**Big Question #1**

Should the federal government enact "red flag" laws to prevent gun violence?

**Assignment:**

1. Research what “red flag” laws are. (Save your sources)
   1. What are they and how are they intended to help prevent gun violence?
   2. What constitutional rights are ‘in play’ with “red flag” legislation?
   3. What states have a ‘red flag’ law or are considering them now?
   4. What are the prevailing arguments/concerns for and against them?

*Write*: After you conclude your research, write a 1pg report detailing the full answer to each of these questions. Include your sources.

1. Imagine the federal government had, in fact, passed a national “red flag” law and a lawsuit against it has made its way to the Supreme Court and YOU are one of the 12 Justices.

*Write* your own ‘legal opinion’. Your opinion will detail the following parts:

* 1. The intention of the law and the “societal circumstances” that brought it about.
  2. Civil liberties that are positively impacted by the law, explaining which ones and how.
  3. Civil liberties that are harmed by the law, explaining which ones and how.
  4. Your legal opinion.. remember, Justices often have to weigh and balance conflict between the rights of the individual citizen and the good of society. So, in this way your opinion must detail your justification/s for your opinion.

Do a good job!

Miss you all