Section 1: Definitions

1. Be able to explain the differences between the different types of government
   a. Constitutional Monarchy –
   b. Dictatorship –
   c. Direct Democracy –
   d. Monarchy –
   e. Oligarchy –
   f. Representative Democracy –
   g. Theocracy –
   h. Totalitarian Régime –

2. What is a country? A state?

3. What is a constitution and why is it important to have?

4. Be able to write a definition for government.

5. Be able to use and explain the following words:
   a. Capitalism
   b. Economy
   c. Judicial
   d. Law
   e. Legislature
Section 2: Core American Values

6. In your own words be able to describe the importance of the core American Values
   a. Individualism
   b. Achievement and Success
   c. Activity and Work
   d. Efficiency and Practicality
   e. Science and Technology
   f. Progress
   g. Material Comfort
   h. Humanitarianism
   i. Freedom
   j. Democracy
   k. Equality
   l. Racism and Group Superiority

Section 3: Foundations

7. For each of the following topics describe what ideas or concepts they contributed to the formation of
   the American Government
   a. Ancient Athens
   b. Rome
   c. England
   d. John Locke
   e. Baron de Montesquieu
   f. Jean Jacques Rousseau
   g. Thomas Paine
   h. Mayflower Compact
   i. The Magna Carta
   j. The Iroquois Confederacy (Honors)
Section 4: Declaring Independence

8. Be able to explain why the following factors pushed the colonists to demand independence
   a. Restricted Movement
   
   b. No Taxation Without Representation
   
   c. Boston Massacre

9. Be able to explain the significance of the Declaration of Independence
   a. What did it do?

Section 5: Creating a Government

10. What were the articles of Confederation?

11. Why did they fail?

12. Be able to identify arguments for (Federalists), or against (Anti-Federalists) a new constitution.