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Media Watch

Short Answer Key

1. The media reports on government actions and informs the public if leaders break the law or misuse their power.
2. During Watergate, reporters uncovered a government scandal. Their reporting helped expose the truth, leading to Nixon's resignation.
3. The media shares different opinions and explanations about laws, helping people decide if they support or oppose them.
4. To make sure news is correct and not misleading, since sometimes mistakes or false reports happen.
5. Without the media, the government might not be held accountable, and people wouldn't know what their leaders are doing.

