GOVERNMENT DAILY ACTIVITIES LIST Yamhill Carlton High School

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Class Syllabus

Winter 2020

Government Activities

Jan 27, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Judicial Branch
- I can understand how to Brief a Supreme Court Case

Activities

Case Studies Final assessment

Jan 25, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Judicial Branch
- I can understand how to Brief a Supreme Court Case

Activities

- 10 Supreme Court Cases every Teen Should Know reading
- Reflection fto teacher

Jan 21, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Judicial Branch
- I can understand how to Brief a Supreme Court Case

Activities

- Discussion on briefing of Supreme Court Cases
- Group briefing activity
- Individual briefing assessment

Jan 20, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Executive Branch

Activities

- Finish Movie--13 Days (President's cabinet)
- Worksheet with movie

Jan 19, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Executive Branch
- I can understand how the Electoral College works

Activities

- Finish Executive Branch/Cabinet talk with Movie--13 Days
- Worksheet with movie

Jan 15, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Executive Branch
- I can understand how the Electoral College works

Activities

Electoral College Summative Assessment--Should we change the system?

Jan 14, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

• I can analyze and explain current events in the world

- I can determine the duties of the Executive Branch
- I can understand how the Electoral College works

- Short discussion on the Electoral College
- Electoral College Reading and worksheet

Jan 13, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Executive Branch
- I can understand the jobs of the cabinet members

Activities

- Short discussion on the President's cabinet
- Cabinet activity

Jan 12, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Executive Branch

Activities

Executive Branch and the Constitution--you will need textbook

Jan 11, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Executive Branch

Activities

- Intro to Executive Branch
- Executive order group activity

Jan 8, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Legislative Branch

Activities

Short presentations on bills

Jan 7, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Legislative Branch

Activities

Research Bill Activity--will present tomorrow

Jan 5, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Legislative Branch

Activities

- Short "how a bill becomes a law" discussion
- Short video
- Legislative packet worktime

Jan 4, 2021

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can determine the duties of the Legislative Branch

Activities

- Beginning unit Legislative Branch
- Reading and Worksheet

Dec 18, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

• I can analyze and explain current events in the world

- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Founding Fathers essay--summative

Dec 17, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Activities

Founding Fathers essay--summative

Dec 16, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Activities

- Finish any Framer/Amendments presentations
- Assign Founding Fathers essay--summative

Dec 15, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Activities

- Framer/Amendments presentations
- Influences discussion

Dec 14, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Activities

Framer/Amendments presentations

Dec 11, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Activities

Presentation worktime--presentations on Monday

Dec 10, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Activities

• Assigning of Framers/Amendments summative presentation

Dec 9, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution.

Activities

• We the People Textbook Reading and Worksheet

Dec 8, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand different views about constitution

Activities

- Mini Lecture on Feds and Anti-Feds
- Activity "Debating the Constitution" Summative

Dec 7, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist
- I can understand how important John Locke was to the Founding Fathers

Activities

• Reading and worksheet on John Locke

Dec 4, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can differentiate between Federalists and Anti-Federalist

Activities

- Group activity regarding Britain
- Group activity on Declaration of Independence
- Video

Dec 3, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can research information regarding our Founding Fathers

- Founding Fathers Lecture
- Activity around the "Feuding Founding Fathers"

Dec 2, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can recognize the influences that helped form our government
- I can research information regarding our Founding Fathers

Activities

- Founding Fathers Lecture
- We the People Lesson #2 reading and worksheet

Nov 30, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can appraise different types of interest groups
- I can recognize different types of interest groups and compare to my interests
- I can research information regarding our Founding Fathers

Activities

- Finish Interest group presentations
- We the People reading and worksheet

Nov 20, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can appraise different types of interest groups
- I can recognize different controversies within interest groups

Activities

- Founding Fathers intro
- Interest Group Summative Assessment worktime

Nov 19, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

I can analyze and explain current events in the world

- I can appraise different types of interest groups
- I can recognize different controversies within interest groups

• Interest Group Summative Assessment

Nov 18, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can appraise different types of interest groups
- I can recognize different controversies within interest groups

Activities

- Group breakout on Interest Groups
- Interest Group Activity (prep for Summative)

Nov 16, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can appraise what is a reliable source

Activities

- Term current event reminder
- Reliable source current event activity

Nov 13, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can appraise what is a reliable source

Activities

- Group analysis on Right side/Left side
- Red Feed/Blue Feed activity

Nov 12, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

• I can analyze and explain current events in the world

• I can appraise what is a reliable source

Activities

- Talk on reliable sources
- Influences of Media video/assignment
- Decoding Media Bias

Nov 10, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can appraise what is a reliable source

Activities

- I can recognize influences in my life that make me choose different things
- Government knowledge-pre test

Nov 9, 2020

Learning Objective(s)

- I can analyze and explain current events in the world
- I can appraise what is a reliable source

Activities

- Meet & Greet
- Syllabus