

**US Government
Fall 2019
Calendar and Assignment List
UNIT 2- POLITICAL PARTIES, IDEOLOGY & VOTING**

DATE	ACTIVITY	ASSIGNMENT DUE
M 9/30	EQ #7- What is a political party? What do US political parties do?	*Notes *Political Ideology Quiz (online and Reflection Q's)
T 10/1	*What is political ideology? What does it mean to be conservative, moderates and liberal? What is libertarian? What is authoritarian?	N/A
W 10/2	EQ #7- Why does the US have a two-party system?	*Two-Party System Article Q's **Last day to make up Unit 1 Test
TH 10/3	Special Assignment- Impeachment	Work time
F 10/4	Special Assignment- Impeachment	Assignment due
M 10/7	EQ #7- finish notes *Strengths and weaknesses of the two-party system; what is divided government?	*Notes & Summary *Political Typology Quiz & Reflection
T 10/8	EQ #8- What is a minor party? What roles do they play in a two-party system?	*Notes *Venn Diagram Major v. Minor Parties
W 10/9	*What are the types of minor parties in the US? Why don't they last?	*Open Notes Quiz Ch 5- Political Parties *INB Due (EQ #1-6)
TH 10/10	NO SCHOOL / MID TERM GRADES	
F 10/11	NO SCHOOL / STATEWIDE INSERVICE	
M 10/15	*EQ #9- Who votes in the US? How has the right to vote changed? *Brief history of Right to Vote *Intro Voting Rights Timeline project	*Read Ch 6.1- Voting
T 10/16	*Which amendments have expanded voting rights in the US? *Voting Rights Project work time	*Read Ch 6.2

W 10/17	No Classes / College & Career Day *Instructional Access / Office Hours	IA / Office Hours 1-2:30 p.m.
TH 10/18	Voting Rights Project Work Time	Work on project...
F 10/19	*Voting Rights Project Poster presentation and gallery walk of others	*Voting Rights Poster due today
M 10/22	*EQ #9 Who Votes in US--African Americans / Civil Rights Movement	*Register to Vote-Q's and Do
T 10/23	* <i>A Time for Justice</i> film Civil Rights Movement *Wrap Up EQ #9	*Film Notes *Who Votes Activities
W 10/24	*EQ #10- What is Voter Turnout in US? Why isn't it higher?	*Project Fair Vote Q's
TH 10/25	*EQ #10 - How do different groups eq vote?	*Graph Statements *Article Responses
F 10/26	EQ #11- What is a general election? What is a primary?	*Notes *Graphic Organizer
M 10/29	Unit 2 Review *Study Guide Work time	*Study Guide work time
T 10/30	*Unit 2 Test	Unit Two Test -Voting Rights and Behavior (Ch 5 & 6) *Study Guide Due today