**American Government Unit 2 Exam Review Guide**

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6 Purposes of Government:

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Notes:

Articles of Confederation:

Dates:

1781 –

1787 –

1788 –

Importance of this purpose in particular:

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**Chp. 1,Sec. 2 Classifying Governments**:

The number of people that participate:

Dictatorship:

Democracy:

Republic:

Direct Democracy:

**Athenian Democracy**:

When did it began?

Who started it?

For what reasons was democracy instituted in Athens?

Actual meaning of Demokratia:

Responsibility of the Council of 500:

Responsibilities of the Assembly:

Requirements to be on the Council of 500:

Geographic Distribution of Power:

Unitary:

Federal:

Other countries that are Federal:

Confederate:

Name 2 times in U,S. History when there was a confederation (include dates):

Relationship between the Executive and Legislative Branches:

Presidential:

Parliamentary:

How does each system work?

What makes them different?

The amount of power that the Government possesses:

Authoritarian:

Liberal:

Totalitarian:

**On the test you will need to list @ least 5 specific examples from the “Letters from North Korea” that reflect totalitarianism:**

**Chapter 1 Sec. 3 (Concepts of Democracy)**

The 5 Concepts:

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Every individual’s rights may at times be subordinated to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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The 2 Equalities that every person must have:

3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Notes:

Every minority must have the chance to:

Tyranny of the Majority:

Examples:

4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Notes:

What can never be compromised?

5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Notes:

Example of swinging the fist:

Democracy places the highest importance on what freedoms

**Notes on Classification:**

The four methods: Classify the U.S. Government

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Autocracy:

Monarchy:

Examples of Monarchies:

Differences between absolute Monarchy and Constitutional Monarchy and which example goes with which type:

Dictatorship:

Difference between a dictatorship and a monarchy:

Examples of dictatorships:

How is the dictatorship of N. Korea similar to a monarchy?

Tyranny: (Definition and notes):

~~Muammar Gaddafi: (Notes)~~

Oligarchy: