

MELI'S CIVICS

THIS BLOG IS FOR MR. MELI'S CIVICS CLASSES AT BRIEN MCMAHON HIGH SCHOOL. HERE YOU WILL FIND ASSIGNMENTS, IMPORTANT LINKS AND OTHER INFORMATION THAT WILL HELP YOU BE SUCCESSFUL IN CIVICS.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 2012

Homework Due 1/4

Finish Congress Term Sheet

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LABELS: HOMEWORK

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2011

Political Party Project Links

Politics1 Issues

ProCon.org

Federal Spending

Federal Income Tax Schedule
(rates on page 14)

Nomination Acceptance Speeches (text)

Party Principles Example (Libertarian Party)

Logos & Slogans:

Look at other [political party websites](#) for examples

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LABELS: POLITICAL PARTY PROJECT

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2011

Platform Issues Web Activity

1. Log onto <http://www.politics1.com/issues.htm>

2. Scroll down the page, there are 19 "Issues" links that will bring you to another page that has links to special interest group websites on each side of that particular issue.

3. Look around at some of the issues that interest you, and click some of the interest group websites to find out more information about the topic. The easiest way to see what an organization is all about is to click on there "About Us," "Learn More," "Our Mission," or other link that explains their basis purpose and argument on an issue.

4. After looking at some of the sites, write down 2-5 sentences about where the organization stands on an issue.

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LABELS: CLASSWORK

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2011

Make up work & Extra Credit Due Wed 11/9

-Any missing assignments must be handed in by Wed 11/9 for credit

-Extra credit assignment: p. 60, q.15-29 in American Government

IMPORTANT LINKS

[Crisis of Credit: Financial Crisis Explained](#)

[2008 Political Ads](#)

[Supreme Court](#)

[U.S. Senate](#)

[House of Representatives](#)

[White House](#)

[Politics 1](#)

CURRENT EVENT LINKS

[BBC News](#)

[Christian Science Monitor](#)

[CNN](#)

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LABELS: DUE DATE, EXTRA CREDIT

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2011

Homework Due 11/3

Constitutional Power Grab Game Reaction (copy on my BMHS Site)

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2011

Homework Due Friday 10/14

Current Event #1 (form can be downloaded from my BMHS site)

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2011

Homework due 10/4

Complete "Declaration of Independence" Analysis

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