

<p>public agenda and the role of political institutions, political parties, and special interest groups. (P)</p> <p>Summarize features of the election process in the United States, including the roles of the political parties, the nomination process, the Electoral College, and the campaigns; the issues of campaign funding; and trends in voter turnout and citizen participation. (P, H)</p>		
<p>THSWBAT:</p> <p>The student will be able to list basic, overlying, and far-reaching elements of the Constitution and explain how they are relevant and can be applied throughout history, especially presently.</p>	<p>Students will break into groups to examine documents from the National Archives website. Students will use the attached sheet to break down each of the following documents.</p> <p>Brown vs. Board of Education judgment: http://www.archives.gov/global-pages/larger-image.html?i=/historical-docs/doc-content/images/brown-v-board-of-education-1.jpg&c=/historical-docs/doc-content/images/brown-v-board-of-education.caption.html.</p> <p>Show cause order issued by Supreme Court to James Madison. http://www.archives.gov/global-pages/larger-image.html?i=/historical-docs/doc-content/images/marbury-v-madison-1.jpg&c=/historical-docs/doc-content/images/marbury-v-madison.caption.html.</p> <p>Henry Stimson's secret letter to Harry Truman. http://www.archives.gov/education/exhibit/stimson.html.</p>	<p>Assessments:</p> <p>The worksheets given to them in class and by their responses to verbal formative assessments throughout the lesson.</p>

	<p>Executive order 10730 regarding school desegregation in Arkansas in 1957. http://www.archives.gov/historical-docs/todays-doc/index.html?dod-date=923.</p> <p>President Johnson's nomination of Thurgood Marshal to become a Supreme Court Justice http://www.archives.gov/global-pages/larger-image.html?i=/historical-docs/doc-content/images/thurgood-marshall-sc-nomination-1.jpg&c=/historical-docs/doc-content/images/thurgood-marshall-sc-nomination.caption.html.</p>	
<p>Materials:</p> <p>Textbooks, worksheets, dry-erase board, dry-erase markers, Promethean Board and Projector</p>	<p>Accommodations for learning disabilities:</p> <p>None</p>	<p>Homework:</p>

Constitution

Connection to
Constitution

Big Idea

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