Examination paper for SOS2501 Norwegian Society

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Define these terms (maximum half a page):
1) National identity
2) Parliamentarism
3) Norway’s foreign policy concerns
4) The Labour Party

Choose **two** out of the following three assignments, and write a longer essay on each:
1) Account for the Norwegian parental leave, and explain the objectives of the fathers’ quota. Discuss whether this welfare right may have an impact on gender equality.

2) Give a presentation of the main Norwegian political institutions. It what way is the principle of separation of power reflected in the Norwegian political system?

3) Present the Norwegian energy structure. Explain why an abundance of resources is also known as a resource curse. Why has there not been a Norwegian “resource curse”? Are there any dangers that there will be a Norwegian resource curse in the future?