**AP Government Summer Assignment**

**Chapter Outlines of Textbook - Chapter 1, 7, 11, 14**

Throughout the AP US Government and Politics course, you will be outlining a college-level textbook that will aid in understanding the course content. There will be open-note textbook quizzes that you will take that you will be allowed to bring your outlines as a resource. In order to offset the workload during the year, you will be reading and outlining 4 chapters of the textbook. The instructions for your summer assignment are the following:

1. Go to the summer work page and find the 4 chapters of the textbook that have been pdf’ed. Download them so you have an electronic copy of your own. You will receive a hard copy of the textbook during the school year but for the summer you will use the digitized pdf version.

1. Read and outline chapters 1, 7, 11, and 14. You can either type on a Google Doc or do a physical copy in a notebook. You need to use a legitimate form of an outline using headings, subheadings, and examples. Do not re-write the entire textbook - pull out the important details and examples that help you understand the bigger concepts in the text. A template is listed below of a good outline format. I have color coded corresponding to the book so if you use this format, it will match the way the information is displayed in the text.
2. DO NOT PROCRASTINATE! This is a lot of reading but you are doing it over a 2 and ½ month period. Do a couple of pages a week and you will complete the outlines in plenty of time before the first day of school.

CHAPTER #: Title

1-1 Heading

* Detail
  + Example

Sub-Heading

* Keyword - definition
* Detail
  + Example

Sub-Heading

* Detail
* Detail
  + Example

1-2 Heading