

Civics EOC Vocabulary and Key Terms

**** By Reporting Category ****

Reporting Category	Vocabulary					
	EOC Content Focus (Recurring Content Focus)			Key terms (Recurring key terms)		
Origins and Purposes of Law and Government (25 %)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>amendment</u> • <u>Anti-federalist</u> • <u>antifederalist papers</u> • <u>checks and balances</u> • <u>civil law</u> • <u>Code of Hammurabi</u> • <u>coin and print money</u> • <u>constitutional law</u> • <u>“common defense”</u> • <u>common law</u> • <u>colonial complaints</u> • <u>constitution</u> • <u>constitutional articles</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>constitutional convention</u> • <u>constitutional government</u> • <u>debt</u> • <u>“domestic tranquility”</u> • <u>English Bill of Rights</u> • <u>English Common Law</u> • <u>Enlightenment</u> • <u>“establish justice”</u> • <u>federalism</u> • <u>federalist</u> • <u>federalist papers</u> • <u>founding fathers</u> • <u>“general welfare”</u> • <u>juvenile law</u> • <u>juvenile rights</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Magna Carta</u> • <u>military law</u> • <u>natural law</u> • <u>ordain</u> • <u>posterity</u> • <u>preamble (Constitution)</u> • <u>precedent</u> • <u>separation of powers</u> • <u>social contract</u> • <u>regulate</u> • <u>Roman Law</u> • <u>Shay’s rebellion</u> • <u>statutory law</u> • <u>tax</u> • <u>trade</u> • <u>unanimous</u> • <u>viewpoint</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Acts of Parliament</u> • <u>bicameral</u> • <u>boycott</u> • <u>colony</u> • <u>common law</u> • <u>compact</u> • <u>consent of the governed</u> • <u>delegates</u> • <u>democracy</u> • <u>electoral college</u> • <u>endowed</u> • <u>framers</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>grievances</u> • <u>independence</u> • <u>individual rights</u> • <u>just powers</u> • <u>legislature</u> • <u>liberty</u> • <u>limited government</u> • <u>monarchy</u> • <u>oppression</u> • <u>parliament</u> • <u>political systems</u> • <u>popular sovereignty (“We the people”)</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>preamble (Declaration of Independence)</u> • <u>ratify</u> • <u>repeal</u> • <u>self-evident</u> • <u>sovereign</u> • <u>tariff</u> • <u>taxation without representation</u> • <u>three-fifths compromise</u> • <u>unalienable</u>

Organization and Function of Government (25%)

- [Act of Congress](#)
- [Appeal](#)
- [appellate court](#)
- [appellate process](#)
- [approval of presidential appointments](#)
- [armed forces](#)
- [bail](#)
- [cabinet](#)
- [amendment article \(constitutional\)](#)
- [checks and balances](#)
- [Chief Justice](#)
- [circuit court](#)
- [coin and print money](#)
- [concurrent powers](#)
- [county court](#)
- [conference committee](#)
- [constitutional amendment process](#)
- [declare war](#)
- [delegated powers](#)
- [District Court of Appeals](#)
- [efficacy](#)
- [Elastic Clause](#)
- [enumerated powers](#)
- [federalism](#)
- [Florida Constitution](#)
- [Florida Declaration of Rights](#)
- [Florida Supreme Court](#)
- [foreign policy](#)
- [impeach](#)
- [implied powers](#)
- [judge](#)
- [judicial review](#)
- [jurisdiction](#)
- [justice](#)
- [lawmaking process](#)
- [majority leader](#)
- [majority vote](#)
- [mayor](#)
- [minority leader](#)
- [naturalization laws](#)
- [necessary and proper clause](#)
- [obligations](#)
- [pardon](#)
- [preamble \(US and Florida Constitution\)](#)
- [President pro Tempore of the Senate](#)
- [regulation of immigration](#)
- [regulation of trade](#)
- [reserved powers](#)
- [separation of powers](#)
- [services](#)
- [Speaker of the House](#)
- [standing committee](#)
- [special committee](#)
- [Supremacy Clause](#)
- [Supreme law of the land \(10th amendment\)](#)
- [statute](#)
- [steps in amending the Florida Constitution](#)
- [treaty](#)
- [trial court](#)
- [US Circuit Court of Appeals](#)
- [US District Court](#)
- [US Supreme Court](#)

- [acquittal](#)
- [affirmative action](#)
- [amend](#)
- [amnesty](#)
- [arraignment](#)
- [bill](#)
- [cloture](#)
- [Congress](#)
- [court order](#)
- [defendant](#)
- [District Attorney](#)
- [electoral college](#)
- [Executive Branch](#)
- [executive order](#)
- [filibuster](#)
- [felony](#)
- [grand jury](#)
- [House of Representatives](#)
- [Indictment](#)
- [injunction](#)
- [joint resolution](#)
- [Judicial Branch](#)
- [Law Legislative Branch](#)
- [line-item veto](#)
- [misdemeanor](#)
- [original jurisdiction](#)
- [voice vote](#)
- [pardon](#)
- [parole](#)
- [petition](#)
- [plaintiff](#)
- [pocket veto](#)
- [roll call vote](#)
- [Senate](#)
- [Senator](#)
- [special interest groups](#)
- [summary judgments](#)
- [veto writ of certiorari](#)
- [writ of habeas corpus](#)

Roles, Rights, and Responsibilities of Citizens (25%)

- [alien](#)
- [Amendment Process](#)
- [appellate process](#)
- [bail](#)
- [Bill of Rights](#)
- [Brown v. Board of Education](#)
- [Bush v. Gore](#)
- [caucus](#)
- [citizen](#)
- [Equal Rights amendment](#)
- [ex post facto law](#)
- [first amendment](#)
- [five freedoms \(amendment 1\)](#)
- [forced internment](#)
- [Gideon v. Wainwright](#)
- [Hazelwood v. Kuhlmeir](#)
- [immigrant](#)
- [precedent](#)
- [privacy](#)
- [property rights](#)
- [resident](#)
- [responsibilities](#)
- [right to bear arms](#)
- [right to legal counsel](#)
- [rights](#)
- [roles](#)
- [search and seizure](#)

- [amend](#)
- [amendment](#)
- [brief](#)
- [acquittal](#)
- [arraignment](#)
- [bill of attainder](#)
- [ensorship](#)
- [civics](#)
- [citizenship](#)
- [code](#)
- [complaint](#)
- [concurring opinion](#)
- [docket](#)
- [felony](#)
- [grand jury \(5th amendment\)](#)
- [illegal immigration](#)
- [immigration](#)
- [injunction](#)
- [international law](#)
- [internet law](#)
- [jurisprudence](#)
- [juvenile courts](#)
- [law](#)
- [naturalized citizen](#)
- [plaintiff](#)
- [political process](#)
- [prosecution](#)
- [poll tax](#)
- [public law](#)
- [racial profiling](#)
- [ratify](#)
- [representative](#)
- [reprieve](#)
- [resident alien](#)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civil Rights Act 1964 • Civil Rights Act 1968 • constitution • constitutional amendments • cruel and unusual punishment • District of Columbia v Heller • double jeopardy • due process • eminent domain • enumerated powers (9th amendment) • equal protection under the law 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In Re Gault • independent judiciary • Juries • law of blood • law of soil • Marbury v. Madison • Miranda v. Arizona • naturalization laws (14th amendment) • naturalization process • obligations • pleading the fifth • Plessy v. Ferguson 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • states' rights (10th amendment) • suffrage • summary judgment • summons • rule of law • selective service • trial by jury • Tinker v. Des Moines • US v. Nixon • Voting Amendments (13, 14, 15, 19, 24, 26) • Voting Rights Act 1965 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • consent • crime • cross-examine • deportation • defendant • democracy • discrimination • dissenting opinion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • legal system • libel • majority opinion • Miranda Rights (Rights of the accused) • misdemeanor • native-born citizens 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • segregation • slander • society • summons • testimony • tyranny • volunteerism • writ of habeas corpus
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<p>Government Policies and Political Processes (25%)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Absolute monarchy • agencies • alliances • allies • ambassadors • anarchy • Bay of Pigs • bias • campaign • communism • Communist Party • Confederal system • contemporary • diplomacy • course of action (public policy) • Cuban Missile Crisis • debates • Democratic Party • diplomat • direct democracy • doctrine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • human rights • International Red Cross/Red Crescent • Iran Hostage Crisis • issue • issue-based platform • international relations • Korean War • Libertarian Party • lobbying • lobbyist • Mayor • media • military operation • monarchy • monitoring • Non-governmental Organizations (NGO) • North American Free Trade 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • political communication • political parties • Prime Minister • propaganda • proposal • public policy • qualifications • representative democracy • republic • Republican Party • Secretary of State • socialism • Socialist Party • special interest groups • State Department • symbolism • terrorism • trade ban • treaty • Unitary system • United Nations (UN) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • absentee ballot • apathy • assessor • ballot • Board of Commissioners • candidate • censorship • city charter • city council • city government • commission • coroner • county • county clerk • county manager • dictatorship • District Attorney • elector 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • electoral college • electronic • exit poll • home rule • incorporate • incumbent • libel • mass media • metropolitan area • national committee media • nominated • ordinance • plank • platform • precinct • print media • public agenda 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • public opinion • recall • school district • sheriff • slander • special district • strong mayor system • superintendent • totalitarianism • town hall meetings • township • two-party system • weak mayor system • winner-take-all system
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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>domestic</u> • <u>domestic affairs</u> • <u>economics</u> • <u>elections</u> • <u>embassy</u> • <u>federal system</u> • <u>foreign affairs</u> • <u>foreign policy</u> • <u>funds</u> • <u>Gulf Wars 1 and 2</u> • <u>impact</u> • <u>International Non-Governmental Organizations (INGO)</u> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Agreement (NAFTA)</u> • <u>North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)</u> • <u>oligarchy</u> • <u>Parliamentary system</u> • <u>political action committees</u> • <u>political advertisements</u> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)</u> • <u>Vietnam War</u> • <u>watch dog</u> • <u>World Court, World Trade Organization (WTO)</u> • <u>World War I</u> • <u>World War II</u> | |
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