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Date and time of viewing\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ News Review**

**Pick one of these channels news programs and watch it for 30 minutes
CIRCLE: BBC America Al Jazeera America PBS**

1. List the stories in the order presented. How many minutes were given to each topic?

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2. Pick one story and describe the beginning, middle and end of the story.

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