

ON YOUR DESK!

- **1. Leave space for your Reflective writing (FRIDAY)**
 - Pick on of the articles “All Alone” or “The Cost of Fashion”
 - Identify 2 or 3 economic terms (brainstorm if needed)
 - Write a reflection about the article you pick using economic terms.

- **2. Tape the additional economic terms on the next page**
 - First word is specification

- **3. Tape the 4 Squares of government on the next page**
 - First word is “What is Government?”

- **4. Tape the Government Terms on the next page**
 - First word is democracy

ADDITIONAL ECONOMIC TERMS

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TERM	DEFINITION / EXPLANATION
Interdependence	Result of specialization, or the division of labor. Once country specializes in a service or goods and trades with countries.
Specialization	Pursuing a particular line of study or work.
Quota	A specific limit placed on imports.
Tariff	A tax placed on imports.
GDP	Value of all goods & service produce in 1 year in a economy or country.

GOVERNMENT

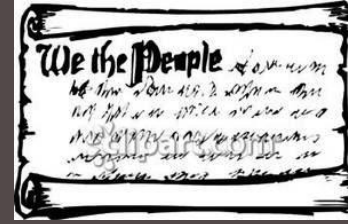
WHAT IS GOVERNMENT?

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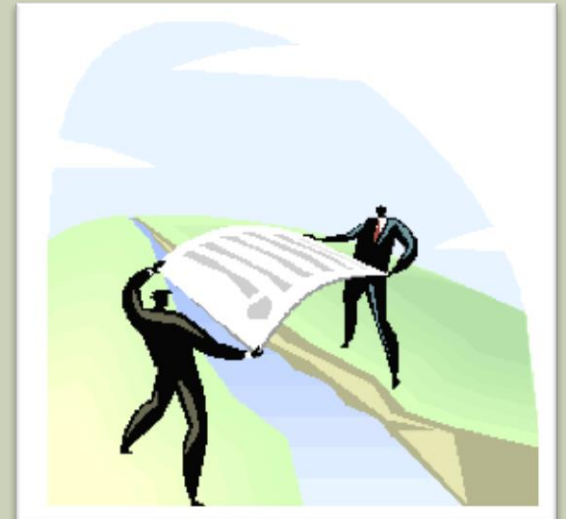
- Make laws
- Enforce laws
- Collect taxes
- Provide services



CONSTITUTION



- A system of basic rules the government will follow.
- Outlines the power the government has.



LIMITED VS. UNLIMITED

LIMITED	UNLIMITED
Government is limited by law.	One Person or small group has all the power to make rules and decision for the country.
People can gather to discuss the government.	You do not have the right to gather.
The people have access to information. They can ask questions of the government.	Limited access to information and monitored (cell phones, Internet, television, etc.)
People can express opinions about the government.	Opinions are not encouraged and may be stopped.

Do we have a limited or unlimited government in the United States?
Explain.

POLITICAL SYSTEMS

SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT	EXPLANATION
Democracy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Examples : Ancient Athens – DIRECT & United States - REPRESENTATIVE• Citizens hold the political power to pass laws and select leaders (representatives)• Power of the government is usually limited.
Monarchy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Examples: Saudi Arabia – ABSOLUTE & England - CONSTITUTIONAL• The state is ruled by a monarch (king or queen)• <u>Absolute</u> monarchs have unlimited power / <u>Constitutional</u> monarchs are limited and share power with other branches of government.• Powers of the monarchy can be both limited or unlimited.

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