Week 4 (1/22-1/26)

Monday

-HW: Read textbook pg. 314-317

-Collect E.C.

-Class Discussion/Notes: Structure of Congress: Congress vs. Parliament, House vs. Senate (30)

-Begin textbook reading (20)

Tuesday

-HW: Read textbook pg. 318-325

-Review yesterday’s discussion/House vs. Senate (5)

-Partner: Discuss unique powers of House vs. Senate (10)

-Class Discussion/Notes (5)

-Class Discussion/Notes: Party structure, House vs. Senate Leadership (30)

Wednesday

-HW: Read textbook pg. 326-331

-CW: Read “How Congressman organize their staffs

-Handout: Paul Ryan – Speaker of the House Vote – October 29, 2015. Connect with leadership in Congress/voting for leadership positions (5)

-Handout: Paul Ryan – schedules veto override vote on Obamacare repeal. Connect with duties of Speaker/Power. (5)

-Partner: Handout: How Congressman organize their staffs (20)

-Class Discussion: Number for House/Senate, key staff positions, Staff allowances: House and Senate: key expenses, Senate: allowance based on size of state (20) **\*\*if time allows\*\***

Thursday

-HW: Read textbook pg. 332-336

-Class Discussion/Notes: The Staff System (15)

-Class Discussion/Notes: The Little Legislatures (5)

-Partner: Types of Committees: Find four types and summarize significance (15)

-Discuss Standing Committees (5)

Friday

-HW: Read textbook pg. 337-340

-HW: AP Government Practice Test (1 of 5) **\*\*1st Bell Only\*\***

-Discuss Unit 5 MC (20)

-Discuss Unit 5 Free Response (20)