Media training:

Journalism and credibility

The workshop took place on February 11th, 2021

Workshop participants: 8th A class

The students were divided into 4 groups and they picked the following topics of their news:

1. **Topic**: Animal shelter – Dumovec

**Who to ask for information**: the shelter managers, employees, volunteers, people   
 who adopted dogs, people who live near the shelter

**What to ask** - How many animals are in the shelter, how can we improve the working   
 conditions in the shelter, are there enough people who can adopt dogs, do the   
 volunteers need additional help, are the people living nearby bothered by the   
 barking?

**What photos to put alongside the text** –caged dogs, dogs with their new owners

1. **Topic**: Will eighth graders have their confirmation this year?

**Who to ask for information**: priest, religion teacher, eight graders, their parents

**What to ask** – How many people will be allowed in the church, when will the date of   
 the confirmation be known, will all confirmands have the same dresses?

**What photos to put alongside the text** – church of st. Michael, parson, confirmands

1. **Topic**: New coronavirus variants

**Who to ask for information**: minister Beroš, school doctor, epidemiologist,   
 COVID-19 survivors

**What to ask** – How contagious is the new coronavirus variant, is the new vaccine effective, have we reached herd immunity?

**What photos to put alongside the text** – minister Beroš, doctor, COVID-19   
 surviving student

1. **Topic**: Young people want to go to excursion

**Who to ask for information**: Ministry of education, principal, classmasters, students  
 and their parents

**What to ask** – Why are excursions forbidden, will they be allowed in June, can   
 students, with the help of their teachers, organize the excursion by themselves,   
 where do students want to travel?

**What photos to put alongside the text** – the Ministry building, students on   
 excursions, Croatian national sights