

## **Summer Reading 2019 – Mr. Ferrari – A.P. U.S. Government and Politics**

*The information below will be a part of your first test.*

1. Read U.S. Constitution: Focus on Article I (Legislative), Article II (Executive) and Article III (Judicial Powers). Basically, you should be able to identify the major powers/functions of each branch.

<https://constitutioncenter.org/media/files/constitution.pdf>

2. Read Federalist Papers # 10, 51, 70, 78: I recommend answering the study questions at the bottom of the page (no study questions for #70 though). You should know the overall theme or argument for each one.

#10 - <https://teachingamericanhistory.org/library/document/federalist-no-10-2/>

#51 - <http://teachingamericanhistory.org/library/document/federalist-no-51/>

#70 - <http://teachingamericanhistory.org/library/document/federalist-no-70/>

#78 - <http://teachingamericanhistory.org/library/document/federalist-no-78/>

3. Read Brutus # 1 - <http://teachingamericanhistory.org/library/document/brutus-i/>  
Again, I recommend answering the study questions at the bottom of the page.

4. Know the constitutional question involved, ruling, and the effects of each court case below:

*McCulloch v. Maryland (1819)*

*United States v. Lopez (1995)*

*Engel v. Vitale (1962)*

*Wisconsin v. Yoder (1972)*

*Tinker v. Des Moines Independent Community School District (1969)*

*New York Times Co. v. United States (1971)*

*Schenck v. United States (1919)*

*Gideon v. Wainwright (1963)*

*Roe v. Wade (1973)*

*McDonald v. Chicago (2010)*

*Brown v. Board of Education (1954)*

*Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission (2010)*

*Baker v. Carr (1961)*

*Shaw v. Reno (1993)*

*Marbury v. Madison (1803)*

[Khan Academy Court Case Information](#)