

CURRENT EVENTS: INSIDE WASHINGTON DC POLITICS
AP Gov | Discussion Questions

Directions: Using current events, the purpose of this activity is to delve into the public policy issues and the inside politics between and within Congress, the White House, federal agencies and departments. We will then draw conclusions about the “state of American government and politics” today.

1. Each person should identify the thesis of the article and summarize the main points for the group.
2. Based upon information gleaned from the each article, identify at least FIVE generalizations with supporting evidence and examples about government and politics “inside the beltway” today. (Please write these down to share with the main group).