

POLS 1101 (Online) Introduction to American Government	Goal/Objective – Knowledge Of	Outcomes Reflecting Goal	Assignments Demonstrating Achieving Outcome
	Development of U.S. Political and Legal Systems, U.S. Constitution, and Federalism	Understand the effect of British Common Law, Policies, & Political Institutions has on American constitutional design, representative democracy, free-market economic system, & intergovernmental relations	Multiple Choice Examination: Students are required to correctly distinguish & identify fundamental elements of American constitutional design, representative democracy, free-market economic system, & intergovernmental relations
	Congress, Presidency, Bureaucracy, and Supreme Court	Understand distinct powers, roles, & interactions of American political institutions (Federal, State, County, Municipal)	Multiple Choice Examination: Students are required to correctly distinguish & identify distinctly different & similar powers, roles, & interactions of American political institutions (Federal, State, County, Municipal)
	Roles of Public Opinion, Media, Interest Groups, Elections, and Political Parties	Understand the affect of public opinion, media, interest groups, elections, and political parties on American Political Behavior & Political Institutions (Individually & Collectively, Internally & Externally)	Multiple Choice Examination: Students are required to correctly distinguish & identify varied affects of public opinion, media, interest groups, elections, and political parties on American Political Behavior & Political Institutions (Individually & Collectively, Internally & Externally)
	Civil Liberties and Civil Rights	Understand the affect of the American Political & Legal System on Civil Liberties & Civil Rights (Individually & Collectively)	Multiple Choice Examination: Students are required to correctly distinguish & identify varied affects of the American Political & Legal System on Civil Liberties & Civil Rights (Individually & Collectively)
	Social, Economic and National Security Policies	Understand basic national policies and how they are enacted and change	Identification Test: Be able to correctly define public policy and the components of national policy