Resource sheet #4
Power of Government

Directions: Follow the directions below to create your Power Of Government Foldables. Check off each step as you complete it. Be sure to follow the steps in order!

1. Fold your paper into a “hamburger fold,” but leave a tab at the bottom of the page (do not fold the paper exactly in half):

2. Fold your paper into thirds. The vertical lines are the new folds:

3. On the bottom edge, write the following title: USA Balance Of Power.

4. Unfold your paper. On the top half (the folded side that is smaller than the side with the title), cut along the 2 folds that divide your paper into thirds.

5. Label each flap with name of one part of the U.S. Government. Add a graphic.

6. On the inside of flap, describe the power assigned to that part of government.

7. Under the flap, leave blank. Later, we will use this for notes about a real case.

8. Fold a second piece of paper into a “hamburger fold,” but leave a tab at the bottom of the page (do not fold the paper exactly in half):

9. On the bottom edge (the flap), write the following title: USSR Authoritarian Government.

10. Label the top half (the folded side that is smaller than the side with the title) with the name of the government part in the USSR with all power. Add a graphic.

11. Under the flap write what this part of government has the power to do.

12. Under the flap, leave blank. Later, we will use this for notes about a real case.