

Unit 1 Political Journal

Name: _____

Remember, all entries need to be at least ½ page in length. Make sure you have used correct grammar, completely answered the question, and put thought into each entry.

DUE DATE: Wednesday, September 14

- August 26th** – In groups, answer whether you agree or disagree with the questions listed in the political survey on page 22 of your textbook.
- August 30th** – Where did we get our ideas about government? How did we create our current system of government?
- September 1st** – What do you think was the biggest cause of the American Revolution? How different would our country be today if we had not won?
- September 6th** – Immediately following the victory of the American Revolution, what problems do you think the new country faced? Explain.
- September 12th** – 1. Find the U.S. Constitution in your book and read the Preamble. 2. Ok, so what does this mean? Well, you're going to figure it out by re-writing the Preamble in your own words. Use language that you speak everyday and write this preamble so it makes sense for the common teenager.

Total: 50 points

Score: _____ / ___50___