

Civil Rights and Liberties Argumentative Essay Spring 21

1. American politics often reflects a tension between majority will and minority rights.

Take a position on the proper balance of these two important principles.

Use at least one piece of evidence from one of the following foundational documents:

- The Fourth Amendment of the United States Constitution
- The Fourteenth Amendment of the United States Constitution
- The Preamble to the United States Constitution

In your response you should do the following:

- ✓ Respond to the prompt with a defensible claim or thesis that establishes a line of reasoning.
- ✓ Support your claim with at least TWO pieces of specific and relevant evidence.
 - One piece of evidence must come from one of the foundational documents listed above.
 - A second piece of evidence can come from any other foundational document not used as your first piece of evidence, or it may come from your knowledge of course concepts.
- ✓ Use reasoning to explain why your evidence supports your claim or thesis.