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**Unit 4 Paper Topic Webquest:**

**National Security vs. Civil Liberties**

**WebQuest Link - http://questgarden.com/q/phs-natsec**

**Process:**

**Step 1: Bill of Rights**

1. Of all the rights which is the most important to you? Why?
2. Which one seems to protect our right to privacy?
3. Which one(s) would you be willing to give up in order to feel safer? Why?
4. Which one(s) would you not be willing to give up? Why?

**Step 2: Elements of National Security**

1. In your own words what do each of the elements mean, what is the government allowed to do?
   1. Using diplomacy to rally allies and isolate threats.
   2. Marshaling economic power to elicit cooperation.
   3. Maintaining effective armed forces.
   4. Implementing civil defense and emergency preparedness policies (including anti-terrorism legislation)
   5. Ensuring the resilience and redundancy of critical infrastructure.
   6. Using intelligence services (CIA and NSA) to detect and defeat or avoid threats and espionage and to protect classified information.
   7. Tasking counterintelligence services or secret police to protect the nation from internal threats.
2. Do any of these seem to challenge any of the amendments of the Bill of Rights? If so, which one? How? If not, what do these different components all have in common?

**Step 3: Investigate the different topics**

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| Ways this law impedes on our civil liberties |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ways this law attempts to make the US safer |  |  |  |  |  |
| Brief Description in your own words |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Topic** | USA PATRIOT Act | Donald Trump’s Immigration Ban | Executive Order 9066: Japanese Internment | House of Un-American Committee | Espionage and Sedition Acts |

**Conclusion:**

1. Of all of these laws which one do you feel made us truly safer? Why? Which one do you feel limited our civil liberties the most? Why? (If you need more space, then please write your response on a separate sheet of paper and attach to this worksheet.)