

Constitutional Law I (Law 121-002)
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TENTATIVE SYLLABUS
(August 31, 2005)

Casebook: Brest, Levinson, Balkin, & Amar, *Processes of Constitutional Decisionmaking: Cases and Materials* (Aspen 4th ed., 2000 & 2005 Supplement)

Class 1 - August 23, 2005

The Constitution of the United States (Casebook, pp. xli *et seq.*)

Casebook, pp. 1-44

Class 2 - August 25, 2005

Casebook, pp. 44-70

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Class 3 - September 1, 2005

Casebook, pp.71-103

Supplement, pp. 1-3

Class 4 - September 6, 2005

Casebook, pp. 104-43

Class 5 - September 8, 2005

Casebook, pp. 145-68

Class 6 - September 13, 2005

Casebook, pp. 168-214

Class 7 - September 15, 2005

Casebook, pp. 214-39

Supplement, pp. 5-22

Class 8 - September 20, 2005

Supplement, pp. 22-70

Class 9 - September 22, 2005

Casebook, pp. 241-70

Class 10 - September 27, 2005

Casebook, pp. 270-314

Class 11 - September 29, 2005

Casebook, pp. 314-55

Class 12 - October 4, 2005

Casebook, pp. 355-99

Class 13 - October 6, 2005

Casebook, pp. 401-42

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Class 14 - October 13, 2005

Casebook, pp. 442-63

Supplement, pp. 71-74

Eastern Enterprises v. Apfel, 524 U.S. 498 (1998)

[for all cases that are assigned outside the casebook, you must read all the opinions, including any concurrences and/or dissents]

Class 15 - October 18, 2005

Casebook, pp. 463-511

Class 16 - October 20, 2005

Casebook, pp. 511-33

Supplement, 74-105

Class 17 - October 25, 2005

Gonzales v. Raich, 125 S. Ct. 2195 (2005)

Class 18 - October 27, 2005

Casebook, pp. 533-51

Supplement, pp. 124-34

Class 19 - November 1, 2005

Supplement, pp. 134-80

Class 20 - November 3, 2005

Casebook, pp. 551-55

Garcia v. San Antonio Metro. Transit Auth., 469 U.S. 528 (1985)

Casebook, pp. 563-65

Class 21 - November 8, 2005

Casebook, pp. 565-613

Supplement, pp. 180-83

Class 22 - November 10, 2005

U.S. Term Limits v. Thornton, 514 U.S. 779 (1995)

Class 23 - November 15, 2005

Casebook, pp. 614-19

C & A Carbone, Inc. v. Town of Clarkstown, 511 U.S. 383 (1994)

Class 24 - November 17, 2005

Casebook, 619-20

United Building & Constr. Trades Council v. Mayor and Council of Camden, 465 U.S. 208 (1984)

Class 25 - November 22, 2005

Casebook, pp. 634-45, 724-28

Supplement, 183-84

[n.b. this portion of the Supplement should be inserted after note 8 on p. 645 of the casebook]

In re Sealed Case, 121 F.3d 729 (D.C. Cir. 1997)

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Class 26 - November 29, 2005

Casebook, pp. 645-80

Class 27 - December 1, 2005

Casebook, pp. 680-724

Supplement, pp.184-85