Did you know?

- 71% of young adults in France, 54% in the U.S., and 26% in Nigeria get their news from social media. (Pew Research Center)
- After reading fake news and real news, over 30% of students said the fake news was more trustworthy. (Stanford)
- Political coverage gets low ratings for fairness in France, Germany, the U.K., the U.S., and countries in the Middle East, Africa, Asia and Latin America. (Pew Research Center)
- 78% of Americans have never spoken with or been interviewed by a journalist. (Pew Research Center)
- Tues., Oct. 1, 2019 is News Engagement Day, a day to:
 - (1) emphasize the importance of engaging with news;
 - (2) meet journalists & learn about journalism;
 - (3) learn techniques to identify real news;
 - (4) celebrate a free & independent press.

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