

Government & Economics

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Description

This high school class will examine the basics of both the American governmental and economic systems and the ideas that have established them. Among the wide variety of topics we will explore, we will discuss the legislative, executive, and judicial branches along with their purposes and constraints. In addition, they will compare and contrast market-based and directed economies. Students will have the opportunity to study, analyze, and discuss the U.S. Constitution and its amendment processes, along with their unique roles in those processes. As such, certainly, we will address the relevance and importance of civic responsibilities, such as voting and jury service. In the fall semester, we will use the Notgrass *Exploring Government* text with modifications, and supplement with additional relevant materials. During the spring semester, we will also use Notgrass's curriculum, *Exploring Economics*, again, with supplementation, to enrich our discussion of the basics of economics.

Tuition & Fees

My class **tuition is \$50 per month per student** if you are paying monthly. **If you decide to remove your student(s) before the end of the semester, tuition for the entire semester is still required.**

There is a **supply fee of \$50 per student** to cover the cost of books and materials, which I will supply, *in addition to the textbook*. **The supply fee is not refundable.**

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