Schiller Park District 81 Curriculum Map - 7th - U.S. and Illinois Constitutions

	Essentials Question	Content(Understanding s)	Skills(Know and Able to do)	Assessment	Resources (Curriculum)
September	What are the responsibilities of the national government? -What are the rights and principles of limited government? -What types of courts and judicial officials are at the federal, state, and local levels? -What is the value of our systems of checks and balances?	The government of the U.S. is a representative form of government, of, by, and for the people	-Events leading to establishing a new country and constitutionThe basic ideas of the Declaration of IndependenceParts of the U.S. Constitution -Function and duties of the 3 branches of government -Rights of the people as outlined in the Constitution -Rights and responsibilities of citizens	-Class work in the Constitution workbook -Extra work sheets for portfolio -Quizzes -Tests	-Text Our Federal and State Constitutions -Internet Gov. Site -supplemental materials uploaded -Knowing Your Government: Your Rights and Responsibilities -U.S.Government and Presidents -Citizenship Activities
October	-How are the President and Governor powers similar and different? -What are the requirements for candidates for local, state, and national offices? -What are the responsibilities of people as citizens? What is the organization of Illinois government?	The government of the U.S. is a representative form of government, of, by, and for the people The government of Illinois is based on the same format as the U.S. government. States have certain duties and responsibilities not specifically enumerated in the U.S. Constitution.	Explain the reasons for Amendments to the Constitution -Explain the basic ideas of the Declaration of Independence -Explain functions of the 3 branches of government -Explain limitations of federal and state governments -Explain the Bill of Rights -Explain the reasons for Amendments to the Constitution -The basic history of Illinois -Illinois statistics and Geography -History of the Constitutions of Illinois -Legislative Branch of Illinois -Executive Branch of Illinois -Judicial Branch of Illinois -Voting in Illinois -Municipal (Local) Government -Financing State and Local Government of Illinois	-Class work in the Constitution workbook -Extra work sheets for portfolio -Quizzes -Final U.S. Test.	-Text Our Federal and State Constitutions -Internet Gov. Site -supplemental materials uploaded -Knowing Your Government: Your Rights and Responsibilities -U.S.Government and Presidents -Citizenship Activities

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