## **Chapter 8 Study Guide**

## You should understand and be able to identify.....

- the goals and principles of the Constitution (pages 248-251)
- the powers of each branch of government and how each branch can check the power of the others (pages 252-257)
- the three levels of Federal Courts (page 256)
- the two ways of amending the Constitution (page 259)
- the Bill of Rights (page 260)
- the later amendments (page 261)
- the amendment that abolished slavery (page 261)
- the powers and functions of state and local governments (pages 262-264)
- what an infrastructure is (page 263)
- requirements of citizenship (pages 265-266)
- responsibilities of citizenship (pages 267-268)