

Teacher Name	Brownson	Unit Name	Courts & Bureaucracy
Course	AP Government	Dates	9/19 - 9/23

Monday	Daily Objective: Explain the term & selection process for the Supreme	
	Court & federal courts; describe the structure of the federal court	
	system	
	Agenda with Approximate Time Limits: What activities will your	
	students do?	
	Example:	
	 Do now – graphic organizer on term & selection process 	
	for fed. courts (5 minutes)	
	2. Unit 2 Test reflection (25 minutes)	
	3. Lecture/discussion on structure of court system (15)	
	4. Exit Ticket (up to 5 minutes)	
	Formative Assessment: Graphic organizer; questioning	
	Intervention: Grouping	
	Extension: discussion	
	Follow-Up/Homework: None	
Tuesday	Daily Objective: define key terms regarding the court system; explain	
	why the Framers chose life terms and judicial review for the courts	
	Agenda with Approximate Time Limits: Do now to define terms (10	
	minutes)	
	Fed 78 Analytical reading activity in pairs (30 minutes)	
	Review Fed 78 as a class (10 minutes)	
	Formative Assessment: discussion & review	
	Extension: how does this manifest in politics today?	
	Follow-Up/Homework: None	



Wednesday/Thursday	 Daily Objective: Explain the SCOTUS decision in Marbury v. Madison; explain the Supreme Court process; distinguish between judicial activism & restraint Agenda with Approximate Time Limits: Do now to review SC terms (10 minutes) Use oyez.org to review background & decision in Marbury v. Madison & discuss (20 minutes) Lecture/discussion on SC process (20) Pairs – come up with ways the other 2 branches can check the SCOTUS (15) Court system review on Canvas (15) Formative Assessment: questioning, discussion, court system review Extension: Follow-Up/Homework: Topic questions on AP classroom
Friday	Daily Objective: describe structure of bureaucracy; explain bureaucracy's rule-making power Agenda with Approximate Time Limits: Do now to define key elements of bureaucracy (10) Lecture/discussion on structure of bureaucracy (15) Read textbook online about bureaucracy's rule-making power, take notes (20) Review as a class (5) Formative Assessment: discussion, questioning, review Extension: examples Monday Follow-Up/Homework: