When i started this PLS-101 class in January, I did not look forward to it, I was not extremely fond of ANYTHING government related, I now have a passion for it. Taking this class has forced me to do research and study a lot of stuff, I found while doing that that I really enjoyed it and started to have fun. I have been homeschooled since elementary and have never had to do intense research and studying, this is my first “Class” and it was a challenge, but I very much enjoyed this experience. My favorite thing about this class would have to be the discussions posts, it was very interesting to see other people’s standpoints, me and Jackson Salazar are very good friends, so it was very interesting to argue/discuss back and forth on our views and standpoints. What flabbergasted me is how many things i would do differently if i was in a point of leadership, I used to make fun of some Government official with a couple of my friends not really knowing what was happening, i decided to do some research and figure out why he did what he did, it surprised me on how he made such a good decision yet was made fun of. It also surprises me how many people are in high authority yet make very dumb decisions in my opinion. I have a very big appreciation for government and what they do for our country, even if i don’t agree with it I still have respect for them getting to where they are. I will definitely use my new knowledge of politics and how they work to look at things in an unique way, because of our tax plan paper i can look at President Trumps plan and understand it and know how it will work/affect us.