Unit 2: Effective Citizenship Fifth Grade Social Studies MERIT

In this unit, students will learn the importance of being a responsible citizen. The students will understand the **beliefs and ideals** behind the need for the Bill of Rights. Students will also begin to understand basic economic principles by learning about the relationship within **production**, distribution, consumption.

Standards:

SS5CG1 The student will explain how a citizen's rights are protected under the U.S. Constitution.

a. Explain the responsibilities of a citizen.

b. Explain the freedoms granted and rights protected by the Bill of Rights.

SS5E3 The student will describe how consumers and businesses interact in the United States

economy across time.

a. Describe how competition, markets, and prices influence people's behavior.

Vocabulary				
amendment	competition	entrepreneur	natural resources	sacrifice
Bill of Rights	citizen	goods	opportunity cost	service
budget	demand	incentive	population	supply
charter	democracy	income	representative democracy	transportation
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Day 6-7	 Lesson #4: Bill of Rights: You Mean I Have Got Rights? Students learn about the rights guaranteed by the Bill of Rights and other important constitutional amendments. First they consider what rights they believe are important, then they read and analyze the real text of each amendment. This lesson also helps students analyze the impact that the Bill of Rights has on their daily lives. Completing this lesson prepares students to play the game <i>Do I Have a Right</i>? Objectives: The student will Analyze a list of potential "rights" that citizens should have. Use labels to compare the rights they chose with the rights in the
	 actual Constitutional amendments. Identify key vocabulary in the original language of the Bill of Rights. Complete a cloze activity to demonstrate an understanding of the Bill of Rights. Analyze the impact of the Bill of Rights on daily life in the United States.
Day 8-9	Study Guide completed for Unit 1 and 2 Test
Day 10	Unit Test Review
Day 11	U nit Test over Unit 1 and Unit 2

Date Essential Question	
Learning Standard	
Note Taking Guide	
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Bill of Rights

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8 th Amendment		9 th Amendment		10 th Amendment

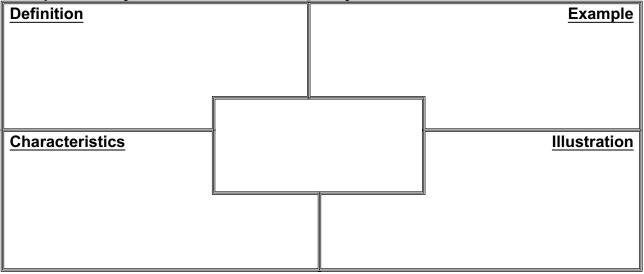
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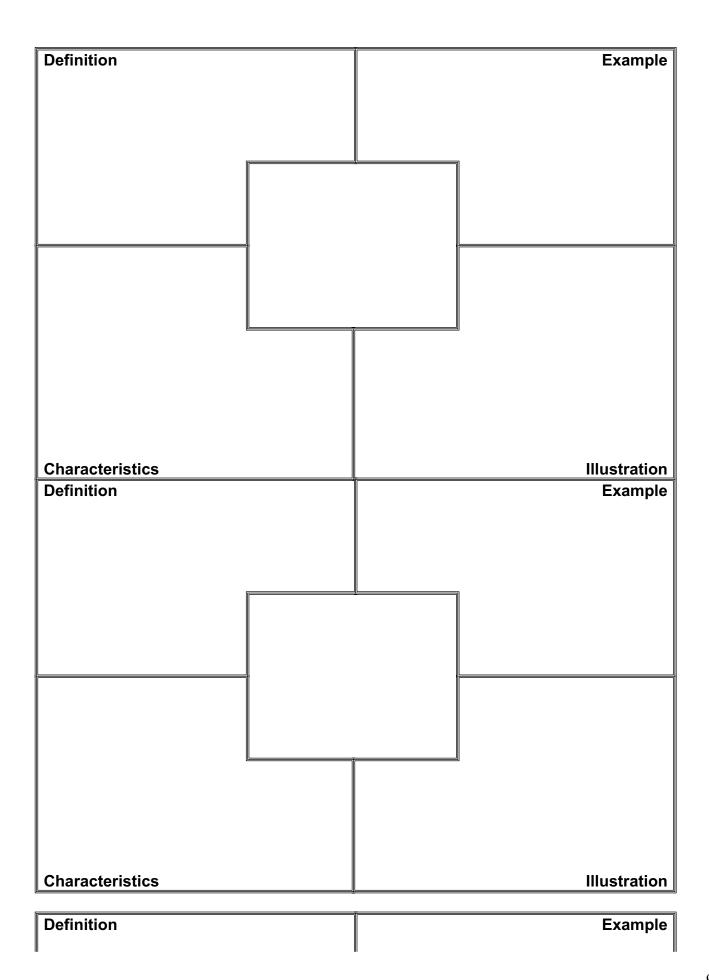
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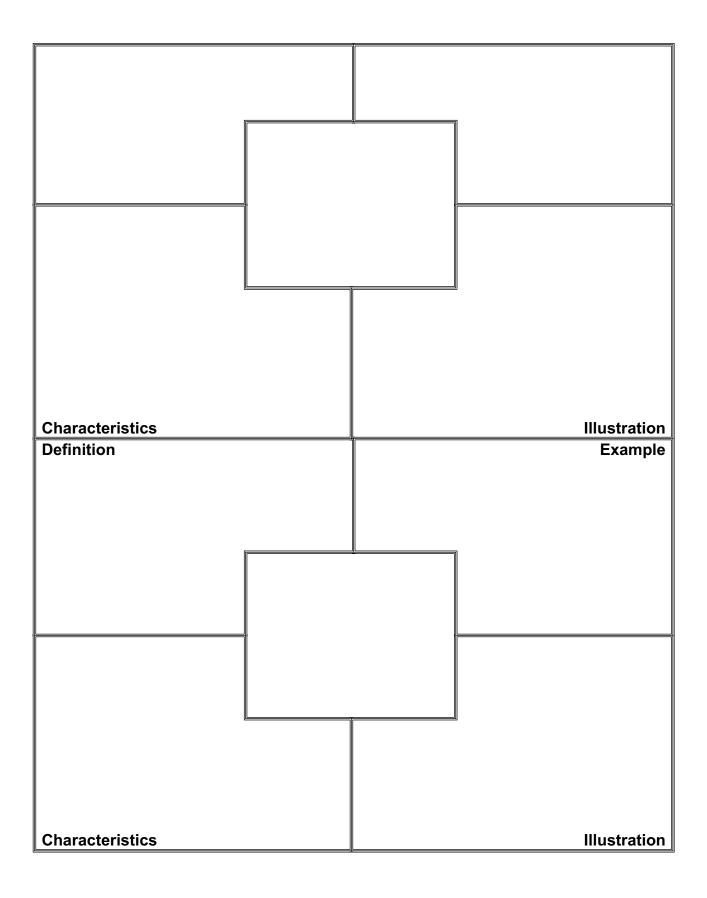
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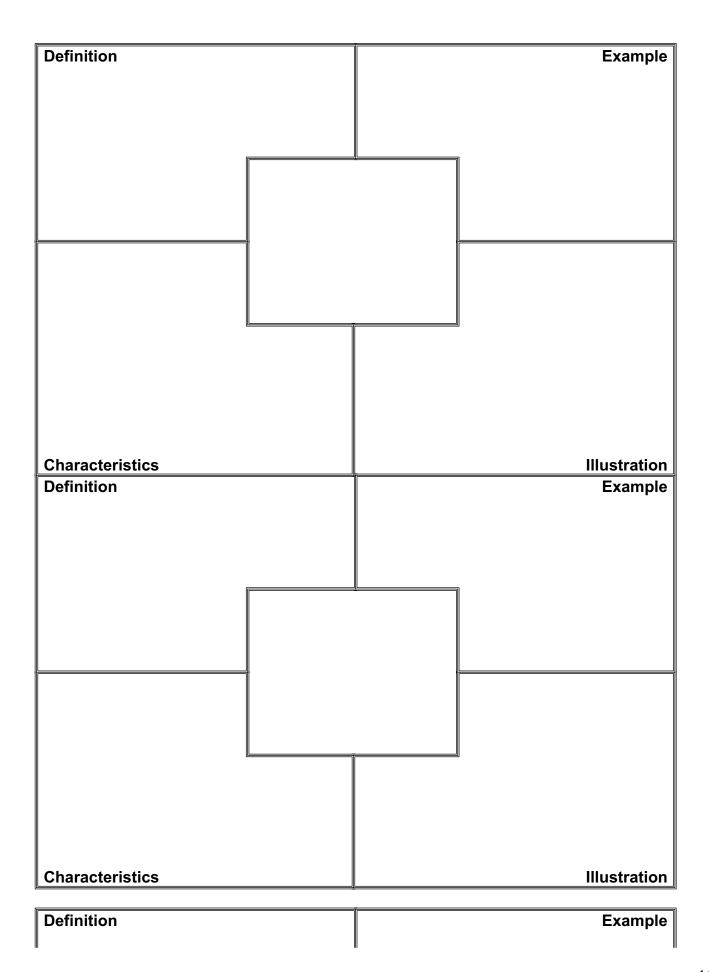
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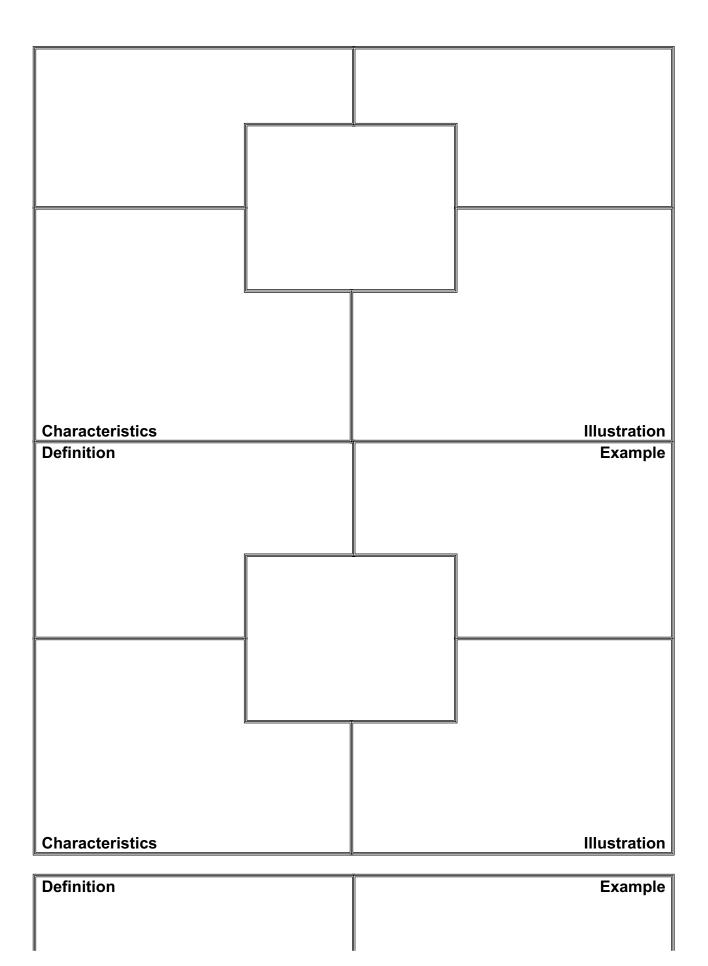
Complete a Frayer Model for each vocabulary term.

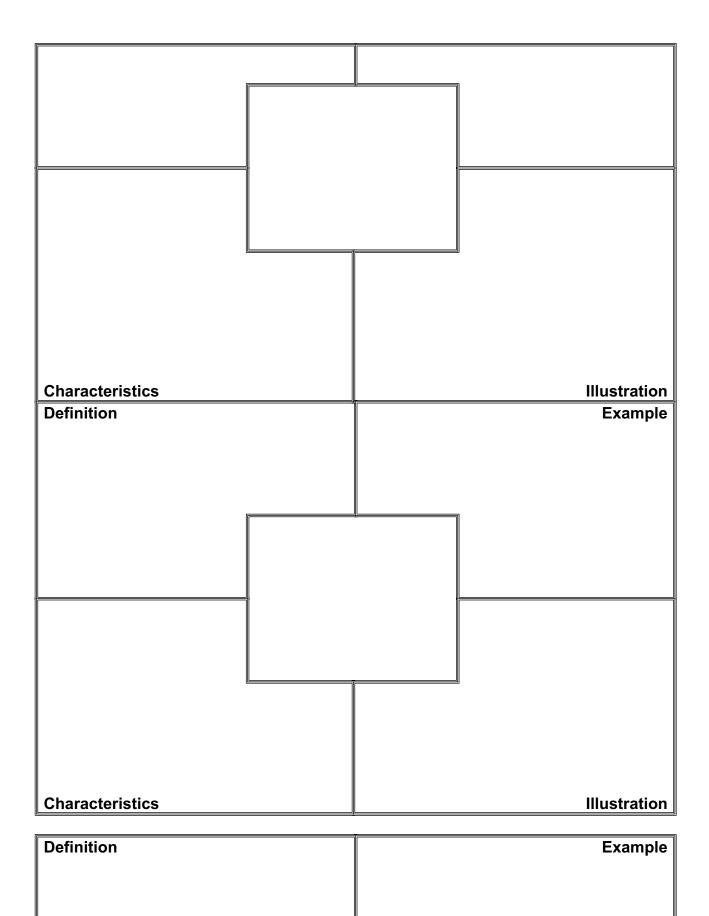


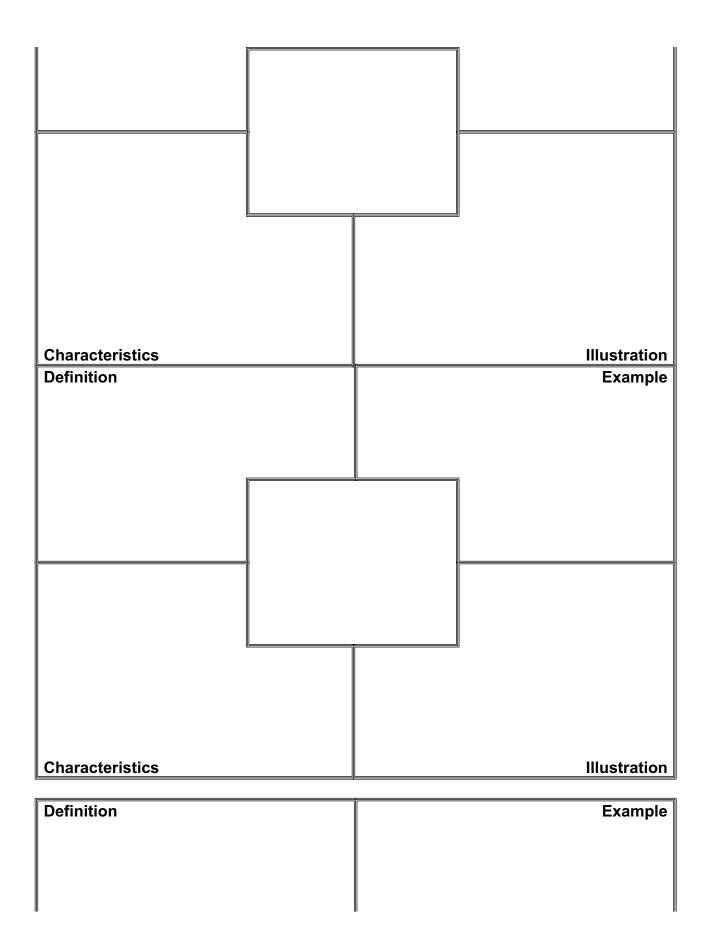


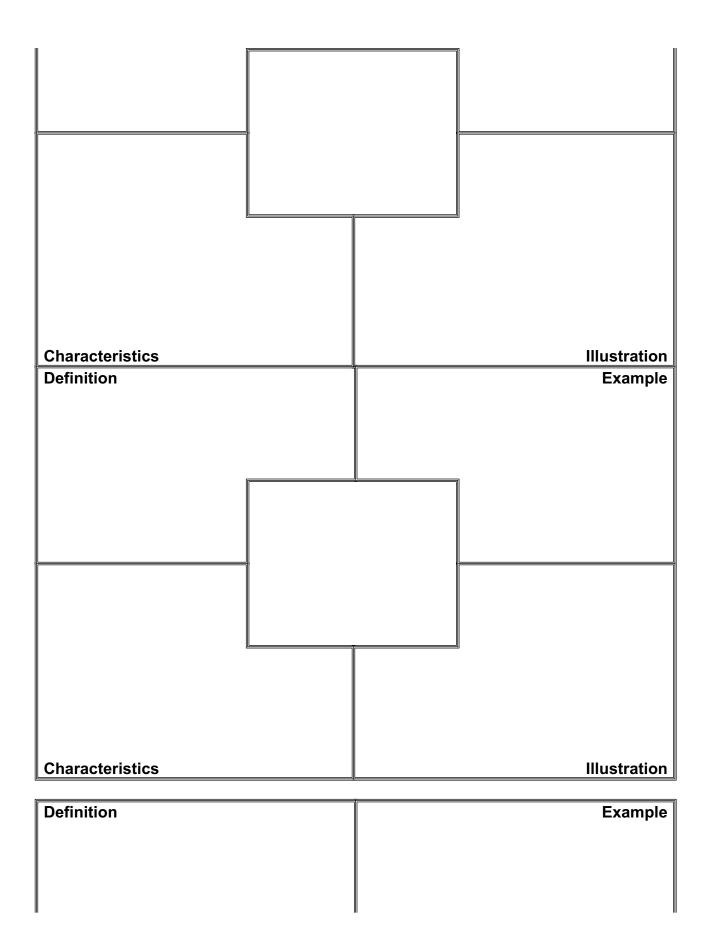


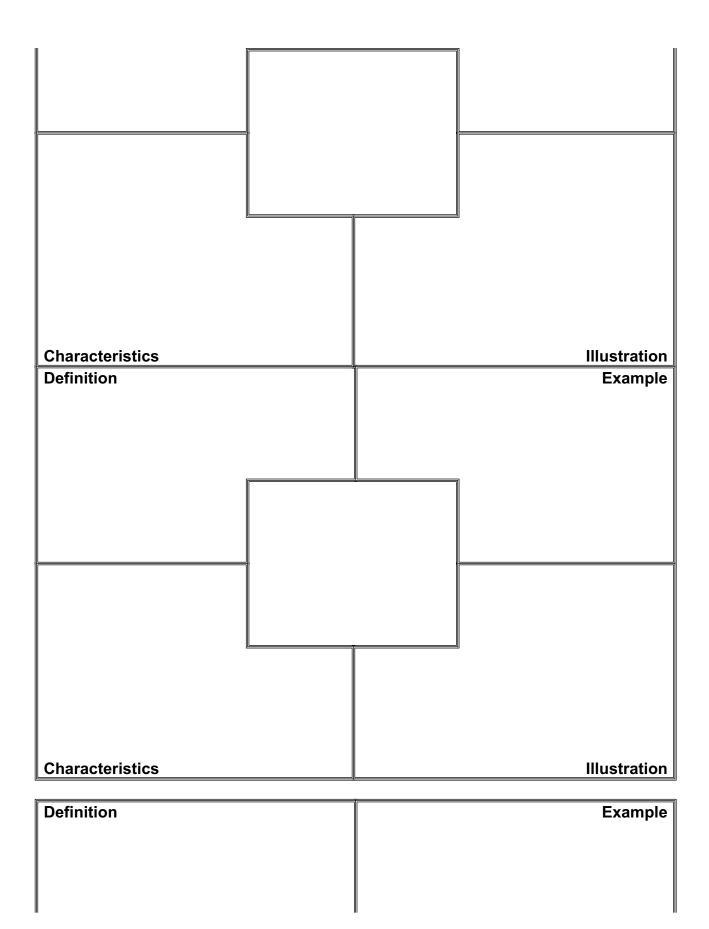


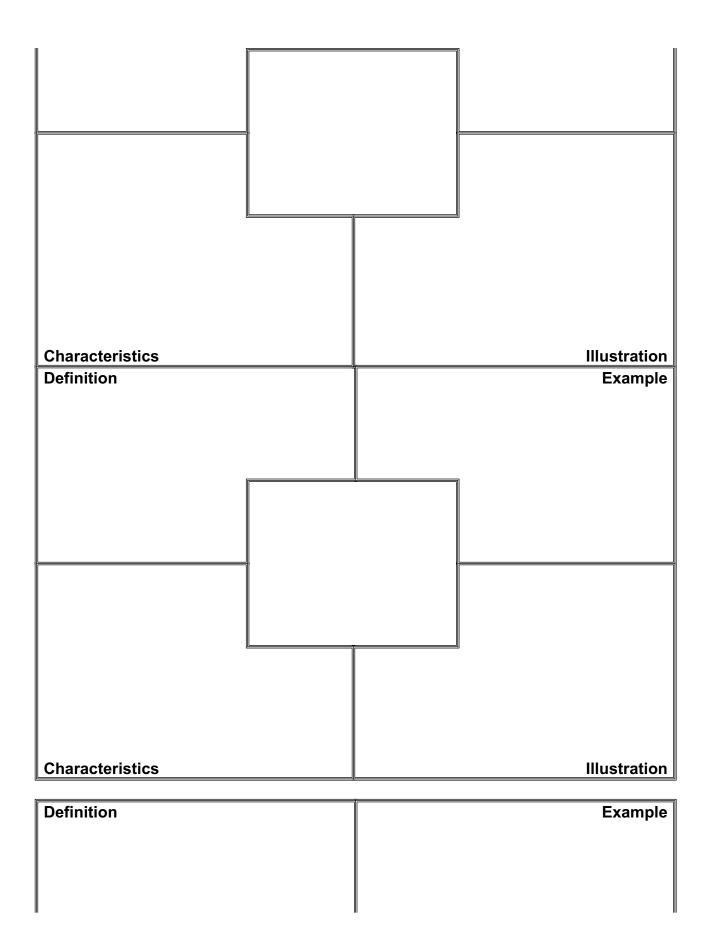


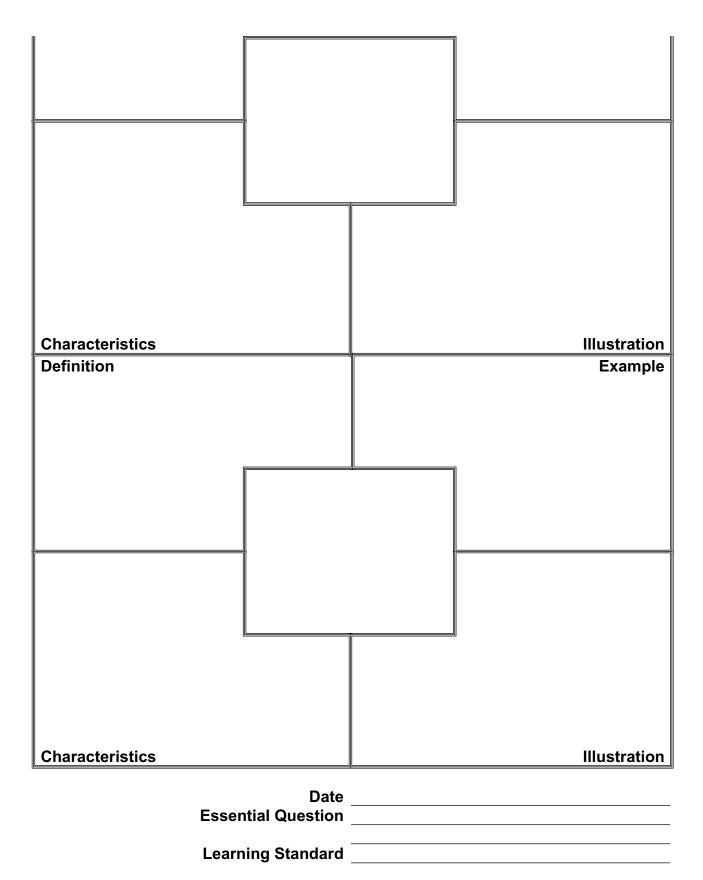












Lesson #2 Can I: Rights vs. Responsibility

Students explore the categories of rights and responsibilities held by United States citizens. By comparing and contrasting personal and political rights with social responsibilities and personal duties, students begin to see where rights and responsibilities meet, overlap, and even conflict.

Objective:

Students will be able to:

- create a list of classroom expectations and differentiate between rights and responsibilities in the classroom.
- identify key rights and responsibilities held by U.S. citizen; .explore the conflict between some rights and responsibilities (i.e. freedom of speech and public safety).
- create a Bill of Rights and list of responsibilities they think are important for a fictional country.

CAN I? What are your rights? What are your responsibilities? What is the difference?

RIGHTS				
Definition				
	Categories of righ	ts and example	es:	
1.		1.		
2.		2.		
3.		3.		
4.		4.		
5.		5.		
Do student	ts and adults have the same rights	?	Yes	No
	seem fair to you?		Yes	No
Give one re	eason that it might be important fo	or students to h	ave limited rights	•

Your Rights:

Pick your favorite right from the list above. Write it on the line, then fill in the blanks and check the correct boxes below:

_____ is a

Personal Right

Political Right

impacts participation in the political process

This right or freedom is important to me because

RESPONSIBILITIES

Definition

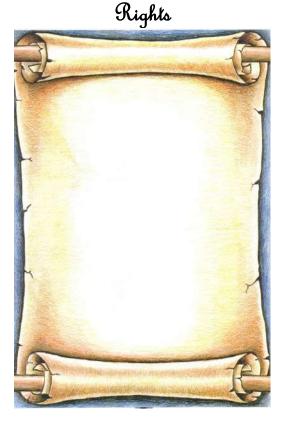
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	lities from the list above	e that would apply to you as a student
1.		
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3.		
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	a right?	If you yelled "FIRE!" in a crowded
YES	NO	movie theatre, you would be exercising the right to
Is voting a re	sponsibility?	Breaking your responsibility to
YES	NO	
Do rights and respo	onsibilities overlap?	Which do you think is more important
YES	NO	in this situation?
		Right Responsibility

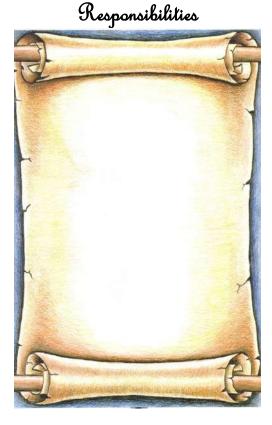
You are the founder of a new country named

ate a flag for your country:	Write a motto of short phrase for your country

Now you must sort the responsibilities and rights below into the correct categories, so that your citizens know exactly what their privileges and duties are! Fill in the last line on each scroll with a right and a responsibility that you think is important.

assembly petition religion movement pay taxes stay informed get an education own property tolerate others obey laws





Being the leader of a new country is a big job, but you seem to be doing a pretty good job! Here a letter from your subjects about their rights and responsibilities. Use your notes from the PowerPoint to fill in the blanks below.

To Our Dear Leader: We are writing to you today to express our gratitude for always protecting our _. We greatly appreciate your understanding of pour ____ rights, allowing us to live our lives the way we want to. Similarly, you have done a most excellent job letting us participate in the political process by practicing our _____ rights. We promise, as faithful _____, or members of your nation, that we will do our best to fulfill our _____ even when they _____ with our rights. Both our ___ and _____ Are of the utmost importance to us! It will be even easier to observe them when they ______ with our rights. Most Sincerely, Your Rightful and Responsible Citizen YOU MAKE THE CALL 1. You drew a picture of your town's mayor as an evil wizard. Which right applies Freedom of Speech **Right to Assembly** OR 2. You want to go to visit your grandpa and grandma in another state. Which right applies? OR 3. You are a reporter and have a true story about a local politician. Which right applies? OR 4. You want to get your friends together to talk about a hot issue. Which right applies? OR

Essential Question

Lesson #3 Citizenship: Just the Facts

Students learn about the status of citizenship in the United States. As a foundation for studying the rights and responsibilities of citizens, students learn what it means to be a citizen and how citizenship is obtained. Students also examine the dynamic nature of citizenship over time.

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Pre-test

True	False	
		1. Naturalization is the process that allows you to be more natural.
		2. To be naturalized you must be under 18 years old.
		3. In 1791, the Bill of Rights was added to the Constitution.
		4. Women have always had the right to vote.
		5. Allegiance means loyalty to a person, country, or belief.
		6. People who serve in the U.S. Military at least a year can become
		citizens.
		7. Today, you must be 21 years old to vote.
		8. Martin Luther King, Jr. led a march to protest the lack of food in the
		South.
		9. Today, people can be citizens regardless of their race or gender.
		10. As citizens we have both rights and responsibilities.

Date _____ Essential Question

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I Have Rights?!?!

Fast Forward . . . The year is 2056. The world as you know it has been completely destroyed by alien

invaders. You and a group of survivors have just won a terrifying battle against the aliens, who have now

left the planet. Now you're free, but everyone is still afraid because there is nothing on paper to guarantee people will have rights.. The leaders of the group have decided to create the Pamphlet of

Protections. The Pamphlet will define what rights people will have.

The following are rights that some of the leaders think should be included in the Pamphlet of Protections. They want your input. Mark your top 10 choices below:

Pamphlet of Protections

____1. The people shall have the right to own weapons.

____2. Everyone must be friends with everyone else.

____ 3. People are free to express their opinions on any subject.

4. A person accused of a crime has the right to a fair trial.

5. Criminals shall not be punished in a way that is mean or

weird.

_____6. The people shall have the right to clean streets and parks.

7. Laws can't stop adult citizens from voting.

8. The people shall have the right to a free education.

9. All people shall be protected equally by the laws.

____10. The people shall never be enslaved.

____11. No person shall be searched without a good reason

_____12. The people shall be free to drive as soon as they can operate a car.

_13. No person shall be required to fight in a war.

14. No person will be put on trial twice for the same crime.

15. A person may follow any religion or no religion.

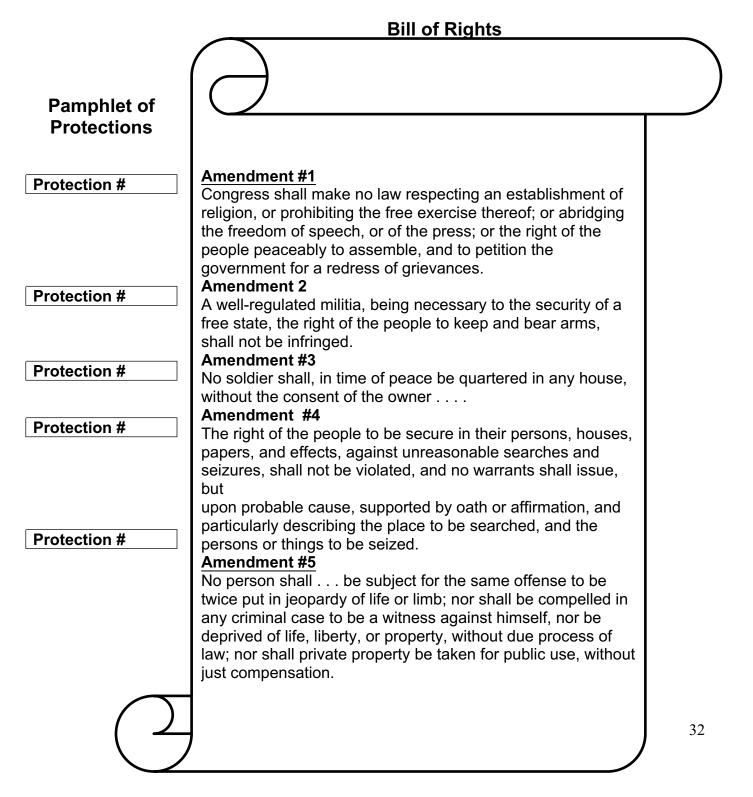
Rewind . . The year is 1791. The world as Americans knew it has recently been turned upside down

by the end of the Revolutionary War—a war that gave them their freedom from England. Now American colonists will no longer have to submit to an unfair king who wanted to keep Americans from

having rights of their own. America is independent, but there is nothing on paper to guarantee the new

government will give people the rights and freedoms they want. A group of leaders decides to add a Bill

of Rights to the Constitution to define what rights people will have. Be careful: Some rights will be in both documents and some won't!



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Pamphlet of Protections	
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Provision #	Amendment 6 In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor, and to have the assistance of counsel for his defense.
Provision #	Amendment 7 In suits at common law, where the value in controversy shall exceed twenty dollars, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved, and no fact tried by a jury, shall be otherwise reexamined in any court of the United States, than according to the rules of the common law.
Provision #	Amendment 8 Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.
Provision #	Amendment 9 The enumeration in the Constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.
	Amendment 10 The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.
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Lesson 5: Review I Have Rights?!?!

Fill in the Blank. Identify the real-life rights the Bill of Rights gives you by filling in the missing words below.

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houses	eighteen	twice	searched	searches	gender	
arms	color	property	slavery	race	persons	
witness	offense	public	speech	cruel	laws	
protection	petition	himself	public	seizures	papers	
press	government	things	seized			
1) A person accused of a crime has the right to a and						
trial.						
2) A warrant must describe the to be and the or						
	_ to be	·				
3) People have the right to keep and bear						
4) There will be no and punishments.						
5)	5) shall not exist in the United States.					
6) A person accused of a crime does not have to be a against						
7) Private		cannot be	taken for		use	
without paying	-					
the owner a	a fair price.					
8) People have the right to be free from unreasonable and and,						
	, 					

9) There can't be any law restricting peoples' freedom of ______ or of the

10) People have the right to are unhappy.	the	_ if they
11) People who are at least regardless of their , or		
12) A state cannot deny anyone equal		
13) A person cannot be put on trial	for the same	
14) People don't have to let	live in their houses.	

Essential Question

I Have Rights?!?!

Can They Do That? Read each person's story and decide if that person has a right. If so, which of the

amendments found in the Bill of Rights (the first 10 amendments) gives them that right?

1) I dyed my hair green because I wanted to make a statement. I didn't think that statement would be, "Search my backpack!" A police officer stopped me and said that he was going to search my backpack because he didn't like my	4) I know there is a law against keeping lions as pets in my town, but as long as I keep it on my property I should be allowed to have one! That's what private property is all about, right? Do I have a right to do what I want on my property?
hair color. Do I have a right to privacy in this	NO YES, in Amendment #
circumstance?	5) I am Buddhist, which means that I practice the
NO YES, in Amendment #	religion of Buddhism. I just moved to a new
2) I was arrested 12 months ago. I've been accused of speeding, but I	town that has banned all religion. The sheriff
haven't been given an opportunity to defend myself against the charge. I think they're just going to leave me in this jail forever! Do I	has threated to arrest me if I don't take an oath against religion. Do I have a right to practice religion?
have a right to a speedy and fair trial?	NO YES, in Amendment #
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3) I do not like our mayor at all. I think he has made some very bad choices and is not managing our town very well. I'm going to practice my free speech by spray painting a message for the whole town on the mayor's front door. Do I have a right to free speech through vandalism?	6) As punishment for accidentally breaking my neighbor's window, I have to replace all the windows that break in our town for the next year while wearing a silly hat and embarrassing outfit! Do I have a right to fight my punishment? NO YES, in Amendment #
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<u>A World Without?</u> Imagine what life would be like if our rights weren't protected. In complete sentences, describe what might happen if each of these amendments were missing from the Constitution.

Without the	this might happen!
1 st	
Amendment	
4 th	
Amendment	
5 th	
Amendment	
7 th	
Amendment	
8 th	
Amendment	