**Chapter 7 & 8 Unit Test Study Guide**

**Citizenship in a Democracy**

* What does the government guarantee to us as citizens? (What are our rights?)
* What is our duties as citizens to the government (What are our responsibilities?)

**Civil Rights**

* Does the constitution originally have articles/amendments that define citizenship and their rights?
* What are examples of cases/laws that help clarify/extend citizenship and civil rights?
	+ Dred Scot v. Sandford
	+ 14th Amendment

How do these laws/cases help clarify/extend citizenship and civil rights?

* + 19th Amendment
	+ Brown v. Board of Ed
	+ Civil Rights Act of 1964
* Types of citizenship:
	+ natural/native-born
	+ naturalized
* What is the difference between a citizen and legal resident? (rights and duties)

**Political Values/Ideologies/Parties**

* American Political Values:
	+ Liberty
	+ Equality
	+ Democracy
	+ Individualism
	+ Free enterprise
	+ Justice and the rule of law
	+ Patriotisms
	+ Optimism
	+ Civic duty
* Ideologies:
	+ Liberalism
	+ Conservativism
	+ Socialism (Democratic Socialism)
	+ Libertarianism
	+ Environmentalism
	+ Centrism
* What is social capital?
* Four Categories of Civil Engagement: Electoral specialist, Civil specialist, Dual activists, The disengaged
* Evolution of the two-party system:
	+ How did the US ended up with this type of system?
	+ How did the Democratic and Republic Party come about?
	+ What are some values/views of the Democratic Party?
	+ What are some values/views of the Republic Party?
* Third Parties
	+ 4 main types of 3rd parties in the US
	+ Why are there 3rd parties?

**Special Interest Groups/PACs & Policymaking**

* What is the policy making process?
* What is a special interest group? Example?
* What is a PAC? Example?
* What kind of influence does interest groups/PACs have on lawmakers and policymaking?