**Government Pre-Test**  Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Who was the author of the Declaration of Independence?

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1. What is the name of the Vice President of the United States?

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1. How many people are required for a jury?

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1. What is the Electoral College and how does it work?

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1. What are the two Houses of Congress?

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1. Which Amendments make up the Bill of Rights?

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1. Who is the Governor of California?

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1. How many justices are on the Supreme Court?

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1. How many Senators are in Congress?

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1. How many Representatives are in the House?

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1. Name a few special interest groups.

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1. How are Supreme Court justices selected?

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1. How many Senators are from Wyoming?

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1. Who has the Constitutional right to declare war?

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1. What is the process of becoming a citizen called?

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1. What granted women the right to vote?

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1. What protects you from “incriminating yourself”?

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1. Who has veto power and what is it?

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1. What are the term limits for Senators? For Representatives? For the President?

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1. Name the three branches of government.

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1. Freedom of speech is protected by what?

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1. What is suffrage?

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1. Who is Sandra Day O’Connor?

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1. What was the 1st Constitution of the United States called?

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1. What does PAC stand for and what are they responsible for?

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1. What is the symbol of the Republican Party?

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1. What is the symbol of the Democratic Party?

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1. What does it take to override a veto?

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1. The “right to bear arms” is protected by what?

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1. What is the Presidential Cabinet and what do they do?

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1. What is the difference between an open and closed primary?

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