

**Politics
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Podcasts

- **The Rest is Politics**
- **Political Currency**

Books

- **How Westminster Works and Why it doesn't**
- **Rory Stewart Politics on the Edge**
- **British Politics, The Basics**
- **Alistair Campbell talks Politics**

Knowledge	<p>Watch this 30 minute documentary on the impact of Partygate on Boris Johnson's control over parliament: https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m001830q/panorama-partygate-inside-the-storm?page=1</p>	<p>Read through the impact of Boris Johnson on the constitution. What arguments can you find for making the constitution codified and not? https://constitution-unit.com/2022/09/04/boris-johnsons-constitutional-legacy/</p>	<p>Listen and think about whether parliament is representative: https://anchor.fm/nick-de-souza/episodes/Is-Parliament-representative-efrr4p</p> <p>Do you think that parliament fulfils this function?</p>
Knowledge	<p>Read through and make note of 10 important events since 2000 regarding the constitution and what they achieved. https://ukconsttracker.github.io/uk-constitutional-tracker/</p>	<p>What is the argument of this writer on the effectiveness of parliament? Do you agree? https://www.tutor2u.net/politics/blog/effectiveness-of-the-uk-parliament</p>	<p>Listen and take notes on both sides – is the PM presidential? https://anchor.fm/nick-de-souza/episodes/Is-the-prime-minister-effectively-a-president-eejnf0</p>
Knowledge	<p>What are key examples of judicial review? Is it effective or not? https://politicsteaching.com/2022/04/28/what-are-some-prominent-examples-of-judicial-review-in-the-supreme-court-since-2009/</p>	<p>https://politicsteaching.com/2022/02/17/draft-is-the-house-of-lords-more-effective-at-scrutinising-legislation-than-the-house-of-commons-draft/</p> <p>Make notes on the effectiveness of either house. Do you agree with the judgement?</p>	<p>Listen and take notes on both sides of the argument. Make a judgement. https://anchor.fm/nick-de-souza/episodes/Are-UK-judges-too-powerful-e5htgg</p>