**Unit 2 Study Guide--Civics**

1. What are the 6 underlying principles of the Constitution (from your PSA stuff—just name what they are)?
2. What is federalism?
3. What is judicial review? Give an example of a case where judicial review would be applied.
4. What are checks and balances? Give an example.
5. Explain separation of powers.
6. What does the phrase “limited government” mean?
7. What does the phrase “popular sovereignty” mean? How is it connected to the Declaration of Independence?
8. What is the line of presidential succession? Who is in it?
9. Name the 4 major roles of the president.
10. Describe a situation where the president would be acting as commander-in-chief.
11. Describe a situation where the president would be acting as chief of state.
12. Describe a situation where the president would be acting chief executive.
13. Describe a situation where the president would be acting as chief diplomat.
14. Name 2 cabinet departments or bureaus. Which branch do they belong to?
15. Describe the process by which a bill becomes a law.
16. How can a bill “die”?
17. How is representation determined in the Senate? In the House of Representatives?
18. What are the required qualifications for president?
19. Describe some differences between the House of Representatives and the Senate?
20. Name 5 rights protected by the 1st amendment.
21. List 2 rights protected in the Bill of Rights (1st 10 amendments) that are NOT part of the 1st amendment.
22. How many court systems are there in the US? Why this number?
23. How many people serve on the Supreme Court? How long do they serve?
24. What was the major issue in New Jersey v. TLO and Pottawatamie v. Earles?
25. What was the major issue in Texas v. Johnson, Tinker v. Des Moines, and Bethel School District v. Fraser?
26. What was the major issue in Santa Fe v. Doe?
27. What is the difference between the establishment clause and the free exercise clause?
28. What is an enumerated or expressed power? Give 3 examples.
29. What is an implied power? What is the “necessary and proper” or “elastic” clause?