

Dear Parents,

The following is a stock (not comprehensive) list of videos that may be shown- in full or segments- during the school year. Please keep in mind that this is a college course and material can be controversial/sensitive. If you have concerns about any of these, please contact me. I will have an alternate assignment for your student to fulfill that requirement.

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| _____ Gideon's Trumpet | _____ West Wing |
| _____ Crash Course US Government | _____ Swing Vote |
| _____ Twelve Angry Men | _____ Dave |
| _____ Mr. Smith Goes to Washington | _____ A More Perfect Union |
| _____ The American President | _____ Lincoln |
| _____ School House Rocks | _____ John Stossel video clips |
| _____ Frontline: Gunned Down 2015 | _____ The People & Power Game 1996* |
| _____ PBS Eyes on the Prize | _____ Select comedy clips |
| _____ News clips from various news stations | _____ Gerrymandering videos |
| _____ National Geographic Solitary Confinement | _____ CBS 60 Minutes |
| _____ The Rainmaker | _____ The War Room (Universal) 1994* |
| _____ Eyes on the Prize I & II PBS 1987* | _____ TED Talks |
| _____ Children's Story, James Clavell | _____ Liberty! The American
Revolution: Are We to be a Nation?
PBS 1997* |

AP Government Class (Social) Contract

LOR-1.A.1: The U.S. government is based on ideas of limited government, including natural rights, popular sovereignty, republicanism, and social contract. *“To love our neighbor as ourselves is such a truth for regulating human society, that by that alone one might determine all the cases in social morality”.* - John Locke, Philosopher of the Social Contract

Student PRINTED name: _____ ID #: _____

_____ I entirely read and understand the syllabus for AP US Government & Politics.

_____ I understand the academic commitment and expectations for my behavior within the class.

_____ I read and understand the gravity of the academic honesty & plagiarism policy

Student signature _____ Date _____

Parent PRINTED name _____

_____ I am aware of the academic honesty and plagiarism policy expected of my son/daughter.

_____ I am aware of the potential videos/movies that may possibly be viewed in class (see back).

_____ I understand my son/daughter is strongly encouraged to take the ~~\$94~~ AP test for college credit.

Registration deadline: November 15, 2019 (March 12, 2020 for Spring classes *only*)

Parent signature _____ Date _____



Parents: Please attend the OPEN HOUSE on campus Thursday, August 8th, 6:15 PM.

I am looking forward to meeting you and fielding your questions about AP Government.