



MJ Civics STANDARD

Semester 1 Pace Chart

Fall 2025

Live Lesson Time: 12:30 p.m. Thursday

Week	Dates	Assignments
0	8/11 – 8/15	LIVE LESSONS START THIS WEEK! Text your teacher your first and last name and your course name
1	8/18 – 8/22	01.00 Citizenship Introduction 01.01 The United States Defined 01.02 American Culture
2	8/25-8/29	01.03 Interpreting Maps and Data 01.04 Citizenship and Ecology 01.05 The Making of a U.S. Citizen
3	9/1 – 9/5 No school on 9/1	01.06 Effective Citizenship
4	9/8 – 9/12	01.08 Citizenship Review and Discussion-Based Assessment 01.09 Citizenship Unit Exam
5	9/15 – 9/19 No school on 9/19	02.00 Foundations Introduction 02.01 Influences on the Founding Fathers 02.02 Important Documents In Early America
6	9/22 – 9/26	02.03 The Declaration of Independence 02.04 The United States Constitution
7	9/29 – 10/3	02.05 Three Branches of Government 02.06 Balance of Power
8	10/6 – 10/10	02.07 Safeguarding Our Rights 02.08 Amending the Constitution
9	10/13 – 10/17 No school on 10/13	02.10 Foundations Review and Discussion-Based Assessment 02.11 Foundations Unit Exam
10	10/20 – 10/24	03.00 Sharing Power Introduction 03.01 Federalism 03.02 Comparing State and Federal Government
11	10/27 – 10/31	03.03 The Rule of Law 03.04 The Lawmaking Process
12	11/3 – 11/7	03.06 State and Federal Court Systems 03.07 Trial By Jury
13	11/10 – 11/14 No school on 11/11	03.08 Addressing Local Issues
14	11/17 – 11/21	03.09 Sharing Power Review and Discussion-Based Assessment 03.10 Sharing Power Unit Exam
15	11/24 – 11/28 No School	Thanksgiving Break <i>There will be no live lessons or work due this week. Please use this time to catch up on your course work if you are behind pace.</i>

16	12/1 – 12/5	03.11 Segment One Exam
17	12/8 – 12/12	<p style="text-align: center;">Segment Exam Week</p> <p style="text-align: center;">All course work is due on Friday, December 12th at 5PM. All work must be done prior to taking the segment exam.</p>

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DBA Information:

A “Discussion Based Assessment (DBA)” is a time for the students to share information they learned in the module with the teacher. Students are required to talk with the teacher via phone/ZOOM to complete this assignment each module. Students may use notes but should not receive any additional support from another person (parent, guardian, tutor, sibling, friend, etc.).

DBAs can be completed in multiple ways:

- using the appointment calendar on the homepage of the class
- using the open DBA times listed on the homepage of the class