

Middlesex County Schools Curriculum Pacing Guide

Grade/Course U.S. Government

School Year 2009 - 2010

Time Frame	Unit/SOLs	SOL #	Strand	Essential Knowledge/ Understandings	Date of Common Formative Assessment (i.e. Unit Tests/Benchmark Tests)
4 wks	Foundations of American Government	1,2, 3,4, 5,7, 14, 17, 18, 19	1a-g,2a-f, 3a-e,4a-e, 5a-d,7c, 14a-d, 17a-g, 18a-g 19a-d		
2 wks	Political Behavior: Government By the People	1, 6,7, 8,9	1a-g 6a-l, 7c, 8d-e, 9a-c,e-f		
3 wks	The Legislative Branch	1, 7	1a-g, 7a-c		
3 wks	The Executive Branch	1,7, 9, 12, 16	1a-g 7a, 9d, 12a-b, 16a-d		
4 wks	The Judicial Branch	1, 7, 10, 11	1a-g 7a, 10a-e, 11a-e		
1 wk	Participating in State and Local Government	8	8a, b, c		

