

Grade Course Pacing Guide

1 st / 3 rd Quarter	College Board Standards	Lesson Focus	Additional Notes
Week 1	I	Concepts of Gov't/Federalism	
Week 2	I: A; D; E	Federalism/Constitutional Underpinnings	
Week 3	I: D; B; C II: A; B	Constitutional Underpinnings/Political Beliefs and Behaviors	
Week 4	II: C; D; E	Political Culture/ Political Participation-Voting/elections	
Week 5	III: A; 1,2,3,4,5	Political Parties/ Political Action Committees	
Week 6	III: B; C	Mass Media/Interest Groups	
Week 7	IV	Congress-Informal/Formal Powers/Reapportionment/Gerrymandering	
Week 8	IV	Congress-Committees/Budget/Process of a Bill becoming a Law	
Week 9	IV	Federal Bureaucracy	
End of Quarter			
2 nd / 4 th Quarter	College Board Standards	Lesson Focus	Additional Notes
Week 1	IV	Presidency/Executive Branch- Informal/Formal Powers/Roles of the President	
Week 2	IV	Presidency/Executive Branch-Structure and Function/Executive Privilege	
Week 3	IV	Executive-Structure/Policy and Institutions/Agencies and Corporations	
Week 4	IV	Federal Judiciary-Structure of Federal court System/Judicial Review	
Week 5	IV	Federal Judiciary-Supreme Court: Cases; Justices	
Week 6	V	Policy Making/Agendas; Civil Liberties	
Week 7	VI	Civil Liberties/Civil Rights	
Week 8	VI	Review	

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	Week 9			
	End of Quarter			
	End of Semester	Semester Exam		