Reconstruction Summary DBQ Introduction

*“The time period from 1844 to 1877 was dominated by four major issues: manifest destiny, changes in the two-party system, the evolution of civil rights for African-Americans, and power struggles surrounding the Constitution.” Assess the validity of this statement by analyzing the documents provided to establish a connection to one of these four issues.*

*For each document, you must analyze one of the following aspects: the intended audience, the purpose, the historic context, or the point of view. Some points of analysis may work better with some documents than others. In addition, you must establish and explain the connection between the document and one of the four issues that dominated the time period.*

**Document A** - Aspect of analysis (circle one) – *Intended Audience, Purpose, Historic Context, Point of View*

Analysis of document (2 phrases):

Issue illustrated (circle one) – *Manifest Destiny, the Two-Party System, Civil Rights for African Americans, Constitutional Struggles*

Elaboration of connection (3 phrases):

**Document B** - Aspect of analysis (circle one) – *Intended Audience, Purpose, Historic Context, Point of View*

Analysis of document (2 phrases):

Issue illustrated (circle one) – *Manifest Destiny, the Two-Party System, Civil Rights for African Americans, Constitutional Struggles*

Elaboration of connection (3 phrases):

**Document C** - Aspect of analysis (circle one) – *Intended Audience, Purpose, Historic Context, Point of View*

Analysis of document (2 phrases):

Issue illustrated (circle one) – *Manifest Destiny, the Two-Party System, Civil Rights for African Americans, Constitutional Struggles*

Elaboration of connection (3 phrases):

**Document D** - Aspect of analysis (circle one) – *Intended Audience, Purpose, Historic Context, Point of View*

Analysis of document (2 phrases):

Issue illustrated (circle one) – *Manifest Destiny, the Two-Party System, Civil Rights for African Americans, Constitutional Struggles*

Elaboration of connection (3 phrases):

**Document E** - Aspect of analysis (circle one) *– Intended Audience, Purpose, Historic Context, Point of View*

Analysis of document (2 phrases):

Issue illustrated (circle one) – *Manifest Destiny, the Two-Party System, Civil Rights for African Americans, Constitutional Struggles*

Elaboration of connection (3 phrases):

**Document F** - Aspect of analysis (circle one) – *Intended Audience, Purpose, Historic Context, Point of View*

Analysis of document (2 phrases):

Issue illustrated (circle one) – *Manifest Destiny, the Two-Party System, Civil Rights for African Americans, Constitutional Struggles*

Elaboration of connection (3 phrases):

**Document G** - Aspect of analysis (circle one) – *Intended Audience, Purpose, Historic Context, Point of View*

Analysis of document (2 phrases):

Issue illustrated (circle one) – *Manifest Destiny, the Two-Party System, Civil Rights for African Americans, Constitutional Struggles*

Elaboration of connection (3 phrases):