

Newsquiz - Week of January 1

Is This Legit? -- Regular viewers of CNN Student News know that we sometimes ask, "Is this legit?" This week's Newsquiz challenges you to call upon your news knowledge to determine whether each of the following statements is "Legit" or "Not legit." For an extra challenge, if the statement is "Not legit," state the reason why or offer words that would make it "Legit."
Write your answers in the spaces provided.

1. Gerald Ford was the only U.S. president never elected to either the presidency or the vice presidency.
2. Talk show host Oprah Winfrey opened her Leadership Academy for Girls in Nigeria.
3. An 18-year-old became the youngest person to sail across the Atlantic Ocean.
4. Former President Gerald Ford was laid to rest near his presidential museum in Grand Rapids, Michigan.
5. Representatives who were sworn in yesterday are part of the 109th Congress.
6. Nancy Pelosi is the first female speaker of the House.
7. The Constitution states that those elected to Congress must take an oath of office on a holy book.
8. The National Guard was called in to drop bales of hay to snow-stranded livestock in Colorado.
9. Former Iraqi dictator Saddam Hussein was executed after he was found guilty of crimes against humanity.
10. This week, millions of Hindus headed to the Indus River for a holy ritual.