*Write each FRQ as a group. When you are finished come get the scoring guide from me and score your FRQ together.*

**2006 Question 4**

**Congress** – **Bi-cameral structure**

a) state 2 reasons why founding fathers created a bi-cameral legislature

b) explain one unique power of the House and describe why founding fathers gave it this

power

c) explain one unique power of the Senate and describe why founding fathers gave it this

power

**2005 Question 2**

**Federalism** – **expansion of Federal power**

a)describetwo of the following Constitutional provisions, explain how each has been

used to expand federal power

(**power to tax and spend**; “**necessary and proper”/ elastic clause;**

**commerce clause**)

b) explain how one of the following has increase the power of the federal government

relative to the power of the states

(**Americans with Disabilities Act**, **Civil Rights Act of 1964**, **Clean Air Act**)

**2005 Question 3**

**Selective Incorporation**

a) define selective incorporation

b) choose two of the following. Explain how each has been incorporated. Must use the

appropriately relevant Supreme Court case

( **Rights of criminal defendants**, **First Amendment**, **Privacy rights**)

**1999 Question 3**

**Congress** and **Federal Bureaucracy**

Is Congress effective in exercising legislative oversight of the federal bureaucracy? Support your answer by doing ONE of the following.

* Explain two specific methods Congress uses to exercise effective oversight of the federal bureaucracy.

OR

* Give two specific explanations for the failure of Congress to exercise effective oversight of the federal bureaucracy.