

Part One, American Government and U.S. Constitution

Lesson 1: Introduction

Name: _____

Reading Assignment: *The 5000 Year Leap*: (pages 1-6)

Lesson 1 objectives: As a result of this lesson, the student should be able to discuss the following questions/ topics:

1. Can you give at least three reasons why U.S. Senator Orrin Hatch indicated that he was personally excited about *The 5000 Year Leap*? (page ix)

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

2. According to Senator Hatch, what six groups of people should read and study this book? (x)

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

e. _____

f. _____

3. Briefly explain why *The 5000 Year Leap* was written. (xiii-xv)

4. Why did Jamestown seem to be the turning point between the previous 5,000 years and the next 200 years? (1-4)

5. Tell of the miraculous effect of the "28 great ideas" upon the United States, as described by President George Washington. (5-6)

