

**American Government Syllabus**  
**Room #210**  
**Mr. Schreppel**

**Course Outline:** The student will be able to identify the reasons for the founding of our Democratic Republic; to understanding the foundations of our Government; and be able to recognize trends, both political and social for our ever evolving federal system.

**Classroom Rules:** This classroom will be a controlled learning environment. If a student is unable to behave in such a manner he/she will be subject to disciplinary actions, and possible removal from the class.

1. No talking while the teacher is talking. (respect me & I'll respect you.)

2. When the bell rings each student must be in their own seats. (Unless you have a excuse signed by a teacher.) Tardies: refer to student handbook

3. No food, candy, **GUM**, or pop is allowed in the classroom.

4. No touching of any other students.

5. No cheating. (if caught refer to student handbook)

6. No throwing of any objects.

7. If a student misses a day of school, it is their responsibility to get homework, and notes they missed.

8. This is American Government, only American Government work is done in here.

9. **ACT LIKE SENIORS!!!!**

**You will be graded on:**

test, daily assignments, definitions, quizzes, projects, daily notes & participation.

**Quizzes:** Quizzes will be given randomly from the previous days notes.

**Notes:** Each student is responsible for taking notes during class time . Notes will be picked up at the end of each ~~class~~ for a grade. If a student should copy from the copier machine both students will lose those points.

**Folders:** A folder should be kept by each student that holds each test. Semester test will be from all previous test.

**Test:** If a student misses a test he/she will have 2 days to retake that test. If a student does not take the test within 2 days he/she will receive an automatic "F".