

Unit One Exam
Preparation Instructions

The unit one exam will be conducted on Wednesday, August 23. The exam will be closed notes. This completed preparation sheet is due on the day of the exam, but it may not be used while taking the exam.

1. Know the three core American values and be able to explain them.

Value	Explanation	Quote from DoI illustrating this value

2. Explain two ways the Declaration of Independence was influenced by the Enlightenment.

Explanation of Enlightenment idea (you may connect the idea to a specific philosopher if you wish)	Quote from DoI that reflects this idea	Explanation of how the quote reflects the Enlightenment idea

3. How do Zinn and Bailyn differ in their interpretation of the DoI? Explain using specific examples

4. You will write a paragraph which makes an argument that one of these perspectives (Zinn or Bailyn) you think is more accurate. Complete the following outline template for this paragraph. Your paragraph should follow the guidelines for the Basic Model Paragraph described in class.

Topic sentence:

Reason 1:

Evidence/example supporting reason 1:

Explanation of how this evidence connects to the argument made in the TS:

Reason 2:

Evidence/example supporting reason 2:

Explanation of how this evidence connects to the argument made in the TS:

Concluding sentence that restates and develops the argument in the TS:

You must use a quote from the Dol and Bailyn and or Zinn.

5. Be prepared to define and explain the significance of the following terms

Term	Definition	Significance
<i>Federalist 10</i>		
Faction (as described in <i>Federalist 10</i>)		
Slavery in the Constitution		
The Articles of Confederation		
The Bill of Rights		
Amendment 1		
Amendment 13		
Amendment 14		
Amendment 15		
Amendment 19		