**Bill of (Your) Rights**

(Song courtesy “Rhythm, Rhyme, Results” at www.educationalrap.com)

**Chorus**
It’s the Bill of Rights, it’s the bill of your rights
It’s time to take your knowledge up to unfamiliar heights
The thrill of your life, just like riding a bike
You’re never, never, never going to forget the Bill of Rights
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The right to free speech and religion and press
Are guaranteed by Amendment One
Amendment Number Two says it’s true, that it’s all up to you
If you choose to possess a gun
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The government can’t force you to house and feed a soldier
Says Amendment Number Three
Amendment Number Four we adore says without a warrant
Your stuff can’t be searched or seized
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**Chorus (x2)** Group 1 again
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Amendment Number Five says the court can’t try you
With evidence they already used
It also says that nobody can make you self-incriminate
You’re allowed to stay silent if you choose.
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Amendment Number Six won’t let the criminal clock tick
The rights of the accused continue here, and then
Amendment Number Seven gives you one plus eleven:
A right to a trial by a jury of your peers
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If it’s cruel and unusual punishment
It’s ruled out by Amendment Eight
Amendment Number Nine says that other rights are fine
And Ten gives the rest to the states.

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**Chorus (x2)** Group 1 again

**Bill of (Your) Rights Music Video - Group Expectations**

1. Your group must have between 4 and 6 people.
2. ![C:\Documents and Settings\rstorzbach\Local Settings\Temporary Internet Files\Content.IE5\BF9CV6WO\MC900438193[1].wmf]()Each group will be assigned one “section” from the song “Bill of (Your) Rights”. Get to know it well! You will be on camera for this section only, so make your moment shine!
3. Here are the requirements for your part of the music video:
	1. All members must participate.
	2. As a group, you must create/bring in at least three props/signs/costumes (all must be school appropriate, i.e. NO guns) to support the lyrics for your section. In addition, you must “show” the number of your amendment(s) in some way – this must be an extra prop.
	3. Lip-syncing is required, and you must “act out” your section. You may wear a costume as long as it’s school-appropriate.
	4. You will have the class period on Friday, Nov. 6, and Monday, Nov. 9, to meet with your group and discuss props and practice your choreography.
	5. Tuesday, Nov. 10, we will have a couple of practice rounds and will then film a final version.
	6. HAVE FUN AND LEARN ABOUT THE BILL OF RIGHTS!!!