**Unit 2 Bellwork – Law and Juvenile Justice**

**(6 Entries)**

Oct. 15

* What is the purpose of having a separate court system for juveniles? In your opinion, do you think that this system helps the offenders and society? Explain. Defend whether or not this establishment should be kept or done away with.

Oct. 17

* Do you think courts should interfere in disputes between parents and children? If not, why not? If so, why and under what circumstances?

Oct. 19

* Should attendance at school be mandatory? Why or why not? What should be done about students who are chronically absent from school?

Oct. 23

* If you had to choose between humanitarian or control philosophy to run the juvenile court process, which one would it be? Explain why and give examples.

Oct. 25

* Explain the “Get Tough” attitude that took place during the 1980s-1990s? Why did it take place and what happened as a result? Do you agree/disagree with the actions? Explain

Oct. 29

* Should capital punishment/death penalty be allowed in the United States? If so, when and how should it be carried out? If not, explain and what option would you prefer?