

## Government Year at a Glance (YAG) 2021-2022



First Semester		Second Semester		
1st Nine Weeks – 41 days		3rd Nine Weeks – 43 days		
August 16 <sup>th</sup> – October 13 <sup>th</sup>		January 3 <sup>rd</sup> – March 4 <sup>th</sup>		
(September 6 <sup>th</sup> – Labor day – No School) (October 11 <sup>th</sup> – Staff Development)		(January 17th – MLK – No School) (February 21th – President's Day/Staff Development)		
		(March 7 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> – Spring Break)		
<u>TEKS</u>				
	Foundations of American Democracy			
USG1A, USG1B, USG1C, USG1D, USG1E, USG1F, USG6A, USG6B, USG6C, USG6D, USG6E, USG6F, USG8A, USG8B, USG8C, USG8D, USG19A, USG19B, USG19C, USG19D, USG19E, USG 20A, USG 20B, USG 21A	*U1. The US Constitution limits the power of government and protects the rights of the individual in order to balance governmental power and individual rights. (USG 6D, USG 6F)  *U2. Federalism reflects the dynamic distribution of power between national and state governments. (USG 8B)  *U3. The Constitution created a competitive policy-making process of conflict and compromise to ensure the people's will is represented and that freedom is preserved. (USG 8A)			
USG2A, USG2B, USG3A, USG3B, USG3C, USG9A, USG9B, USG9C, USG10A, USG10B, USG11A, USG13B, USG13C, USG14A, USG14A, USG14B, USG19A, USG19D, USG19D, USG19D, USG19D, USG19D, USG20A, USG20B, USG20A, USG20B, USG21A	*U1. Political change occurs when people act to influence public policy. (USG 2B)  *U2. Geography influences politics and distribution of power. (USG 3C)  *U3A. Widely held political ideologies shape policy debates and choices in American policies.(USG 10A)  *U3B. Political parties provide opportunities for participation and influence how people relate to government and policy-makers.  (USG 10A)  *U4.Citizen beliefs about government are shaped by the intersection of demographics, political culture, and dynamic social change.(USG 14C)			
2 <sup>nd</sup> Nine Weeks – 42 de October 14 <sup>th</sup> – Decemb (November 22 <sup>nd</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> – (December 20 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> –	er 17 <sup>th</sup> - <i>Thanksgiving Break)</i>	4 <sup>th</sup> Nine Weeks – 51 days March 14 <sup>th</sup> – May 25 <sup>th</sup> (April 8 <sup>th</sup> – Battle of Flowers – No School) (April 15 <sup>th</sup> – Good Friday – No School) (May 30 <sup>th</sup> – Memorial Day – No School)		



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<u>TEKS</u>		<u>TEKS</u>	
	Interactions among Branches of		
	Government		
USG4A, USG4B,	*U1. The republican ideal in the U.S. is expressed		
USG4C, USG5A,	in the structure and operation of the legislative		
USG5B, USG7A, USG7B, USG7C,	branch. (USG7A)		
USG7D, USG7E,	*U2. The presidency has been enhanced beyond		
USG7F, USG,7G,	its expressed constitutional powers. (USG 7B)		
USG7H, USG17A	*U3. The design of the judicial branch protects		
USG17B, USG18A,	the Supreme Court's independence as a branch of		
USG18B,	government. (USG 7C)		
USG19A,	1 -		
USG19B, USG19C,	*U4. The emergence and use of judicial review		
USG19D, USG19E,	remains a powerful judicial practice. (USG 7C)		
USG 20A, USG	*U5. The branches of government must compete,		
20B, USG 21A	cooperate, and compromise in order to govern.		
	(USG 7E)		
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	( USG7H, USG 7E)		
	U3. While the role of the government in a free		
	enterprise system is limited, governmental policies in		
	the United States affect the economy.(USH 7G)		
	LIA LI C foreign policy is primarily focused on economic		
	U4. U.S. foreign policy is primarily focused on economic and military relationships with other regions of the		
	world (USG 7G)		
	U5. Governmental legislation, policies, and court		
	decisions have facilitated cultural changes in the United		
	States.(USG 16A)>>		
	Civil Liberties and Civil Rights		
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USG12A,	*U1. Provisions of the U.S. Constitution's Bill of		
USG12B,	Rights are continually being interpreted to balance		
USG12C, USG12D, USG12E,	the power of government and the civil liberties of		
USG12F, USG12G,	individuals. (USG 15B)		
USG15A,	*U2A. The Fourteenth Amendment's equal		
USG15B, USG16A,	protection clause as well as other constitutional		
USG16B,	provisions have often been used to support the		
USG19A,	advancement of equality( USG12F)		
USG19B,	*U2B. Protections of the Bill of Rights have been		
USG19C, USG19D, USG19E,	selectively incorporated by way of the Fourteenth		
USG 20A, USG	Amendment's due process clause to prevent state		
20B, USG 21A	infringement of basic liberties. (USG12G)		



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*U3. Public policy promoting civil rights is	
influenced by citizen-state interactions and	
constitutional interpretation over time. (USG 16B)	

Resources

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