



HEALTHY NEWSWORKS VOLUNTEER EDITORS

Healthy NewsWorks is making a difference in children's lives. Our health-focused journalism program provides young students in under-resourced schools with skills and confidence that are critical to their academic success and will help them develop as citizens who can strengthen communities.

Healthy NewsWorks is seeking volunteers with strong professional editing experience. The ideal volunteers will not only have the experience and qualifications described below but will be excited about ensuring that as many students as possible gain necessary skills to navigate and succeed in an ever more demanding world.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Healthy NewsWorks is seeking experienced editors to assist our staff and school partners in one or more of the areas below:

- Edit and give feedback on student work.
- Collaborate with Healthy NewsWorks staff to develop journalism skills.
- Review and edit Healthy NewsWorks curriculum.
- Proofread student newspapers, magazines, and other media.
- Copyedit Healthy NewsWorks materials (e.g., newsletters, reports).

QUALIFICATIONS

Professional editing experience is required. A background in journalism is preferred.

LOCATION

Volunteers will work primarily from a remote location. Opportunities are available to visit classrooms.

HOURS

Flexible.

SIGN UP TO HELP

Please send an email to: Editor@healthynewsworks.org

QUESTIONS?

Please contact: John LaChine, Chief of Staff, editor@HealthyNewsWorks.org

ABOUT HEALTHY NEWSWORKS

The mission of Healthy NewsWorks is to empower elementary and middle school students to become researchers, writers, critical thinkers, and confident communicators who advance health understanding and literacy through their factual publications and digital media. Healthy NewsWorks is a nonprofit organization that:

- Equips students with journalism skills, including interviewing, researching, writing, and discerning facts.
- Focuses on health promotion, including issues that affect personal and public health.
- Promotes health equity, by its focus on schools that serve children from under-resourced communities and through the work of student journalists.