Government MT 4 – Final Project

Create a Third Party based on your own political beliefs and ideas. You should create a power point presentation that outlines you political party’s platform. The Power Point should include these elements:

**Slide 1** – Your name, class period, date, etc.

**Slide 2** – The name of your party along with a catchy slogan and logo for your party

**Slide 3** – A mission statement for your party: at least 3 core beliefs or values that your party stands for

**Slide 4** – An introduction to your party platform: this should include at least 3 images that illustrate what your party stands for

**Slides 5-7** – Pick 3 issues that are important to you and describe in detail how your party would handle these issues if it was in power. Issues may include, but are not limited to:

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| Crime and violence  Environment  Foreign policy  Personal freedoms  Healthcare  Poverty and welfare | Taxes  Immigration  Jobs and the economy  National security  Civil rights  Energy |

**Slides 8-9** – Contrast your party with the two major parties. Why is your party different from and better than Democrats and Republicans?

**Slide 10** – Include a graph of an opinion poll that shows public support for at least one of your ideas or policies. Two excellent places to search for opinion polls are:

<http://www.pewresearch.org/> and

<http://www.gallup.com/home.aspx>

**Other Useful Website:**

Democratic Party Platform: <http://www.democrats.org/> (issues)

Republican Party Platform: <http://www.gop.com/our-party/>

Libertarian Party Platform: <http://www.lp.org/issues>

**You do not need to present your power point**, only email it to me by the June 6th, 2014 deadline. Please use the example I have provided for you on the website as a guide.