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Home Team: _____ Bill of Rights—Branches of Government
Study Guide

Please answer the following test questions in complete sentences. Only in-depth and complete answers will receive full credit.

- 1. Select two amendments from the Bill of Rights. Explain how minors are protected by them (A copy of the Bill of Rights is attached to the back of the test) (18 points):**

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- 2. In Section One of the 14th Amendment it says that states may not “deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.” How does this relate to the U.S. Supreme Court’s Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka (1954) decision? (Be sure to weave-in information about Plessy v. Ferguson [1896]) (20 points).**

