

American Government Unit 4

Time Frame	Unit	Standards	Evidence of Understanding	Assessment
		4		Used for entire unit:
December	Structure and Function of Federal Government	#14. Law and public policy are created and implemented by three branches of government; each functions with its own set of powers and responsibilities	Identify/describe each of 3 branches of gov't role in making law	daily review of essential question, quizzes, tests, student assignments/projects
		15. The political process creates a dynamic interaction among the three branches of government in addressing current issues.	Cite examples of compromise btw political parties/branches of gov't	
January				
	Civic Participation and Skills	4. The processes of persuasion, compromise, consensus building and negotiation contribute to the resolution of conflicts and differences.	Identify current issue-cite public opinion, political party stance, legislative action taken	
			Big Idea	
			Government is only effective when each branch takes action on current issues facing our nation. Compromise is a key component to making our gov't work	