

# Civics Summer Scavenger Hunt

**Directions:** Complete the following activity and turn in the first week of school to your Civics teacher. You will earn EXTRA CREDIT points in Civics AND points for your House in 2019-2020!

(Due Friday, August 16, 2019)

## The World You Live in

What country do you live in? \_\_\_\_\_

What state do you live in? \_\_\_\_\_

What city do you live in? \_\_\_\_\_

What county do you live in? \_\_\_\_\_

## Branches of Government

Branch of Government	What do they do?

## Levels of Government

	Federal (Country)	State	City
Executive Leader			
Legislative Leader			
Judicial Leader			

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## Roles of a Citizen

Define citizen: \_\_\_\_\_

What are three things a good citizen does to make their community/country a better place?

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Which amendment to the U.S. Constitution explains who can become a citizen? \_\_\_\_\_

What is a democracy? \_\_\_\_\_

How old do you have to be to vote? \_\_\_\_\_

How do you register to vote? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the Selective Service? \_\_\_\_\_

## Citizens and Taxes

Many services are funded by taxes. All of the following are paid for through taxes:

What are taxes? \_\_\_\_\_

How much is the Florida sales tax? \_\_\_\_\_

How much is the local tax in Leon County? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you visit a city or county park this summer? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what was the name? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you visit a city pool this summer? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what was the name? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you visit a county library this summer? If yes, what was the name? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you go out of town this summer? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, what was one of the roads you traveled on? \_\_\_\_\_

## America's Independence

On what date do Americans celebrate independence day? \_\_\_\_\_

Who are we celebrating independence from? \_\_\_\_\_

What document declared America independent from England? \_\_\_\_\_

What are three natural rights listed in the Declaration of Independence? \_\_\_\_\_,

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

Who authored the Declaration of Independence? \_\_\_\_\_

Who wrote the pamphlet *Common Sense*? \_\_\_\_\_

If you invested the time to complete this assignment you are a rockstar!