# Unit 1: AP Comparative Government: Comparing Governments

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| 01/07 (Monday) | 01/08 (Tuesday) | 01/09 (Wednesday) | 01/10 (Thursday) | 01/11 (Friday) |
| Intro to Comparative Government  Preview of the 6 core countries  Introduction to the Hauss text  HW: Re-Read Ch. 1 & Vocab  Define AND give a specific example for the 8 **assigned** political terms AND identify and define 8 economic terms of your choice  **(Please type – Due Weds. 1/09)** | Themes of the Comparative Government  Legitimacy in the Nation-State  HW: Finish Ch. 1 Vocab assignment | Freedom House Activity  Political Lens  HW: Finish Freedom House | Discuss Freedom House county rankings  HW: R & A: Jihad v. McWorld (Bring two **typed** discussion questions to class – do not plan on writing them the first couple minutes of class please.) | Economic and Social Lens  Gapminder: Democracy v. Development  Discuss Jihad v. McWorld  HW: Read Ch. 2: pgs. 21-25 (Democracy), 35-37 (Prez and Parliamentary Systems) Fill out the chart: Comparing Electoral Systems |
| 01/14 (Monday) | 01/15 (Tuesday) | 01/16 (Wednesday) | 01/17 (Thursday) |  |
| **NO SCHOOL**  **TEACHER WORK DAY** | Ch. 2 Jigsaw (**Please** bring your book!)  Vocab Review/Preview  HW: Study for quiz | Quiz  1st Core Country:  United Kingdom and the EU |  | [http://t2.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcS-XrQ2Du_wKtUl0iMzhzXtCK0dpIfWOkm76xE-WtNrsloGSBEkgA](http://www.google.com/imgres?q=globalization+definition&um=1&hl=en&sa=N&biw=1440&bih=742&tbm=isch&tbnid=gVJaD0vbALmRPM:&imgrefurl=http://www.metapedia.com/wiki/index.php?title=Alp26&docid=SqW7EwnVdlePNM&imgurl=http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/6/6b/Terrestrial_globe.svg/321px-Terrestrial_globe.svg.png&w=321&h=312&ei=sEoKT_a4KtL1ggfjmfT3DA&zoom=1&iact=rc&dur=0&sig=101569486727336211743&page=4&tbnh=169&tbnw=174&start=69&ndsp=18&ved=1t:429,r:14,s:69&tx=88&ty=1) |
| **Suggested Review Book** |  | **KEY POLTICAL TERMS TO DEFINE** | Extra Credit Books |  |
| **What You Need to Know**  By Ken Wedding  ­­  Book cover | 3rd Quarter Extra Credit Review Books | State  Power  Politics  Government  Constitution  Regime  Nation  Industrialized Democracy | Make sure you sign-up for the extra credit book: | *“And a regime that has lost its* ***legitimacy*** *will also lose its power.” -*  *-* Colin Powell  “It always seems impossible until it’s done.” - Nelson Mandela |
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