

**Adrian HS College Government Course Outline
Fall Semester 2016**

**Political Science 120 – American National Government
Southwest Minnesota State University, Marshall, MN**

Dates	Topic	Text Chapter	Quiz Due
9/7 – 9/12	The Founding of the Democratic Republic	1	9/7
9/13 – 9/20	Political Culture	4	9/13
9/21 – 9/27	Public Opinion	7	9/22
9/28	EXAM 1	1, 4, 7	
9/29 – 10/7	Political Participation	8	9/29
10/10 – 10/17	Political Parties	9	10/10
10/18 – 10/27	Elections & Campaigns	10	10/18
10/28 – 11/1	Election 2016 Group Project		Part A Due 11/1
11/3	MIDTERM EXAM	1, 4, 7-10	
11/4 – 11/7	Election Predictions		Due 11/7
11/8 – 11/9	Election Analysis & Recap		Part B Due 11/14
11/10 – 11/16	Civil Liberties/Civil Rights	5, 6	NO Quiz
11/17 – 11/29	U.S. Constitution	2	11/17
11/30 – 12/5	Federalism	3	12/1
12/6 – 12/13	U.S. Congress	13	12/6
12/14 – 12/23	The Presidency	14	12/15
	Mini-Thesis Paper		Due 12/22
1/3 – 1/10	The Judiciary	16	1/4
1/12	FINAL EXAM	1-10, 13, 14, 16	