**Understanding Our Government through Infographics**

***The Declaration of Independence, Constitution and Bill of Rights.***

Why was each created?

List at least 2 connections that can be made between these important documents.

***Who actually Votes in America? Are Americans doing it wrong?***

Give 2 examples that supports voting is dominated by the “rich, white guys” perspective.

Give an example that conflicts with this idea.

Why is the U.S. last in voter turnout compared to the other most developed nations?

How is this hurting our elections and ruining the process?

***Government: Who takes care of what?***

What items do all 3 control?

Who is in charge of the following items…

Taxes:

Voting:

Schools:

Transportation:

Marriage:

Emergency Services:

Prisons:

Military:

***Three Branches of Government***

What are the minimum requirements to serve in each branch?

Congress

Senate:

HOR:

President

Supreme Court

How long and for how many terms can you serve?

Congress

Senate:

HOR:

President

Supreme Court

***How does a bill become a law?***

At what points in this process, can a bill be denied or prevented from becoming a law?

Hint: There are 5

How is this process like creating an assignment for class?

***How to become President of the United States?***

What is a Caucus and a Primary?

Does this process benefit the perspective of the “rich, white, guy”? Why or why not?

***How the Supreme Court works?***

When would the Supreme Court hear a case?

Do all of the Justices have to initially agree when a case is being reviewed?

Once sharing his/her own opinion and hearing from the other justices, can he/she change their mind?