINEUP FOR THIS YEAR'S RHYTHM AND ROOTS REUNION. EACH YEAR THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE FROM AROUND THE WORLD GATHER IN BRISTOL TO ENJOY THE FESTIVAL.
	News 5 @11p	1/30/24	11:05p		THE ICONIC BLUE CIRCLE RESTAURANT IS BACK IN BUSINESS. THE ORIGINAL RESTAURANT OPENED IN KNOXVILLE IN THE 30'S AND GREW INTO A REGINAL CHAIN,

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					BUT NOW THE LAST SURVIVING
					EATERY IS LOCATED ON BLUFF
					CITY HIGHWAY. THE MENU WILL
					CONTINUE TO HAVE THE SAME
					CLASSICS LIKE THE CIRCLE
					BURGER ALONG WITH NEW
					ADDITIONS SUCH AS FROZEN
					CUSTARD AND SLUSHIES.
Medical	News 5 @11pm	1/18/24	11p	:30	ADDRESSING THE HEALTHCARE
					WORKER SHORTAGE, THE GOAL
					OF A NEW INNOVATIVE PROGRAM
					BEING LAUNCHED BY BALLAD
					HEALTH IN COLLABORATION
					WITH SEVERAL LOCAL SCHOOL
					DISTRICTS. IT'S CALLED BALLAD
					HEALTH ACADEMY, AN
					INNOVATIVE SCHOOL WITHIN A
					SCHOOL APPROACH. THE
					PROGRAM IS SUPPORTED IN PART,
					BY AN INITIAL 15-POINT-3-
					MILLION-DOLLAR INVESTMENT
					FROM BLOOMBERG
					PHILANTRHROPIES.
	News 5 @ 6a	3/15/24	6a	:20	MOUNT ROGERS HEALTH
					DISTRICT IS LOOKING FOR YOUR
					INPUT. THE VIRGINIA
					DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH'S
					MOUNT ROGERS HEALTH
					DISTRICT SERVES BRISTOL, AS
					WELL AS SMYTH, AND
					WASHINGTON COUNTIES. NOW
					YOU HAVE A CHANCE TO SHARE
					WHAT MATTERS TO YOU, AND
					WHAT CONCERNS YOU HAVE
					ABOUT HEALTH ISSUES IN THE
					COMMUNITY.

	News 5 @ 4:30a	3/22/24	4:30a	1:55	COLON CANCER IS THE SECOND MOST COMMON CANCER, AFTER SKIN CANCER, DIAGNOSED IN THE U.S ACCORDING TO THE AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY. WITH MARCH BEING COLON CANCER AWARENESS MONTH, NEWS 5'S KILEY HILL SPOKE WITH A LOCAL WOMAN ABOUT HOW HER DECISION TO GET A COLONOSCOPY SAVED HER LIFE.
Business/ Economy	News 5 @ 4:30a	1/29/24	4:34a	:25	TRIPRIDE HAS ANNOUNCED THE DATE AND LOCATION FOR ITS 2024 PARADE AND FESTIVAL. THE ANNOUNCEMENT CAME DURING A ROLLOUT PARTY TONIGHT AT BRISTOL'S AXE AND ALE HOUSE. THE EVENT TYPICALLY ROTATES BETWEEN EACH OF THE TRICITIES AND WOULD HAVE GONE TO KINGSPORT THIS YEAR. BUT DUE TO ROAD CONSTRUCTION IN KINGSPORT IT WILL INSTEAD RETURN TO BRISTOL.
	News 5@11p	2/15/24	11p	:25	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IS A GOAL FOR CITY LEADERS IN BRISTOL, VIRGINIA. MAYOR BECKY NAVE TELLS US SHE HAS BEEN WORKING CLOSELY WITH THE CITY'S ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST TO IDENTIFY BUSINESSES THAT HAVE BEEN CONTACTED IN THE PAST, AND WAYS TO DRAW MORE IN TO THE COMMUNITY,

	News 5 @ 6p	3/4/24	6p	1:55	A TENNESSEE LAWMAKER ARGUING A LIVING WAGE IS NEEDED TO KEEP UP WITH INFLATION AND OTHER INCREASED COSTS. NEWS 5'S ASHLEY HOAK TELLS US WHY SOME ARE PUSHING BACK ON THE IDEA TO RAISE MINIMUM WAGE IN TENNESSEE.
Education	News 5 @ 11pm	2/12/24	11p	:40	SOME SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS IN NORTHEAST TENNESSEE SAY RETENTION STANDARDS ARE UNCLEAR. ACCORDING TO THE TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, STUDENTS WHO RECEIVED A SCORE OF "APPROACHING" OR "BELOW EXPECTATION" ON THEIR THIRD GRADE ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS T-CAP TEST LAST YEAR, WILL BE EXPECTED TO SHOW "ADEQUATE GROWTH" THIS YEAR.
	News 5 @ 6a	2/20/24	6:15a	:30	JOHNSON CITY LEADERS HAVE NOW SIGNED PAPERS FOR AN ARCHITECT TO BEGIN WORK ON PLANS FOR A NEW TOWNE ACRES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.THE SCHOOL IS ONE OF THE CITY'S OLDEST. ITS LAYOUT MAKES SECURITY DIFFICULT AND IT'S TIGHT ON SPACE.
	News5 @ 11pm	3/27/24	11p	2:15	SEVERAL EAST TENNESSEE SCHOOL SYSTEMS HAVE JOINED A LAWSUIT THAT'S TARGETING SOME OF THE MOST POPULAR SOCIAL MEDIA GIANTS IN THE U.S. NEWS 5'S KILEY HILL DIVES

					DEEPER INTO THE LAWSUIT AND HEARS FROM THE BOARD FROM ONE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ABOUT WHY THEY DECIDED TO FILE.
Local Politics	News 5@5a	1/4/24	5a	:25	LAWMAKERS HOPE A NEW LAW IN TENNESSEE HELPS TO KEEP DRUNK DRIVERS OFF THE ROADS. THE LAW NOW GIVES LAW ENFORCEMENT MORE INFORMATION FOR THOSE WHO USE AN IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICE. NOW, ACCORDING TO THE NEW LAW, THE DEVICE WILL NEED GPS TECHNOLOGY THAT WILL CAPTURE THE MOTOR VEHICLE'S LOCATION DURING THE STARTUP TEST.
	News 5 @ 11p	2/8/24	11p	:30	TENNESSEE COULD BECOME THE 10TH STATE TO PASS UNIVERSAL SCHOOL CHOICE. GOVERNOR BILL LEE IS PUSHING PRIVATE SCHOOL VOUCHERS FOR ALL STUDENTS STATEWIDE.HIS PROPOSED EDUCATION FREEDOM SCHOLARSHIP ACT WOULD OFFER FUNDS TO 20 THOUSAND STUDENTS TO ATTEND PRIVATE SCHOOL OR BE HOMESCHOOLED.
	News 5 @ 6p	3/5/24	6р	:30	VOTERS IN VIRGINIA AND TENNESSEEE ARE CASTING THEIR BALLOTS FOR SUPER TUESDAY. WHILE MANY VOTERS FOCUS ON THE UPCOMING PRESIDENTIAL RACE, MANY LOCAL ELECTIONS ARE TAKING PLACE AS WELL.

Community Activities

A web-based community calendar and activities list is posted on <u>HTTP://www.wcyb.com</u> to address several issues in the community. Organizations submit events via web, email, and/or mail. Station sponsored events are also listed <u>HTTP://www.wcybcom</u> by station staff.

Description of Issue	Community Activities (broadcast/non- broadcast/both)	Date(s)	Time	Location	Narration of Type and Description
Healing Hands Benefit		2/14/24			Delivered cupcakes for Healing Hands benefit cupcake program. Preston Ayers Anchor, Andrew McClung Anchor, Rebecca Pipin Anchor, Kristen Quon Bostic, Anchor
Reading Across America		2/28/24 thru 3/8/24			Read to student at Various school across the DMA-Kristen Quon Bostic, Anchor, Heather Williams Achor, Yannia Nordelo, Multimedia Journalist, Andrew McClung, Anchor, Cole Johnson, Reporter, Davie Dierks, Chief Meteorologist
Station Tours for School Programs		2/2, 2/22, 3/14, 3/27			These schools were given station tours this quarter- HELP Homeschoolers Program, Bristol Youth Leadership, Anderson Elementary, High Point Elementary, Union Middle School. By Gary Inman (Technical Director), David Boyd (Meteorologist)

School Visits/ Weather Discussion	2/2, 2/9.3/8 3/15 and 3/27	Classroom Weather Discussion in the following schools- Bluff City Elementary, David Goyd Meteorologist, Tennessee Middles School, Robinson Middle School, Yuma Elementary and Lake Ride Elementary by David Dierks, Chief Metrologist
Talks and Zoom about Journalism with College Students	2/1 and 3/20	Zoom with college students at Marymount Manhattan College, Tracey Brooks, Anchor; Emory & henry College Journalism Students, Gary Inman Technical Director
Washington County/Johnson City Animal Shelter	3/2-3/6	Rebecca Pipin worked on a public service video to promote pet adoptions at animal rescue shelters
American Red Cross of Northeast Tennessee Fire Assistance Program	3/28	Keith Weiss, News Director attended the Dining for Disaster Benefit
Special Olympics Bowling	3/2	Davie Dierks, Chief Meteorologist attended the Special Olympics Bowling Competition
The Optimist Club of Bristol	2/2	Casey Goetz, Anchor served as guest speaker at the event.

Q1-2024 Quarterly Report. Full Measure with Sharyl Attkisson

Full Measure is a broadcast focusing on investigative, original and accountability reporting unique in today's media. The host is Sharyl Attkisson. The show format will include a major investigative piece each week on topics ranging from immigration issues at home and abroad, government waste, national security concerns and vulnerabilities, whistleblower reports on government abuse and misdeeds. Full Measure is produced by and airs nationally on stations of the Sinclair Broadcast Group. The program also streams live on all Sinclair websites Sundays at 9:30 a.m. ET.

Full Measure Episode List from January7-March31, 2023

Program/episode	Date	A i r T i m e	Duration	Description
FMS9E1801072024	Jan7,2024		22:55	The investigations on government efforts to obstruct free speech. The tunnel war in Gaza and why the world should pay attention. And a look at dark money in the 2024 election.
FMS9E1901142024	Jan14,2024		22:55	Scientific research links water contaminants to sex changes in animals. Rising tensions in the Middle East. And a surprising way to recover mutilated money.
FMS9E2001212024	Jan21,2024		22:55	Potential child victims of Covid clinical trials. Concerns about America's military readiness.

			And U.S. government science licensed to foreign adversaries.
FMS9E2101282024	Jan28,2024	22:55	A disturbing spike in juvenile crime. A reality check on the mysterious Havana syndrome. And a new documentary examines censored science during Covid.
FMS9E220204,2024	Feb4,2024	22:55	Texas vs. Biden at the southern border. Escalating conflict between the U.S. and Iran. And a look at a critical resource, helium, in short supply.
FMS9E2302112024	Feb11,2024	22:55	Reshaping the meaning of words to influence social agendas. The state of U.S. sanctions against Iran. And the foreign thirst for American water.
FMS9E2402182024	Feb18,2024	22:55	Inside the IRS investigation into Hunter Biden and links to President Biden. And the push to stop China from using our own technology against us.
FMS9E2502252024	Feb25,2024	22:55	An examination of media mistakes during the Trump and Biden presidencies. How workers' unions are impacting the presidential election. And following the

			money on anti-Jewish sentiment on campus.
FMS9E2603032024	March3,2024	22:55	Long wait times to see a doctor. Concerns about kids and their parents making millions off social media. And a visit to the place where Pluto was discovered.
FMS9E2703102024	March10,2024	22:55	The push for offshore wind power encounters headwinds. Investigating ties between dieticians and companies making unhealthy food. And a look back at America's heroic truth-tellers.
FMS9E2803172024	March17,2024	22:55	The push for ranked choice voting. The North Korea threat. And taxpayer money funding controversial podcasts.
FMS9E2903242024	March24,2024	22:55	Cuba's Soviet-modeled economy shifts toward capitalism. President Biden accused of playing politics with U.S. energy. And the push for a guaranteed income.
FMS9E3003312024	March31,2024	22:55	Reshaping the meaning of words to influence social agendas. The state of U.S. sanctions against Iran. And the foreign thirst for American water.

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Q1 / 2024 SHOW TITLE SUMMARY

JANUARY			
6	2401	2023 Review with Dr. Ben Carson	Dr. Ben Carson shares insights on the past year and his hopes and challenges for the country as we begin 2024.
13	2402	Ohio's Importance to the US Senate	GOP Senate nominee Bernie Moreno discusses his journey from escaping socialism in South America to his success as a car dealer in Ohio.
20	2403	America's Constitution and Its Importance Now	Bruce Fein discusses the genius of the U.S. Constitution and how it gives the people the power to govern themselves.
27	2404	Solutions To Gun Violence in America	An explosive discussion on the youth and gun violence wreaking havoc in cities across America, and some tough solutions to the problem.
FEBRUARY	2405	N	
3	2405	What to Expect in 2024	We explore the expectations of Americans in 2024 from border legislation, foreign aid to Ukraine, juvenile violence, and the potential collapse of our economy.
10	2406	Faith vs Religion, Part I	Is faith a complete trust or confidence in someone or something? We explore the most frequent questions about faith.
17	2407	People Over Profit	Armstrong discusses the common perception that the corporate elite value profits over people, and why the generosity and sacrifices of our nation's wealthiest class is often overlooked.

24	2408	Profile: The Life of Pastor Shirley Caesar	The "Queen of Gospel" and 12-time Grammy award winner, Shirley Caesar, joins Armstrong to discuss her remarkable life and share a few surprises.
MARCH			
2	2409	Tough Love: Baltimore Law Enforcement & State Officials	Armstrong gathers judges & prosecutors to discuss "tough love law enforcement" tactics and how to better balance the imprisonment & rehabilitation of criminals.
9	2410	Mental Health Crisis: Taking an Uneven Toll	Has mental health today become an enabler and crutch for many in today's America? How do we deploy tools for those who truly need help vs those that exploit the system?
16	2411	Immigration & The Border	Will the Biden administration implement a tough immigration policy and discontinue the invasion of our borders, or is there an agenda to allow more illegal migrants in to vote for Democrats?
23	2412	Profile: Mayor Muriel Bowser	Washington, D.C. Mayor Muriel Bowser discusses the passage of her city's Omnibus Crime bill and the impact of the 100 provisions.
30	2413	The Old Guard	Jim Pinkerton and David Keene join Armstrong to discuss how issues of the past – crime, immigration, divisiveness, political classes - have worsend and why.

The National Desk 10pm January 2024

Program/Episode	Date	Airtime	Duration	Description
Jan. 01-05				
The National Desk;	01/01/24	10,11	0:00	No Talkback
The National Desk; NEW YEAR	01/01/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on people failing their New Year's Resolutions. Only 9% of people will accomplish their goals. Mental health experts say it is because people are setting unrealistic expectations. Experts say success requires realistic goals and accountability.
The National Desk; FCT Public School Enrollment	01/01/24	10,11	0:59	The Fact Check Team reports that in the aftermath of the pandemic, public school enrollment has experienced a substantial decline, losing more than 1 million students between 2019 and 2021.
The National Desk; FCT Public School Enrollment	01/01/24	10,11	1:02	The Fact Check Team says that a study by Stanford and the Associated Press reveals that 21 states and D.C. maintain adequate data on non-public schooling options.
The National Desk;	01/02/24	10,11	0:00	No Talkback
The National Desk;	01/02/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports about streaming saturation! It's not just Netflix and Hulu! There are hundreds of streaming services! Data shows people are canceling at least some of their subscriptions, but a lot of them return! Companies are now trying to figure out how to keep customers loyal and are trying things like bundle deals and discounts.
The National Desk; FCT : Store Closures	01/02/24	10,11	1:01	The Fact Check Team reports that in 2023, the retail landscape witnessed a seismic shift as over 4,600 stores closed, reflecting an 80% increase compared to the previous year.

The National Desk; FCT	01/02/24	10,11	0:53	The Fact Check Team says that so far, retailers have already announced 580 store closures for 2024, with CVS and Walgreens leading the pack.
The National Desk; AMERICA'S NATIONAL	01/03/24	10,11	2:47	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports the national
DEBT				debt hit a new record of 34 trillion dollars at the end of
				2023.next week- lawmakers return to congress with a
				tight deadline to fund the government.
The National Desk; Lifestyle Creep	01/03/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports more than 60% of
				Americans live paycheck to paycheck. and as a result,
				lifestyle inflation or lifestyle creep is a big factor.
The National Desk; FCT Returns	01/03/24	10,11	1:15	The Fact Check Team reports according to a report from the National Retail Federation, in 2023 there were more than \$743 billion in merchandise return, with an overall rate of 14.5%
The National Desk; FCT Returns	01/03/24	10,11	1:04	The Fact Check Team says, to mitigate the problem, retailers are trying several things like requiring a receipt for all returns, shortening the return window and even adding a fee
The National Desk; DIABETES DRUGS	01/04/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens looks at the prevalence of diabetes and possible new treatments for people who suffer from type 1 or type 2 diabetes.
The National Desk; FCT commercial mortgage rates	01/04/24	10,11	1:12	The Fact Check Team reports there are currently around \$117 billion in commercial mortgages tied to office buildings that either need to be repaid or refinanced this year.
The National Desk; FCT commercial mortgage rates	01/04/24	10,11	1:07	The Fact Check Team says there are 605 buildings with mortgages expiring soon and Moody's Analytics estimates that owners of 224 of them will have trouble refinancing.
The National Desk;	01/05/24	10,11	0:00	No Talkback
The National Desk; FCT CYBER THREATS	01/05/24	10,11	1:09	The Fact Check Team reports Aliquippa, a small town in western Pennsylvania, is one of the latest victims to

				experience an international cyberattack putting its water utilities at risk.
The National Desk; FCT CYBER THREATS	01/05/24	10,11	1:17	The Fact Check Team says there are over 2,200 cyberattacks each day, translating to one attack every 39 seconds and over 800,000 annually.
Program/Episode		Airtime	Duration	Description
Jan. 08-12				
The National Desk;	01/08/24	10,11	2:30	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on the current status of the Mid-East tension.
The National Desk; OFFICERS SHOT	01/08/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports explains why more officers were shot in the line of duty in 20-23 than ever before and what can be done to stop it
The National Desk; Interview	01/08/24	10,11	3:40	Anchor Ameera David interviews Dr. Baia Lasky of red Cross on Blood Shortage.
The National Desk; FCT Congressional stock trading	01/08/24	10,11	1:23	The Fact Check Team reports a new report from Unusual Whales found that 33% of members (out of 100) beat the SPY in their own stock portfolios.
The National Desk; FCT Congressional stock trading	01/08/24	10,11	1:00	The Fact Check Team says there are some proposals to change the rules on Congressional stock trading.
The National Desk; MIGRANT CRISIS	01/09/24	10,11	2:23	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports on impeachment proceedings beginning on Wednesday against DHS Secretary Mayorkas as lawmakers continue to try to forge a path forward the record numbers of migrants illegally crossing the border
The National Desk; GEN Z JOBS	01/09/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports about recent Gen Z college graduates having difficulty getting and keeping a job.
The National Desk: Interview	01/09/24	10,11	3:06	Anchor Ameera David interviews investigator Josh Hottle on causes and prevention of house explosions.
The National Desk; FCT Food prices	01/09/24	10,11	1:20	The Fact Check Team reports that grocery prices were up 1.7% in November compared to the year before
The National Desk; FCT Food prices	01/09/24	10,11	1:32	The Fact Check Team says menu prices at restaurants were up 5.3% in November compared to the year before

The National Desk; IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINGS AGAINST DHS SECRETARY MAYORKAS STARTS	01/10/24	10,11	2:32	Correspondent Scott Thuman reports on House Republicans beginning the impeachment process today – many Republicans believe Mayorkas has failed to
				protect the border and deserves to lose his job.
The National Desk; P-SOCIAL MEDIA BEAUTY	01/10/24	10,11	1:40	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on the impact of social media influencers on tweens and teens. There are concerns raised about young girls using anti-aging skincare and makeup products that have become popular online.
The National Desk; FCT HUNTER BIDEN	01/10/24	10,11	1:21	The Fact Check Team reports last month, a federal grand jury in California indicted Hunter Biden on 9 tax-related charges
The National Desk; FCT HUNTER BIDEN	01/10/24	10,11	1:15	The Fact Check Team says Today, the House took steps to hold Hunter Biden in contempt of Congress
The National Desk; ADDICTED AMERICA – FENTANYL CRISIS	01/11/24	10, 11	2:36	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on what rapper turned country artist Jelly Roll and other advocates say should be done to address the deadly issue of fentanyl.
The National Desk;	01/11/24	10, 11	1:28	Reporter Janae Bowens reports overall prices have increased more than 17%, she looks into the impact of economy.
The National Desk; FCT Antisemitism	01/11/24	10, 11	1:10	The Fact Check Team reports data from the Anti- Defamation League shows there were over 3,200 antisemitic events between October 7 th and January 7 th – a 361% increase from the same time last year
The National Desk; FCT Antisemitism	01/11/24	10, 11	1:08	The Fact Check Team reports there has also been a spike in hostility towards the Muslim community
The National Desk; NATIONAL DEBT	01/12/24	10, 11	2:35	Correspondent Janae Bowens reports on the national debt continues to explode. Some voters are imploring presidential candidates to make it a priority campaign issue and put out detailed plans on how to remedy it.
The National Desk; FCT Skittles Ban	01/12/24	10, 11	1:17	The Fact Check Team reports the FBI is warning against a scam known as cyber kidnapping after a 17-year-old Chinese exchange student in Utah fell victim to the crime.
The National Desk; FCT Skittles Ban	01/12/24	10, 11	1:11	The Fact Check team says the FBI has been aware of cyber kidnapping for at least 20 years.
Jan 15-19				

The National Desk; Covid History	01/16/24	10,11	2:20	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports on Former NIH Director Francis Collins reportedly told Congressional lawmakers there's credibility in the Covid lab leak theory that after formerly suggesting it was a conspiracy. Anthony Fauci recent controversial comments has drawn outrage from some lawmakers. Senator Rand Paul has called for Fauci's arrest.
The National Desk; GRID AND ENERGY PRICES	01/16/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on cold snap is impacting power grids and energy prices across the country. Energy companies in Texas have asked their customers to reduce their energy usage this morning to avoid blackouts.
The National Desk; FCT Immigration	01/16/24	10,11	1:04	The Fact Check Team reports on Border agents encountered more than 225,000 migrants at the southern border in December (the highest monthly total since 2000)
The National Desk; FCT Immigration	01/16/24	10,11	1:29	The Fact Check Team reports on Texas released a report in 2020 that found compared to undocumented immigrants, U.S. citizens were 2x more likely to commit violent crimes
The National Desk; HEALTH DECLINE	01/17/24	10,11	1:	Reporter Janae Bowens reports that according to the latest data from the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation's Global Burden of Disease study, the estimated average proportion of life spent in good health has decreased from 85.8% in 1990 to 83.6% in 2021.
The National Desk; FCT Foreign investments in land	01/17/24	10,11	1:1	The Fact Check Team reports that according to the American Farm Bureau, foreign investors owned over 40 million acres of U.S. agricultural land (1.8% of all land in the U.S. and 3.1% of all privately held agricultural land)
The National Desk; FCT Foreign investments in land	01/17/24	10,11	1:1	The Fact Check Team reports that according to the National Association of Realtors, international buyers purchased \$53.3 billion worth of residential properties between April 2022 and March 2023

The National Desk; Migrant Crisis	01/18/24	10,11	2:33	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports on House Republicans continue their push to impeach DHS Secretary Alejandro Mayorkas as more Democrats raise concerns about security at the border. A new poll in California shows an overwhelming majority of voters there say the border isn't secure and there's more fallout in areas far away from the border where migrants are being sent.
The National Desk; Tax Shutdown	01/18/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens how a potential government shutdown could affect the upcoming tax season. According to the IRS Commissioner, such a shutdown would cause significant disruption.
The National Desk; FCT Facebook Lawsuit	01/18/24	10,11	1:12	The Fact Check Team reports A Chicago man has taken legal action against 27 women, a male relative, and multiple tech companies, alleging defamation stemming from posts on the private Facebook group "Are We Dating the Same Guy?"
The National Desk; FCT Facebook Lawsuit	01/18/24	10,11	1:14	The Fact Check Team reports that to prove defamation, you typically need to show a false statement was made about you, it harmed your reputation, and the person making the statement was careless about its truthfulness.
The National Desk; MARCH FOR LIFE	01/19/24	10, 11	2:46	Correspondent Kayla Gaskins reports on the annual March for Life takes place in snowy Washington today. One Republican senator lays out a blueprint for how his party should approach the abortion issue in upcoming elections.
The National Desk; GA Prosecutor	01/19/24	10, 11	1:57	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on the district attorney and lead prosecutor in the Trump election interference case in Georgia are accused of misconduct. The judge overseeing the case announced he's holding a hearing to address those accusations next month.
The National Desk; FCT Al's impact on jobs/stock market	01/19/24	10, 11	1:11	The Fact Check Team explains a new IMF report warns that Ai will impact almost 40% of jobs around the world, whether that be replacing them or complimenting them
The National Desk; FCT Al's impact on jobs/stock market	01/19/24	10, 11	1:20	The Fact Check Team reports that the largest tech stocks (the "Magnificent 7") did extremely well in

				2023, ending the year with gains between 48% and 249%
Jan. 22-26				
The National Desk;	01/22/24	10, 11	1:33	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on jobs that do not exist. According to a recent survey, around 50% of companies list jobs they don't necessarily intend to fill, or "ghost jobs," because they're "always open to new people." Ghost jobs can also occur when recruiters forget to take listings down.
The National Desk; FCT Fani Willis	01/22/24	10, 11	1:05	The Fact Check Team reports a court motion filed earlier this month alleges that Fani Willis had an "improper" romantic relationship with a special prosecutor she hired in the Trump election case
The National Desk; FCT Fani Willis	01/22/24	10, 11	1:03	The Fact Check team says some legal experts think this could be an ethics violation, per the state Bar of Georgia's code of ethics (conflict of interest)
The National Desk; HOUTHI ATTACKS	01/23/24	10, 11	2:10	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on US and UK are going after Houthi targets in Yemen over what they see as an escalation of violence in the region. The Houthis for their part say it is retaliation for violence in Gaza and they are not going to surrender.
The National Desk; FCT Swatting	01/23/24	10, 11	1:12	The Fact Check team reports that last week, DC fire and EMS responded to the White House after a 911 call falsely claimed there was a fire
The National Desk; FCT Swatting	01/23/24	10, 11	1:10	The Fact Check team reports on There is no federal law that criminalizes swatting – Sen. Rick Scott introduced a proposal to crack down on it
The National Desk; DRUG PRICE INCREASES	01/23/24	10, 11	1:45	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into the recent increases in prices for various commonly used medications such as Ozempic and Mounjaro. According to a report by 46brooklyn Research for The Wall Street Journal, the price of Ozempic has gone up by 3.5% to nearly \$1,000 for a month's supply.
The National Desk; NIKKI HALEY PATH FORWARD	01/24/24	10, 11	1:51	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on Haley says she has no plans to toss in the towel following Tuesday's defeat in New Hampshire. Not many see a path forward for Haley – 2 nd place does not win a nomination.

The National Desk; FCT Education Funding	01/24/24	10, 11	1:10	The Fact Check team reports on for the fiscal year 2024, the Department of Education received over \$81 billion in funding which accounts for less than 1% of the total federal budget.
The National Desk; FCT Education Funding	01/24/24	10, 11	1:30	The Fact Check team reports on preliminary data from the Census Bureau, shows there is a wide range of spending per student across states.
The National Desk; RESTAURANT COVID CHALLENGES	01/24/24	10,11	1:31	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on a recent report from Yelp that shows there were 53,793 new restaurant openings in 2023 across the country, which is a 10% increase compared to 2022.
The National Desk; SOCIAL MEDIA & KIDS	01/25/24	10,11	2:37	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on NY's mayor say social media is an "environmental health toxin" And states like Florida are on the cusp of banning teens from using it (We expect to have a package from WPEC later and it could be used as a sidebar. Meta faces lawsuit in New Mexico for alleged failure to protect minors
The National Desk; DISENGAGED WORKERS	01/25/24	10,11	1:31	Reporter Janae Bowens reports new numbers from Gallup show not engaged or actively disengaged employees cost businesses about \$1.9 trillion in lost productivity.
The National Desk; FCT Death Penalty	01/25/24	10,11	1:24	The Fact Check Team reports Kenneth Eugene Smith is the first death row inmate to face execution by nitrogen gas in Alabama
The National Desk; FCT Death Penalty	01/25/24	10,11	1:16	The Fact Check Team reports more states are looking for new ways to execute death row inmates because the lethal injection is super unreliable
The National Desk; ZYN BATTLE	01/26/24	10,11	1:44	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on Zyn whipping up a political furor. Top Democrats want to crackdown on the nicotine substitute, arguing the product targets kids. That as Gen-Z – a must have voting bloc for Democrats and there's growing backlash from them and a powerful Democratic senator.
The National Desk; FCT: Tax Season	01/25/24	10,11	1:15	The Fact Check Team talks about Individuals with remote jobs might face double taxation on the same

				income, once for their residence location and another for the location of their office
The National Desk; FCT: Tax Season	01/25/24	10,11	1:20	The Fact Check Team explains 34 states will see notable tax changes in 2024, with 14 states reducing individual taxes.
Jan. 29-31				
The National Desk; DIMINISHED BLACK VOTER SUPPORT FOR PRESIDENT BIDEN	01/29/24	10,11	1:09	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on black voter support for Biden has waned and will possibly switch support to Trump.
The National Desk; FCT Cellphones in school	01/29/24	10,11	1:05	The Fact Check Team reports, according to federal data, 77% of schools ban cellphones during the 2019-2020 school year
The National Desk; FCT Cellphones in school	01/29/24	10,11	1:03	The Fact Check Team says Virginia, Kentucky and Washington have proposed banning phones in schools
The National Desk; Interview	01/30/24	10, 11	3:48	Anchor interviews Jonathan Lord on the drone attack that killed 3 U.S. soldiers.
The National Desk; SOCIAL MEDIA TOLL ON CHILDREN	01/30/24	10,11	2:44	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on parents and lawmakers concerns about social media and exploitation of kids before heads of social media companies testify in a Senate hearing.
The National Desk; WINTER HEATING COSTS	01/30/24	10,11	1:15	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on homeowners worried about higher utility bills during winter. The National Energy Assistance Directors Association states that propane, electricity, and heating oil costs are expected to be higher this winter compared to last Winter.
The National Desk; FCT UNRWA Funding Cuts	01/30/24	10,11	1:01	The Fact Check Team reports that a recent intelligence document from the Israeli government, several United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) employees were involved in the October 7th Hamas attacks
The National Desk; FCT UNRWA Funding Cuts	01/30/24	10,11	1:19	The Fact Check Team says at least 15 countries, including the United States, have suspended funding for the UNRWA.
The National Desk; SOCIAL MEDIA & KIDS	02/01/24	10,11	2:25	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on the reactions of the parents whose kids have been victims of social media exploitation and or bullying after heads of social media companies were grilled in Senate.

The National Desk; MENTAL TELEHEALTH	02/01/24	10,11	1:40	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on Some medical experts are pushing for out-of-state telehealth to help address the mental health care worker shortage
The National Desk; FCT Tax Season	02/01/24	10,11	0:57	The Fact Check Team reports A majority of Americans think their taxes are too high, according to an AP-NORC poll.
The National Desk; FCT Tax Season	02/01/24	10,11	1:05	The Fact Check Team says, according to the AP-NORC poll, roughly one third of taxpayers think they do not receive enough value from paying taxes.
The National Desk; House Speaker	01/02/24	10,11	2:57	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on the new House Speaker elected.
The National Desk;	01/02/24	10,11	1:40	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on
The National Desk; FCT GenZ Finances	01/02/24	10,11	1:03	The Fact Check Team reports A new Wallethub survey found GenZ is the least financially confident generation, with more than 1 in 4 saying they aren't confident about their knowledge/skills
The National Desk; FCT GenZ Finances	01/02/24	10,11	1:11	The Fact Check Team says new research from Bank of America shows that 73% of GenZs are changing their spending habits to keep up with prices
The National Desk; Interview	01/02/24	10, 11	4:21	Anchor interviews former Boeing employee Ed Pierson on the Max model.

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Feb. 05-09				
The National Desk;	02/05/24	10,11	0:00	Correspondent Kayla Gaskins reports on new poll out
TRUMP/BIDEN POLLS				as of Sunday shows Trump leading Biden in a head to
				head matchup. Trump also holds leads in who would
				handle top priorities for voters such as immigration,
				economy and foreign policy. Biden's strength is fueled
				by woman voters, but his glaring weakness is young &
The Nettern Deed	02/05/24	10.11	4.20	Latino voters.
The National Desk;	02/05/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on Dartmouth has
COLLEGE TEST SCORES				become the first Ivy League school to reinstate
	00/07/04	10.11	0.50	standardized testing, per the Wall Street Journal.
The National Desk; FCT	02/05/24	10,11	0:59	The Fact Check Team reports that the immigration
Immigration court				court backlog has passed 3 million cases.
backlogs				
The National Desk; FCT	02/05/24	10,11	1:02	The Fact Check Team says the immigration court
Immigration court	02/03/24	10,11	1.02	system has been dealing with backlogs for years but
backlogs				the load started getting significantly worse in 2019 and
Sacriogo				2020
The National Desk;	02/05/24	10, 11	3:46	Anchor interviews criminal defense attorney Bob
Interview		,		Bianchi on Jennifer Crumbley trial.
The National Desk; FCT :	02/06/24	10,11	1:01	The Fact Check Team reports the current national debt
National Debt				is over \$34 trillion.

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The National Desk; FCT National Debt	02/06/24	10,11	0:53	The Fact Check Team says FDR added the most to the national debt in terms of percentage increase (over 1000%). The New Deal was a significant contributor, but the biggest was WW2.
The National Desk; Trump	02/06/24	10,11	2:47	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports a federal
Immunity Rejected	5=,55,= 1			appeals court rules former president trump is not
				immune from prosecution in the criminal case alleging
				he tried to overturn the results of the 2020 election.
The National Desk;	02/06/24	10,11	1:45	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on a case where a new
CUSTODY CASE CONTROVERSY				york father says he lost custody over a disagreement
CONTROVERST				with his son's gender transition it's a complicated case with
				both parents pointing fingers.
The National Desk; FCT PRESIDENTIAL POLLS	02/07/24	10,11	1:18	The Fact Check Team reports new NBC polling shows President Biden trailing behind former President Trump on several key issues.
The National Desk; FCT	02/07/24	10,11	1:30	The Fact Check Team says according to Gallup,
PRESIDENTIAL POLLS	02/07/24	10,11	1.50	incumbents with an approval rating of 50% or higher a
11120152111111121 0220				year out from the presidential race have usually won
				reelection.
The National Desk;	02/07/24	10,11	0:00	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports about the
				hostage reports that says dozens are dead. Families of
				hostages are on Capitol Hill underscoring with
				lawmakers the urgent need to find a path to get
				hostages released.
The National Desk; FCT	02/08/24	10,11	1:13	The Fact Check Team reports some employers are
College degrees for jobs				ditching college degree requirements instead
The Notice of Deals FCT	02/00/24	10.11	1.13	embracing skills-based hiring.
The National Desk; FCT	02/08/24	10,11	1:12	The Fact Check Team says at least 16 states no longer
College degrees for jobs				require a four-year degree for most state government jobs in efforts to improve access and retention.
The National Desk;	02/08/24	10,11	0:00	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports big pharma
The National Desk,	02/08/24	10,11	0.00	CEOS will be on the Hill today to answer questions in a
				Senate committee over the price of prescription drugs.
The National Desk;	01/08/24	10,11	3:24	Anchor interviews former Deputy Attorney General of
Interview				Maryland Thiruvendran Vignarajah to discuss Biden
				classified cases.

The National Desk; FCT Super Bowl	02/09/24	10,11	1:23	The Fact Check Team reports the average cost of a 30- second ad spot during the Super Bowl this year was \$7 million, meaning a single second cost more than \$200,000
The National Desk; FCT Super Bowl	02/09/24	10,11	1:15	The Fact Check Team says according to the American Gaming Association, nearly 68 million adults (26%) plan to bet on the Super Bowl this year – 35% higher than last year.
Feb.12-16				
The National Desk; DUMPING ON TEMU	02/12/24	10,11	2:24	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports controversy swirls following Temu's multiple commercials during the Super Bowl. The Chinese company was already long under fire from watchdogs and Congress for its business practices that include suspicion of forced and labor and abuse of Americans' data.
The National Desk; FCT 25 th amendment	02/12/24	10,11	1:28	The Fact Check Team reports 25 th amendment deals with presidential vacancy, disability and inability. It addresses what happens if the president dies, resigns, becomes incapacitated or is unable to do their job.
The National Desk; FCT 25 th amendment	02/12/24	10,11	1:13	The Fact Check Team says the first three sections of the 25 th amendment have been used before (6 times in total) but section 4 has never been used.
The National Desk; FCT FOOD PRICES	02/13/24	10,11	1:20	The Fact Check Team reports according to the latest CPI report, food prices have risen by 0.4% this month.
The National Desk; FCT FOOD PRICES	02/13/24	10,11	1:22	The Fact Check Team says Grocery prices have risen as well, with the food at home index, which largely accounts for money spent on groceries, up 0.4% from December. The prices rose 1.2% over the last year. However, data from January 2023 paints a bleaker picture comparatively – with prices up 11.3% during the preceding twelve months.
The National Desk; Interview	02/13/24	10,11	1:00	Anchor interviews John Boyd on struggles of Black Farmers.(changed to double VOSOT)
The National Desk; MENTAL FITNESS OF CANDIDATES	02/14/24	10,11	2:54	Correspondent KAYLA GASKINS reports Republicans aim to continue messaging about President Biden's mental fitness while Democrats will counter with comparing Biden to Trump

The National Desk;	02/14/24	10,11	1:38	Reporter Janae Bowens reports millions of borrowers
STUDENT LOANS				did not make their first student loan payment after the
				pandemic. High prices for basic needs are a key factor.
The National Desk; FCT Migrant costs	02/14/24	10,11	1:20	The Fact Check Team Denver has received close to 40,000 migrants, which is the most per capita out of any city in the U.S.
The National Desk; FCT Migrant costs	02/14/24	10,11	1:31	The Fact Check Team says New York City has spent at least \$1.45 billion to help migrants – much of that on shelters and food.
The National Desk; Interview	02/14/24	10,11	2:45	Anchor interviews Marianna Sanchez who was at the KC Parade with her son and husband.
The National Desk; FANNI	02/15/24	10, 11	2:35	Correspondent KRISTINE FRAZAO reports on Georgia
WILLIS / TRUMP CASE				DA Willis the lead on the Trump election interference
				case against former President Donald Trump is in court
				today and could be disqualified following allegations
				that she has personally profited from the case as it
				intertwined with a romantic relationship she's had with
				the special prosecutor.
The National Desk; INMATE DEATHS	02/15/24	10, 11	2:05	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on a new watchdog report has revealed how the Federal Bureau of Prisons failed to prevent the suicide deaths of more than 200 inmates.
The National Desk; FCT Medically assisted death	02/15/24	10, 11	1:06	The Fact Check Team reports Medically assisted death is the option for a terminally ill patient to request a prescription from their doctor that they can take at home to end their life
The National Desk; FCT Medically assisted death	02/15/24	10, 11	1:05	The Fact Check Team reports 19 states are considering bills to allow medically assisted death, with eyes especially on Maryland, Massachusetts, New York, Minnesota and Virginia (where lawmakers have previously considered it but didn't pass it)
The National Desk; Biden Cognitive Test	02/16/24	10, 11	2:37	Reporter Janae Bowens reports Some believe President Biden should submit to a cognitive test. The White House says Biden will not comply with that request.

				What's in a cognitive test and what can we tell from the results?
The National Desk; FCT BEZOS' TAX SAVINGS	02/16/24	10, 11	1:23	The Fact Check Team reports Amazon founder Jeff Bezos has made headlines with his decision to move to Miami, Florida, after nearly three decades in Seattle. The move is projected to save him approximately \$600 million in taxes.
The National Desk; FCT BEZOS' TAX SAVINGS	02/16/24	10, 11	1:09	The Fact Check team says in addition to Florida, a handful of other states do not have a capital gains tax including Alaska, New Hampshire, Nevada, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, and Wyoming.
Feb.19-23				
The National Desk; INVASIVE STUDY OF COVID VACCINES	02/19/24	10, 11	2:28	Reporter Janae Bowens reports largest global study to date found that Covid vaccines were linked to small increases in neurological, blood and heart related conditions.
The National Desk; FCT Russia's economy and Western sanctions	02/19/24	10, 11	1:12	The Fact Check team reports President Biden is considering additional sanctions on Russia following the death of opposition leader Navalny.
The National Desk; FCT Russia's economy and Western sanctions	02/19/24	10, 11	1:21	The Fact Check team reports Russia has diversified its trade away from the West, focusing more on partnerships with China. Trade between China and Russia hit a record high of \$240 billion last year.
The National Desk; CHINA'S CYBER THREAT	02/20/24	10,11	2:33	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports FBI Director Christopher Wray warning that cyberattack potential from China are at "a scale greater that we've seen before" and malware is in place to disrupt critical infrastructure in America.
The National Desk; FCT Auto insurance/car theft	02/20/24	10,11	1:11	The Fact Check Team reports that a Bankrate report found U.S. drivers are paying an average of \$2,543 a year for car insurance, which is a 26% increase from last year
The National Desk; FCT Auto insurance/car theft	02/20/24	10,11	1:33	The Fact Check Team reports Car thefts increased 23% last year (according to data from the Council on Criminal Justice)
The National Desk; DOCTOR BURNOUT	02/21/24	10,11	1:45	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into how AI can assist the 93% of doctors who are experiencing burnout. Many of these doctors are under immense stress and are even

				considering leaving the profession. This could further worsen the healthcare industry, which is already experiencing a shortage of doctors.
The National Desk; FCT Red sea shipping crisis	02/21/24	10,11	1:27	The Fact Check Team reports earlier this week, Iran- backed Houthi militants carried out a military drone operation against several American warships – the latest in a series of attacks on shipping in the Red Sea
The National Desk; FCT Red sea shipping crisis	02/21/24	10,11	1:22	The Fact Check Team reports the Houthis are a Shia militia based in Yemen, which is one of the poorest countries in the Middle East
The National Desk; PRESIDENT'S BROTHER TO BE DEPOSED IN REPUBLICAN IMPEACHMENT INQUIRY	02/21/24	10,11	2:42	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports James Biden sat with the investigators on Capitol Hill and said that Joe Biden never had any involvement in his business ventures.
The National Desk; FINANCIALLY DISTRESSED CITIES	02/22/24	10,11	1:23	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into the top cities that have the most financial distress.
The National Desk; FCT ALABAMA SUPREME COURT RULING/IVF	02/22/24	10,11	1:05	The Fact Check Team reports that central to the case is Alabama's Wrongful Death of a Minor Act, which the court ruled could be applied in this context, classifying an embryo as a child.
The National Desk; FCT ALABAMA SUPREME COURT RULING/IVF	02/22/24	10,11	1:15	The Fact Check Team reports while the ruling doesn't render in vitro fertilization illegal, it raises concerns about the procedure's future in Alabama.
The National Desk; Global Debt	02/22/24	10, 11	2:35	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports new numbers out show debt held by governments around the world at a record high. This includes US & China
The National Desk; RUSSIA/UKRAINE WAR ANNIVERSARY	02/23/24	10, 11	2:31	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on the 2-year anniversary of the war President Biden announces new sanctions against Russia. That as Congress still deciding over whether to send more cash to Ukraine. The anniversary of the war is tomorrow. Some question how effective previous sanctions have been against Russia and what is the end game.
The National Desk; FCT Food allergies	02/23/24	10, 11	1:13	The Fact Check Team reports the FDA approved Xolair – which is commonly used to reduce symptoms of asthma – to treat people with food allergies

The National Desk; FCT Food allergies	02/23/24	10, 11	1:03	The Fact Check Team reports there are 9 major food allergens recognized here in the U.S.: milk, eggs, fish, crustacean shellfish, tree nuts, peanuts, wheat, soybeans and sesame) – they account for 90% of allergic reactions
Feb. 26-29				
The National Desk; AFFORDABLE CONNECTIVITY	02/26/24	10, 11	1:53	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into the Affordable Connectivity Program, which currently helps 23 million low-income households with their internet bills. However, the funding for this program is expected to run out by April.
The National Desk; FCT Russia	02/26/24	10, 11	1:21	The Fact Check Team report the U.S. imposed new sanctions on Russia, targeting around 500 people and organizations including firms involved with Russia's weapons manufacturing, finance and import sectors
The National Desk; FCT Russia	02/26/24	10, 11	1:11	The Fact Check team says the economy is still doing well because, for one, Russia replaced a lot of western trade with China (trade between the 2 countries hit a record high of \$240 billion last year)
The National Desk; TECHNOLOGY AIDING RUSSIA	02/27/24	10, 11	2:50	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports Intel, Texas Instruments and other technology produced by US companies is being discovered in Russian weapons in its war with Ukraine. How are the products winding up in Russian hands with multitudes of sanctions? A Senate committee suspects the companies pushed out even more exports after the war began two years ago.
The National Desk; FCT AI/Bias	02/27/24	10, 11	1:20	The Fact Check team reports Google pulled its AI tool "Gemini" offline last week after users noticed historical inaccuracies and questionable responses
The National Desk; FCT AI/Bias	02/27/24	10, 11	1:20	The Fact Check team reports According to IBM, AI bias – also referred to as "machine learning bias" or "algorithm bias" can be found in the initial training data, the algorithm or the content the algorithm produces
The National Desk; HOMEOWNING OBSTACLES	02/27/24	10, 11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on a recent survey has shown that more than half of those who aspire to own a home believe that the cost of living is too high, or their income is insufficient to afford a home. Despite

				wage growth, there are still obstacles to
				homeownership such as high home prices, mortgage
				rates, student loans, and credit card debt.
The National Desk; Hunter	02/28/24	10, 11	2:29	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports on Hunter Biden
Biden Testimony				testifying before the House Oversight Committee
				behind closed doors -this as part of the investigation
				into the Biden family business deals
The National Desk; FCT	02/28/24	10, 11	1:21	The Fact Check team reports Florida's legislature
SOCIAL MEDIA BANS				passed a bill that would ban children under the age of
				16 from creating social media accounts and require
				platforms to shut down existing accounts that are
				reasonably known to belong to a child.
The National Desk; FCT	02/28/24	10, 11	1:22	The Fact Check team reports This bill draws
SOCIAL MEDIA BANS				constitutional challenges from critics, calling it a free
				speech violation.
The National Desk; IVF	02/28/24	10,11	1:45	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into new polling that
POLL				shows the majority of Americans think frozen embryos
				should not be considered children following the
				controversial Alabama ruling. Some fear the ruling
				could prevent couples from getting IVF services, but
				advocates of the ruling say this is not the case.
The National Desk; U.S.	02/29/24	10,11	2:40	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports new numbers
Economy				out show inflation is trending up and some say caution
-				is needed when thinking the economy has healed and
				there are renewed concerns about whether a 'soft
				landing' is achievable.
The National Desk;	02/29/24	10,11	1:15	Reporter Janae Bowens reports more than 53,000
Colorectal Cancer				Americans are expected to die from colorectal cancer
				this year. More than 75% of those who will die this
				year from colorectal cancer will be behind on their
				screenings. Detection is key so I will be looking into a
				new blood test that is easier than your traditional,
				uncomfortable colonoscopy test.
The National Desk; FCT	02/29/24	10,11	1:16	The Fact Check Team reports Legislatures across the
School Bills				country are considering bills that would impact what
				children learn in schools.
The National Desk; FCT	02/29/24	10,11	1:10	The Fact Check Team reports There are also some
School Bills				school bills that don't have to do with what kids learn.

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Mar. 01				
The National Desk; Migrant Crisis	03/01/24	10,11	2:17	Reporter Janae Bowens reports the Georgia nursing student who was murdered allegedly at the hands of man living in the US without documentation Laken Rily, her funeral services are being held today. Migrants committing crimes in the US is now a top political issue.
The National Desk; FCT Missouri Law	03/01/24	10,11	1:20	The Fact Check Team reports A Missouri law dating back to the 1970s, mandates that pregnant women cannot finalize divorces. While couples can initiate the process, the divorce remains pending until after childbirth.
The National Desk; FCT Missouri Law	03/01/24	10,11	1:05	The Fact Check Team says, Missouri Representative Ashley Aune introduced a bill to remove pregnancy as a barrier to divorce.
Mar. 04-08				
The National Desk; OTC BIRTH CONTROL	03/04/24	10,11	1:34	Reporter Janae Bowens looking into the new over-the-counter birth control pills that will be available in stores this month. "The drug represents a milestone that reproductive activists have pursued for decades and comes as women's fertility is at the center of a national conversation on abortion and in vitro fertilization."
The National Desk; Police officer deaths	03/04/24	10,11	1:18	The Fact Check Team reports according to the National Law Enforcement Memorial Fund, 136 officers (federal, state, county, municipal, military, tribal and campus) died in the line of duty last year
The National Desk; FCT Police officer deaths	03/04/24	10,11	1:19	The Fact Check Team says officer deaths are placed into one of two categories: felonious or accidental
The National Desk; Interview	03/04/24	10, 11	0:00	Anchor interviews

The National Desk; LOAN DENIALS	03/05/24	10,11	1:34	Reporter Janae Bowens looking into loan denials, which have increased to 50% since the Federal Reserve began raising interest rates in March 2022. This includes denials for various types of loans such as credit cards, personal loans, debt consolidation, mortgages, and so on.
The National Desk;	03/06/24	10,11	2:30	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports on President
Biden SOTU Speech				Biden prepares for tomorrow night SOTU speech
				facing big issues such as the border, economy & crime
				as well as his age.
The National Desk;	03/06/24	10,11	1:45	Reporter Janae Bowens discusses on voters who chose
Biden Uncommitted				not to support President Biden and instead voted
Votes				uncommitted. This was in protest of the
				Administration's handling of Gaza.
The National Desk; FCT Down-Ballot Races	03/06/24	10,11	1:17	The Fact Check Team reports new NBC polling shows President Biden trailing behind former President Trump on several key issues.
The National Desk; FCT Down-Ballot Races	03/06/24	10,11	1:27	The Fact Check Team says according to Gallup, incumbents with an approval rating of 50% or higher a year out from the presidential race have usually won reelection.
The National Desk;	03/06/24	10,11	1:45	Reporter Janae Bowens discusses that some people
EXTREME POLITICIANS				have been concerned about the future of bipartisan
				deal-making in politics following the upcoming
				departures of Sen. Kyrsten Sinema, Sen. Joe Manchin,
				and Sen. Mitt Romney. This has also led to questions
				about whether moderates have a place in the political
				landscape and if extreme politicians will dominate the
				future of politics.
The National Desk; Mergers	03/07/24	10,11	1:24	The Fact Check Team reports the U.S. government recently filed a lawsuit to block a \$25 billion merger between supermarket giants Kroger and Albertsons.

The National Desk; Mergers	03/07/24	10,11	1:27	The Fact Check Team says the decision to block or allow mergers ultimately lies with the courts, which evaluate various factors to determine whether a business has monopoly power.
The National Desk; Border Poll	03/08/24	10,11	1:15	The Fact Check Team reports A poll from Fox News found 81% of voters blamed Congress for the situation at the border, while 72% blamed Biden
The National Desk; Border Poll	03/08/24	10,11	1:31	The Fact Check Team says A February poll from Gallup found that 28% of Americans said immigration is the most important issue in America, up from 20% in January and only 9% in August.
Mar. 11-15				
The National Desk;	03/11/24	10,11	1:38	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on the hearing with
WORLDWIDE THREATS				testimony from National Intelligence Director Avril
				Haines, CIA Director William Burns, FBI Director
				Christopher Wray, National Security Agency Director
				Timothy Haugh, Defense Intelligence Agency Director
				Lt. Gen. Jeffrey Kruse and Assistant Secretary of State
				for Intelligence and Research Brett Holmgren.
The National Desk; FCT TikTok Ban	03/11/24	10,11	1:20	The Fact Check Team reports Biden released his \$7.3 trillion FY 2025 budget on Monday.
The National Desk; FCT TikTok Ban	03/11/24	10,11	1:14	The Fact Check Team says the president's budget is nothing more than a policy tool used to express their goals
The National Desk;	03/12/24	10,11	1:38	Reporter Janae Bowens looks at the growing
Assumable Mortgages				popularity of home loans that pass on their mortgage
				rate from a home seller to a buyer. They effectively
				allow buyers to inherit a far lower interest rate at a
				time when mortgage rates are higher than 7%, but
				there are a few cons you have to look out for.

The National Desk; Biden's budget	03/12/24	10,11	1:27	The Fact Check Team reports A New York couple's real estate purchase of a \$2 million home turned into a legal battle when the previous owner's caretaker claimed rights to the property.
The National Desk; Biden's budget	03/12/24	10,11	1:23	The Fact Check Team says Squatters' rights, including adverse possession, vary by state.
The National Desk; Presidential Race 2024	03/13/24	10,11	2:26	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports the rematch between Biden and Trump but a new poll shows that the choices are split into thirds.
The National Desk; Squatters' rights	03/13/24	10,11	1:16	The Fact Check Team reports A New York couple's real estate purchase of a \$2 million home turned into a legal battle when the previous owner's caretaker claimed rights to the property.
The National Desk; Squatters' rights	03/13/24	10,11	1:06	The Fact Check Team says Squatters' rights, including adverse possession, vary by state.
The National Desk; Interview	03/13/24	10,11	2:26	Anchor interviews Professor Shawn Janzen on TikTok Ban Bill.
The National Desk; FCT	03/14/24	10,11	1:20	The Fact Check Team reports
The National Desk; FCT Migrant costs	03/14/24	10,11	1:31	The Fact Check Team says
The National Desk; Interview	03/14/24	10,11	2:45	Anchor interviews
The National Desk;	03/14/24	10, 11	2:05	Reporter Janae Bowens reports
The National Desk; FCT Medically assisted death	02/15/24	10, 11	1:06	The Fact Check Team reports Medically assisted death is the option for a terminally ill patient to request a prescription from their doctor that they can take at home to end their life
The National Desk; FCT Medically assisted death	02/15/24	10, 11	1:05	The Fact Check Team reports 19 states are considering bills to allow medically assisted death, with eyes especially on Maryland, Massachusetts, New York, Minnesota and Virginia (where lawmakers have previously considered it but didn't pass it)
The National Desk; Biden Cognitive Test	02/16/24	10, 11	2:37	Reporter Janae Bowens reports Some believe President Biden should submit to a cognitive test. The White House says Biden will not comply with that

				request. What's in a cognitive test and what can we tell from the results?
The National Desk; FCT BEZOS' TAX SAVINGS	02/16/24	10, 11	1:23	The Fact Check Team reports Amazon founder Jeff Bezos has made headlines with his decision to move to Miami, Florida, after nearly three decades in Seattle. The move is projected to save him approximately \$600 million in taxes.
The National Desk; FCT BEZOS' TAX SAVINGS	02/16/24	10, 11	1:09	The Fact Check team says in addition to Florida, a handful of other states do not have a capital gains tax including Alaska, New Hampshire, Nevada, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, and Wyoming.
Mar.18-22				
The National Desk; TRUMP "BLOODBATH" COMMENT	03/18/24	10, 11	2:28	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on the reaction to Trump saying a Biden re-election would result in a "bloodbath" was swift and harsh, accusing the former president of fomenting violence. Trump's backers — and even some who are not Trump-friendly - are saying this is another example of his language being taken out of context, especially since the comment came amid an extended riff about the auto industry.
The National Desk; FCT Election	03/18/24	10, 11	1:33	The Fact Check team reports according to the latest Gallup poll, Biden's approval rating dropped to 38% (1 point away from his lowest rating)
The National Desk; FCT Election	03/18/24	10, 11	1:03	The Fact Check team reports 2024 is set to be a Trump vs. Biden rematch, but it wouldn't be the first
The National Desk; Meta drug Investigation	03/19/24	10,11	2:39	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports on the federal government investigation into Meta for possible facilitation and profiting of the sale of illegal drugs on its social media platforms.
The National Desk; FCT Foreclosures	03/19/24	10,11	1:21	The Fact Check Team reports according to a new market report from ATTOM, there were almost 33,000 properties with foreclosure filings in February – down 1% from the month before but up 8% from a year ago.
The National Desk; FCT Foreclosures	03/19/24	10,11	1:04	The Fact Check Team reports the states that saw the biggest decrease in repossessions in February include Georgia (down 52%), New York (down 41%), North

				Carolina (down 34%), New Jersey (down 28%) and
				Maryland (down 26%)
The National Desk;	03/19/24	10,11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into why women are
Women at work				getting fewer promotions and raises this year.
The National Desk; FCT	03/20/24	10,11	1:22	The Fact Check Team reports An executive order is an
Executive orders				official directive – issued by the president as the head
				of the Executive branch – that shapes policy,
				essentially instructing federal officials/agencies to act
				or not act
The National Desk; FCT	03/20/24	10,11	1:34	The Fact Check Team reports the president cannot use
Executive orders	33, 23, 2	-0,		an executive order to completely close the border
				because of existing asylum law
The National Desk; TO	03/20/24	10,11	2:27	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports Lawmakers on
, , , ,		,		the House Oversight Committee public hearing that
				included testimony from two of Hunter Biden's former
				business partners. Hunter Biden declined to appear.
The National Desk;	03/21/24	10,11	1:23	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into
The National Desk; FCT	03/19/24	10,11	1:05	The Fact Check Team reports that central to the case is
ALABAMA SUPREME				Alabama's Wrongful Death of a Minor Act, which the
COURT RULING/IVF				court ruled could be applied in this context, classifying
				an embryo as a child.
The National Desk; FCT	03/19/24	10,11	1:15	The Fact Check Team reports while the ruling doesn't
ALABAMA SUPREME				render in vitro fertilization illegal, it raises concerns
COURT RULING/IVF				about the procedure's future in Alabama.
The National Desk;	03/19/24	10, 11	2:35	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports new numbers
Global Debt				out show debt held by governments around the world
				at a record high. This includes US & China
The National Desk;	03/19/24	10, 11	2:31	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on the 2-year
RUSSIA/UKRAINE WAR				anniversary of the war President Biden announces
ANNIVERSARY				new sanctions against Russia. That as Congress still
				deciding over whether to send more cash to
				Ukraine. The anniversary of the war is tomorrow.
				Some question how effective previous sanctions have
				been against Russia and what is the end game.

The National Desk; FCT Food allergies	03/19/24	10, 11	1:13	The Fact Check Team reports the FDA approved Xolair – which is commonly used to reduce symptoms of asthma – to treat people with food allergies
The National Desk; FCT Food allergies	03/19/24	10, 11	1:03	The Fact Check Team reports there are 9 major food allergens recognized here in the U.S.: milk, eggs, fish, crustacean shellfish, tree nuts, peanuts, wheat, soybeans and sesame) – they account for 90% of allergic reactions
Mar. 25-29				
The National Desk; AFFORDABLE CONNECTIVITY	02/26/24	10, 11	1:53	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into the Affordable Connectivity Program, which currently helps 23 million low-income households with their internet bills. However, the funding for this program is expected to run out by April.
The National Desk; FCT Russia	02/26/24	10, 11	1:21	The Fact Check Team report the U.S. imposed new sanctions on Russia, targeting around 500 people and organizations including firms involved with Russia's weapons manufacturing, finance and import sectors
The National Desk; FCT Russia	02/26/24	10, 11	1:11	The Fact Check team says the economy is still doing well because, for one, Russia replaced a lot of western trade with China (trade between the 2 countries hit a record high of \$240 billion last year)
The National Desk; TECHNOLOGY AIDING RUSSIA	02/27/24	10, 11	2:50	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports Intel, Texas Instruments and other technology produced by US companies is being discovered in Russian weapons in its war with Ukraine. How are the products winding up in Russian hands with multitudes of sanctions? A Senate committee suspects the companies pushed out even more exports after the war began two years ago.
The National Desk; FCT AI/Bias	02/27/24	10, 11	1:20	The Fact Check team reports Google pulled its AI tool "Gemini" offline last week after users noticed historical inaccuracies and questionable responses
The National Desk; FCT AI/Bias	02/27/24	10, 11	1:20	The Fact Check team reports According to IBM, AI bias – also referred to as "machine learning bias" or "algorithm bias" can be found in the initial training data, the algorithm or the content the algorithm produces

The National Desk; HOMEOWNING OBSTACLES	02/27/24	10, 11	1:30	Reporter Janae Bowens reports on a recent survey has shown that more than half of those who aspire to own a home believe that the cost of living is too high, or their income is insufficient to afford a home. Despite wage growth, there are still obstacles to homeownership such as high home prices, mortgage rates, student loans, and credit card debt.
The National Desk; Hunter Biden Testimony	02/28/24	10, 11	2:29	Correspondent Kristine Frazao reports on Hunter Biden testifying before the House Oversight Committee behind closed doors -this as part of the investigation into the Biden family business deals
The National Desk; FCT SOCIAL MEDIA BANS	02/28/24	10, 11	1:21	The Fact Check team reports Florida's legislature passed a bill that would ban children under the age of 16 from creating social media accounts and require platforms to shut down existing accounts that are reasonably known to belong to a child.
The National Desk; FCT SOCIAL MEDIA BANS	02/28/24	10, 11	1:22	The Fact Check team reports This bill draws constitutional challenges from critics, calling it a free speech violation.
The National Desk; IVF POLL	02/28/24	10,11	1:45	Reporter Janae Bowens looks into new polling that shows the majority of Americans think frozen embryos should not be considered children following the controversial Alabama ruling. Some fear the ruling could prevent couples from getting IVF services, but advocates of the ruling say this is not the case.
The National Desk; U.S. Economy	02/29/24	10,11	2:40	Correspondent Ahtra Elnashar reports new numbers out show inflation is trending up and some say caution is needed when thinking the economy has healed and there are renewed concerns about whether a 'soft landing' is achievable.
The National Desk; Colorectal Cancer	02/29/24	10,11	1:15	Reporter Janae Bowens reports more than 53,000 Americans are expected to die from colorectal cancer this year. More than 75% of those who will die this year from colorectal cancer will be behind on their screenings. Detection is key so I will be looking into a new blood test that is easier than your traditional, uncomfortable colonoscopy test.

The National Desk; FCT	02/29/24	10,11	1:16	The Fact Check Team reports Legislatures across the
School Bills				country are considering bills that would impact what
				children learn in schools.
The National Desk; FCT	02/29/24	10,11	1:10	The Fact Check Team reports There are also some
School Bills				school bills that don't have to do with what kids learn.