

**Answer Key**  
**2019 AP United States Government and Politics**  
**Section I**

Question 1: B	Question 29: B
Question 2: A	Question 30: C
Question 3: D	Question 31: C
Question 4: B	Question 32: A
Question 5: C	Question 33: C
Question 6: C	Question 34: C
Question 7: B	Question 35: C
Question 8: C	Question 36: B
Question 9: B	Question 37: A
Question 10: D	Question 38: C
Question 11: A	Question 39: A
Question 12: C	Question 40: A
Question 13: A	Question 41: B
Question 14: D	Question 42: B
Question 15: D	Question 43: B
Question 16: B	Question 44: A
Question 17: B	Question 45: A
Question 18: C	Question 46: B
Question 19: B	Question 47: C
Question 20: C	Question 48: C
Question 21: A	Question 49: B
Question 22: C	Question 50: B
Question 23: C	Question 51: A
Question 24: A	Question 52: B
Question 25: B	Question 53: C
Question 26: D	Question 54: D
Question 27: D	Question 55: D
Question 28: D	

## Question Descriptors and Performance Data

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This table shows the content assessed, the correct answer, and how AP students performed on each question.

#### Multiple-Choice Questions

Question	Skill	Learning Objective	Topic	Answer	% Correct
1	1.E	CON-3.C	Congressional Behavior	B	67
2	2.D	LOR-2.C	First Amendment: Freedom of Speech	A	77
3	1.B	CON-1.C	Ratification of the U.S. Constitution	D	73
4	2.A	CON-2.B	Constitutional Interpretations of Federalism	B	68
5	3.B	PMI-4.A	Ideologies of Political Parties	C	84
6	3.D	CON-3.C	Congress: The Senate and House of Representatives	C	75
7	1.E	LOR-3.B	Amendments: Due Process and the Rights of the Accused	B	87
8	4.A	PRD-1.A	Social Movements and Equal Protection	C	73
9	4.B	LOR-1.A	Ideals of Democracy	B	65
10	4.C	MPA-3.A	Voting Rights and Models of Voting Behavior	D	79
11	3.A	CON-4.B	Checks on the Presidency	A	85
12	3.D	CON-3.B	Structures, Powers, and Functions of Congress	C	60
13	1.E	MPA-3.C	Voter Turnout	A	40
14	1.B	PRD-2.B	Electing a President	D	75
15	1.E	CON-5.A	Checks on the Judicial Branch	D	58
16	2.A	LOR-3.A	Selective Incorporation	B	41
17	4.A	PMI-5.C	Political Parties	B	87
18	4.D	PMI-5.C	Political Parties	C	74
19	1.A	MPA-3.A	Voting Rights and Models of Voting Behavior	B	68
20	1.E	CON-2.A	Relationship between the States and the Federal Government	C	62
21	1.E	PMI-3.A	Government Responses to Social Movements	A	54
22	1.D	CON-3.A	Congress: The Senate and House of Representatives	C	37
23	3.B	PRD-3.B	Changing Media	C	91
24	3.D	PRD-3.B	Changing Media	A	91
25	1.B	PMI-1.A	Principles of American Government	B	35
26	1.D	MPA-2.A	Measuring Public Opinion	D	68
27	1.E	CON-4.D	Presidential Communication	D	61
28	4.A	MPA-3.C	Voter Turnout	D	94
29	4.D	CON-2.C	Federalism in Action	B	72
30	4.A	CON-5.C	The Judicial Branch	C	91
31	4.D	CON-5.C	The Judicial Branch	C	66
32	1.E	PMI-2.B	Discretionary and Rule-Making Authority	A	56
33	1.E	LOR-2.C	First Amendment: Freedom of Speech	C	71

Question	Skill	Learning Objective	Topic	Answer	% Correct
34	1.E	CON-5.B	Checks on the Judicial Branch	C	64
35	1.E	PRD-1.A	Social Movements and Equal Protection	C	78
36	3.B	CON-5.A	The Judicial Branch	B	88
37	3.D	CON-5.B	Legitimacy of the Judicial Branch	A	43
38	2.D	LOR-2.C	First Amendment: Freedom of the Press	C	54
39	1.D	MPA-3.B	Voter Turnout	A	69
40	1.E	MPA-1.A	American Attitudes about Government and Politics	A	70
41	1.C	CON-3.A	Congress: The Senate and House of Representatives	B	73
42	1.C	CON-1.B	Challenges of the Articles of Confederation	B	48
43	1.C	CON-3.B	Structures, Powers, and Functions of Congress	B	66
44	1.C	PMI-4.E	Ideology and Policy-Making	A	80
45	1.C	PMI-1.A	Principles of American Government	A	59
46	2.D	PRD-2.E	Campaign Finance	B	64
47	1.E	PMI-4.D	Ideology and Economic Policy	C	47
48	4.A	CON-4.C	Expansion of Presidential Power	C	70
49	4.A	CON-4.C	Expansion of Presidential Power	B	52
50	4.B	CON-4.A	Expansion of Presidential Power	B	88
51	4.B	CON-4.C	Expansion of Presidential Power	A	66
52	3.E	PRD-3.A	The Media	B	69
53	3.D	PRD-3.A	Changing Media	C	44
54	1.E	CON-3.B	Congress: The Senate and House of Representatives	D	46
55	1.E	CON-2.B	Federalism in Action	D	83