

American Government Session 1

Weekly Breakdown

Credit:	½	Prerequisites:	None
Weeks:	6	Attendance:	Mandatory Weekly Attendance

Special Note:

Week 1

Module 1: KIOSK – General Announcements

Assignment	Points
Reading 1: Welcome to Washington, D.C	-
Assignment 1: Exploring Washington, D.C.	50
Reading 2: Motif and Course Information	-
Reading 3: Grading Policy	-
Assignment 2: Grading Policy	25
Reading 4: Your Portfolio	-
Assignment 3: Portfolio Assignment	25
Reading 5: Discussions	-
WEEK 1 TOTAL POINTS	100

Week 2

Module 2: THE METRO STATION – Orientation to the US Government Course

Assignment	Points
Reading 1: General Overview	-
Reading 2: Virtual Tours - A Must See	-
Reading 3: Your Travel Itinerary	-
Assignment 2: Becoming an American Citizen	100
Assignment 3: Reflections on Immigration	100
WEEK 2 TOTAL POINTS	200

Week 3

Module 3: JEFFERSON MEMORIAL – US Constitution

Assignment	Points
Reading 1: General Overview	-
Reading 2: What is Government?	-
Reading 3: What is the Purpose of Government?	-
Reading 4: An Outline of the US Constitution	-
Reading 5: Federalism	-
Reading 6: The Three Branches of Government	-
Assignment 1: Writers That Influenced Our Government	75
Assignment 2: Chart Comparing US Government	100
Assignment 3: Constitution Research Questions	100
WEEK 3 TOTAL POINTS	275

Week 4

Module 3: JEFFERSON MEMORIAL – US Constitution (Continued)

Assignment	Points
Assignment 1: Jefferson Memorial Quiz	100
Module 3 Total	100

Module 4: NATIONAL ARCHIVES – The Constitution in the News

Assignment	Points
Reading 1: General Overview	-
Assignment 1: Governments at Work	50
Reading 2: Keeping the Constitution Alive	-
Assignment 2: Bill of Rights Quiz	100
Module 4 Total	150
WEEK 4 TOTAL POINTS	250

Week 5

Module 4: NATIONAL ARCHIVES – The Constitution in the News (Continued)

Assignment	Points
Assignment 1: The Amendment Process	100
Assignment 2: Marriage & Family Amendment	75
Assignment 3: Student Survey	50
WEEK 5 TOTAL POINTS	225

Week 6

Module 5: THE AIRPORT – Preparation for the Final exam

Assignment	Points
Reading 1: Final Exam Hint #1	-
Reading 2: Final Exam Hint #2	-
Reading 3: Final Exam Hint #3	-
Reading 4: Final Exam Hint #4	-
Reading 5: Final Exam Hint #5	-
Assignment 1: Final Exam	100
WEEK 6 TOTAL POINTS	100