Outline method

Federalism

- This is not the way most govt's work.
  - this was NOT in the original plan
  - It's the idea of organizing a nation so 2 or more levels of govt have authority over the same region.

Where do they get authority?
  - From the people via constitution

A system of shared power between units of govt.

UNITARY GOVT

- Most other nations
- All power resides in the central govt

Ex. if the German parliament wants to redistrict or change boundaries, they can.

Can't in US.
Can't eliminate a state, for ex.

Comments on this method—this is often the default method for students, simply indenting to show main idea (but not trying to add Roman numerals, which is often distracting). You may want to consider ways to highlight main ideas or add additional notes or colors as you study to make main ideas stand out.