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7th Grade LA/SS: CBA




Content Editor Web Part

This is a pathfinder for a Washington State CBA on Constitutional Issues. For useful research links for this CBA, scroll to the bottom of the page, or [click here](#)

		7th Civics Constitutional Issues What matters most to you? Washington State CBA Packet (from OSPI)
Inglewood Support Documents		
Documents are in 3 versions: Word 2007, Word 2003, and Adobe PDF CBA General Information 2007 2003 PDF Thesis Statements 2007 2003 PDF Works Consulted Rubric 2007 2003 PDF Vocabulary 2007 2003 PDF		
Project Overview	As a culminating, end of the year activity, you will be researching a historical or current issue as it relates to the Constitution and use this information to write a persuasive paper.	
Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research note cards • Graphic Organizer • Survey with pie or bar graph • Draft → revise and edit • Final • Works consulted– at least four sources (printed copy) 	
Vocabulary		
GENERAL TERMS	DEMOCRATIC IDEALS	CONSTITUTIONAL PRINCIPLES
Stakeholder:	Justice:	Rule of Law:
Interpret:	Equality:	Separation of Powers:
Perspective:	Life:	Representative Government:
Relevant:	Pursuit of Happiness:	Checks and Balances:
Empower:	Liberty:	Civil Rights:
Rights:	Common Good:	Human Rights:
Responsibilities:	Diversity:	Federalism:
Primary Source:	Truth:	
Doctrine:	Popular Sovereignty:	
	Patriotism:	

Bias:		
Opinion:		
Book Resources (title only - all available in the IJH Library. PDF document)		
Web Resource (by topic – databases require subscription)		
Note on SIRS: Link will not open in a new window automatically. Right-click on the link and select "Open in New Window" for easier navigation.		
General Constitution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interactive Constitution - http://www.constitutioncenter.org/constitution/ (web) Search the Constitution by keyword and other criteria. • Original Constitution of the United States - http://www.constitutioncenter.org/constitution/ (primary – web) Transcript See a visual image of the Constitution and read with the transcript. • The U.S. Constitution Online - http://www.usconstitution.net/constfaq_fiy.html (web) FAQ guide for the Constitution. • The Bill of Rights (database - eLibrary) • History of the Bill of Rights - http://www.aclu.org/crimjustice/gen/10084res20020304.html (web) Basic history of the writing and contents of the Bill of Rights. 	
Right to Die (Physician Assisted Suicide)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SIRS - Pro. vs. Conn Summary (database - SIRS) • Choosing to Die (database - SIRS) • Defending the Right to Die (database - SIRS) • National Right to Life - http://www.nrlc.org/euthanasia/index.html (web) - articles against physician assisted suicide • Euthanasia from ProCon.Org - http://euthanasia.procon.org/ (web) - both sides of the argument discussed 	
Indian Removal Act	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian Removal Act - http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/aia/part4/4p2959.html (web) General information • Primary Documents for the Indian Removal Act - http://www.loc.gov/rr/program/bib/ourdocs/Indian.html (web) from the Library of Congress • Andrew Jackson and the Indian Removal Act - http://www.historynet.com/andrew-jackson-and-the-indian-removal-act.htm (web) General information 	
General Freedoms (Speech, Press, Religion)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SIRS (database) This is probably your best resource for finding your own articles on your topic. Search by subject or click on your issue topic when you get to the main page. • ProCon - http://www.procon.org/ (web) Another good website that gives you both sides of an issue. 	
Corporal Punishment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Corporal Punishment Research - http://www.corpun.com/ (web) Reserach about corporal punishment from across the globe • CNN -- More than 200,000 children were spanked or paddled in U.S. schools during the past school year http://www.cnn.com/2008/US/08/20/corporal.punishment/ (web) Article about corporal punishment in schools. • The Principal and the Paddle http://www.newsweek.com/id/195119?from=rss (Web) Article that argues corporal punishment may be effective. • National Association of School Nurses http://www.nasn.org/Default.aspx?tabid=214 (web) Position statement of the NASC. 	
Capital Punishment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information from Cornell University - http://www.law.cornell.edu/wex/index.php/Death_penalty (web) General overview of the death penalty as it relates to state and federal governments. • Capital Punishment on SIRS (database – provides multiple links) • How Stuff Works: Capital Punishment - http://people.howstuffworks.com/election-issue2.htm (web) Political site that gives information about the death penalty. 	
Gun Control	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facts About Gun Violence - http://www.abanet.org/gunviol/factsaboutgunviolence/uscompared.shtml (web) Short lists of statistics about gun violence and accidents. • How Stuff Works: Gun Control - http://people.howstuffworks.com/election-issue6.htm (web) 	

	<p>Political site that gives some information about gun control.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gun Control on SIRS (database – provides multiple links)
Search and Seizure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supreme Court Limits Warrantless Vehicle Searches (database - SIRS) • Strip-Search Case Could Redefine Student Privacy (database - SIRS) • 10 Supreme Court Cases Every Teen Should Know: Part 2 (database - SIRS) • Search and seizure, due process, and public schools - http://www.centerforpubliceducation.org/site/c.kjJXJ5MPIwE/b.1537263/k.CB4 (web) Information about laws and public schools
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Useful Links and Information

<p>LWSD District and OSPI Links LWSD Home JH Library Homepage Social Studies CBAs</p> <p>LWSD Junior High Databases</p> <p>Citation Resources (citing your work) Citation Machine OSLIS Citation Maker Easy Bib -- download at home MLA Style Guide - downloadable PDF files Online Citation Style Guide - from Bedford St. Martin's Press</p>	<p>Search Options Internet Public Library Librarians' Index to the Internet WWW Virtual Library - --- subject guides mostly academic, on many subjects, not annotated or evaluated but many excellent National Geographic source for maps and geographical information Turbo 10 -- a deep web search engine searches documents in PDF and other formats that don't normally show up in a standard search</p>	<p>Search Options (Continued)</p> <p>BUBL -- Selected Internet resources covering all academic subject areas CIA-World Fact Book up-to-date political maps and info about countries, societies, and economies throughout the world Google Scholar -- broad search for scholarly literature - an invisible Web resource Internet Search Engines -- annotated PDF doc listing current engines and what they do</p>	<p>Search Options (Continued)</p> <p>Vivisimo -- document clustering web search AltaVista Text Search Mzinfo's Reference Desk - list of links for general reference questions Complete Web -- a deep web search engine searches documents in PDF and other formats that don't normally show up in a standard search QAister -- a deep web search engine searches documents in PDF and other formats that don't normally show up in a standard search</p>	<p>Student Links General Browsing High School Hub Homework Spot Learning Express Library -- practice SAT, ACT, ASVAB, GED tests and skills improvement coursework -- requires a NOLS library card to access Peninsula College Student Services -- link to college info regardless of location Study Buddy -- Free search engine built just for homework help, leveled by grade</p>
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