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he best constitution will make the best use of both approaches. In this class, we shall consider how these approaches are combined in the aristocratic constitution outlined in Plato's *Republic* and in the American compound republic as it existed prior to the Civil War.

Policies, Expectations, and Grading

ou are expected to attend every meeting of this class, to arrive on time and to be prepared to discuss the assigned readings. As you prepare for class, remember that wisdom awaits the diligent seeker. So, read carefully! Grades will be based on: 1) five short papers that you will present to the class on readings specifically assigned to you as a member of-1 ()

Count on spending *an average* of five hours per week outside of class preparing for discussion and preparing your assignm ()67(pr) 3 TT2 1 Tf [(B.) 8 ()] TJET Q 0.24 0 0 0.24 79.98252 286.7943c1