

**Activity #2: Which web sites are reliable and which are hoaxes?**

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**Directions:**

1. Type in any browser the following URL's.
2. Place the title of the web site and write either true (reliable) or false (hoax).
3. Then give one reason why you think the web site is true or false by looking at the web site for accuracy, bias and content.

1. **<http://www.velcro.com>**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Reliable or hoax? \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. **<http://www.theonion.com/content/node/49180>**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Reliable or hoax? \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. **<http://buydehydratedwater.com>**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Reliable or hoax? \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. **<http://www.fs.fed.us>**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Reliable or hoax? \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

5. [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Boiling\\_point](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Boiling_point)

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Reliable or hoax? \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

6. <http://www.dhmo.org>

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Reliable or hoax? \_\_\_\_\_

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

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