



MONARCHY & DEMOCRACY



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Special Needs for Special Kids



For students who:

- are emerging or non-readers
- take alternate assessments
- are in special education
- short-attention span
- lack pre-requisite skills
- benefit from the use of pictures for support
- middle/high school

This resource comes in a zipped folder. You will need to unzip the folder to access all the contents which include:

- **7 days of lesson plans**
- **Monarchy & Democracy activities in color**
- **Monarchy & Democracy in black and white**
- **Voice-recorded PowerPoint show**
- **Monarchy & Democracy book (PowerPoint) to use with activities**
- **Links and directions to digital activities**

Monarchy vs Democracy

Unit for Special Education

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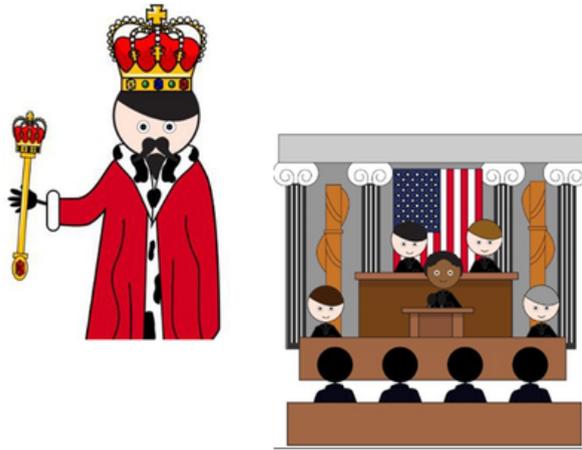


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Also included in this resource as separate files:

- Lesson plans
- Links and directions to digital activities
- PowerPoint **(this is the book in the lesson plan)**
- Voice recorded PowerPoint
- Activities in black and white

This unit contains 7 days of material that is in both printable and digital formats. I have included a detailed lesson plan to help you make the most of everything in this unit including how to add some group activities.

It comes in 2 separate files. One in color and one in black and white.

Day 1

Activity	Notes	Materials
Read or listen to a recording of the book (15 minutes)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Since this is the <u>first time</u> students are seeing the book, I focus a lot on the pictures<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Ask lots of questions about what they might think the pictures mean or may relate to• Make connections between book and vocabulary board (have students find relevant symbols on their boards to go with a concept or photo on page.)• Go through the book twice, once just looking at the photos and a second time reading the story	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Book• Vocabulary board
Vocabulary cards (5 minutes)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• This first day, I am just introducing and allowing the students to explore/look at the cards• Make connections between cards and vocabulary board (have students matching symbols on the board)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Vocabulary cards• Vocabulary board
Circle Map (10 minutes)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Do the circle map on a monarchy• Choose the best version (errorless or not) depending on the learning level of your students• Students cut out symbols and place in circle map• Make connections to the book as necessary	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Circle map• Scissors• Glue
Sharing (10 minutes)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Each student shares their circle map with the group using the communication method of their choice• This repetition is so important. Students are hearing the relevant vocabulary when:<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Read the story◦ Review the vocabulary cards and board◦ Complete the circle map◦ Share the circle map	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Completed circle maps• Communication devices

The lesson plans contain:

- Overall tips for teaching students with significant needs
- A quick look at what you will do each day
- Detailed instructions on how that day's lesson should run

Let's look at two of the more common types of **government** still around today.

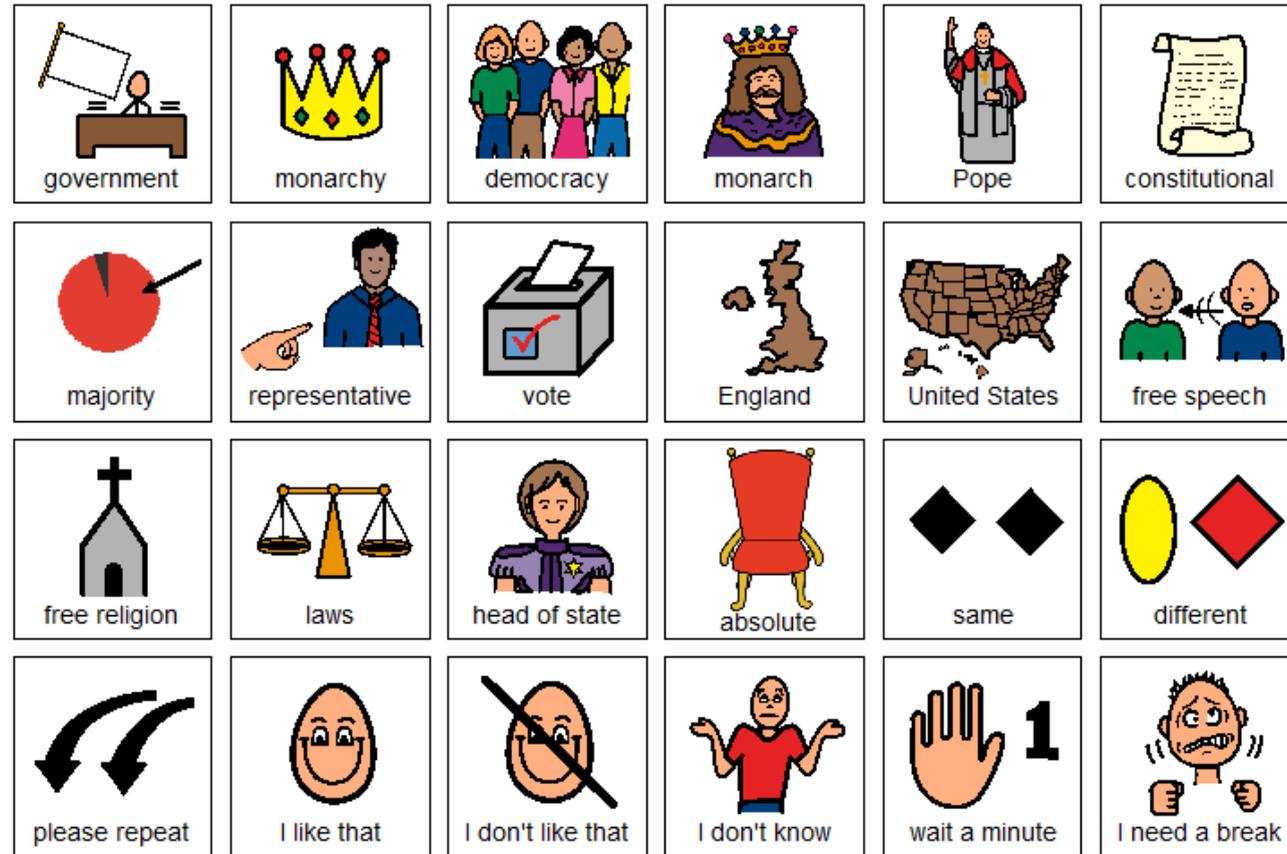


In an **absolute monarchy**, the sole leader also makes all the laws and enforces them. He does not have to follow any rules, and no one can tell him what to do.



This unit contains 44 slides, a PowerPoint with simple text and engaging photos.

It comes as a PowerPoint version as well as a video (mp4) so you don't have to print it out.



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This unit comes with a vocabulary board.

Vocabulary boards are great for ALL students to assist with participation and engagement in group discussions.

Tips on how to use in the unit!!

Also in black and white

government

How a country decides to rule over its citizens.



monarchy

Form of government with one person in charge of the country.



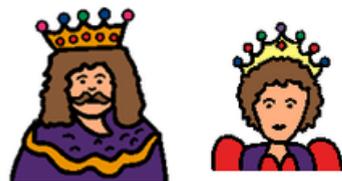
democracy

Form of government where the people make decisions. Everyone is equal.



monarch

Person who leads the monarchy, most often a king or queen. Usually a family member of the previous monarch.



There are vocabulary cards students will use every day for a group activity. There are also cut and paste activities.

Pope

Absolute monarch in charge of Vatican City and the Catholic Church.

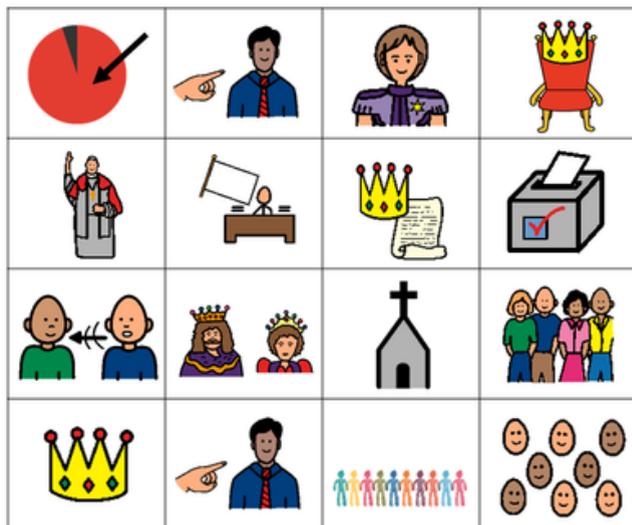


Absolute monarchy

Government where the monarch has complete control over the country, laws, people, and land.

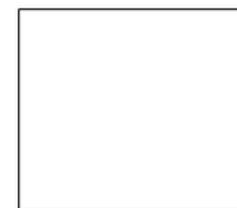


Match the images with the correct definition on the previous pages.



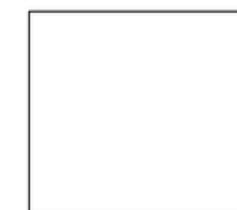
Constitutional monarchy

Government where the monarch usually does not have power. The laws are decided by a group elected by the people.



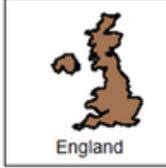
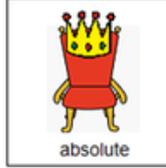
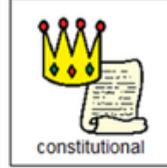
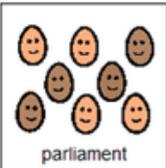
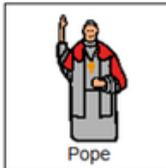
parliament

Group of people elected to make decisions as part of the monarchy.



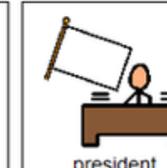
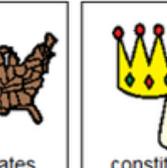
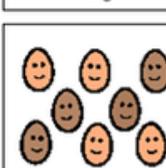
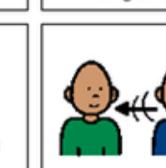
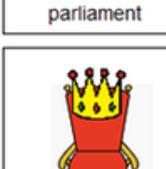
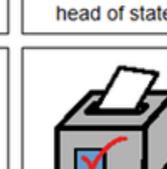
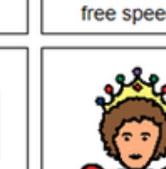
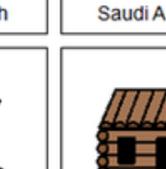
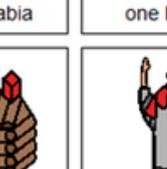
Errorless version

Cut apart pictures and place in circle map about a monarchy.

 king	 queen	 England	 absolute	 constitutional
 parliament	 head of state	 Pope	 Saudi Arabia	 one leader



Cut apart pictures and place in circle map **ONLY IF** they relate to a monarchy.

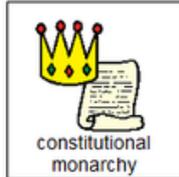
 king	 president	 England	 United States	 constitutional
 parliament	 head of state	 free speech	 Saudi Arabia	 one leader
 absolute	 vote	 queen	 log cabin	 Pope

This unit contains 2 circle maps:

- Monarchy
- Democracy

There are 2 versions:

- Errorless option with only correct answers
- Wrong answers mixed in that students will have to set aside.



representative	king	United States	free speech	queen
majority	Pope	head of state	congress	Saudi Arabia
free religion	parliament	vote	president	England

representatives	king	Saudi Arabia	can take things from citizens	queen
parliament	vote/elections	head of state	England	Pope

There are 3 sorting activities comparing these 2 governments and their leaders. Suggestions for differentiation are included.

Color the monarchies red.



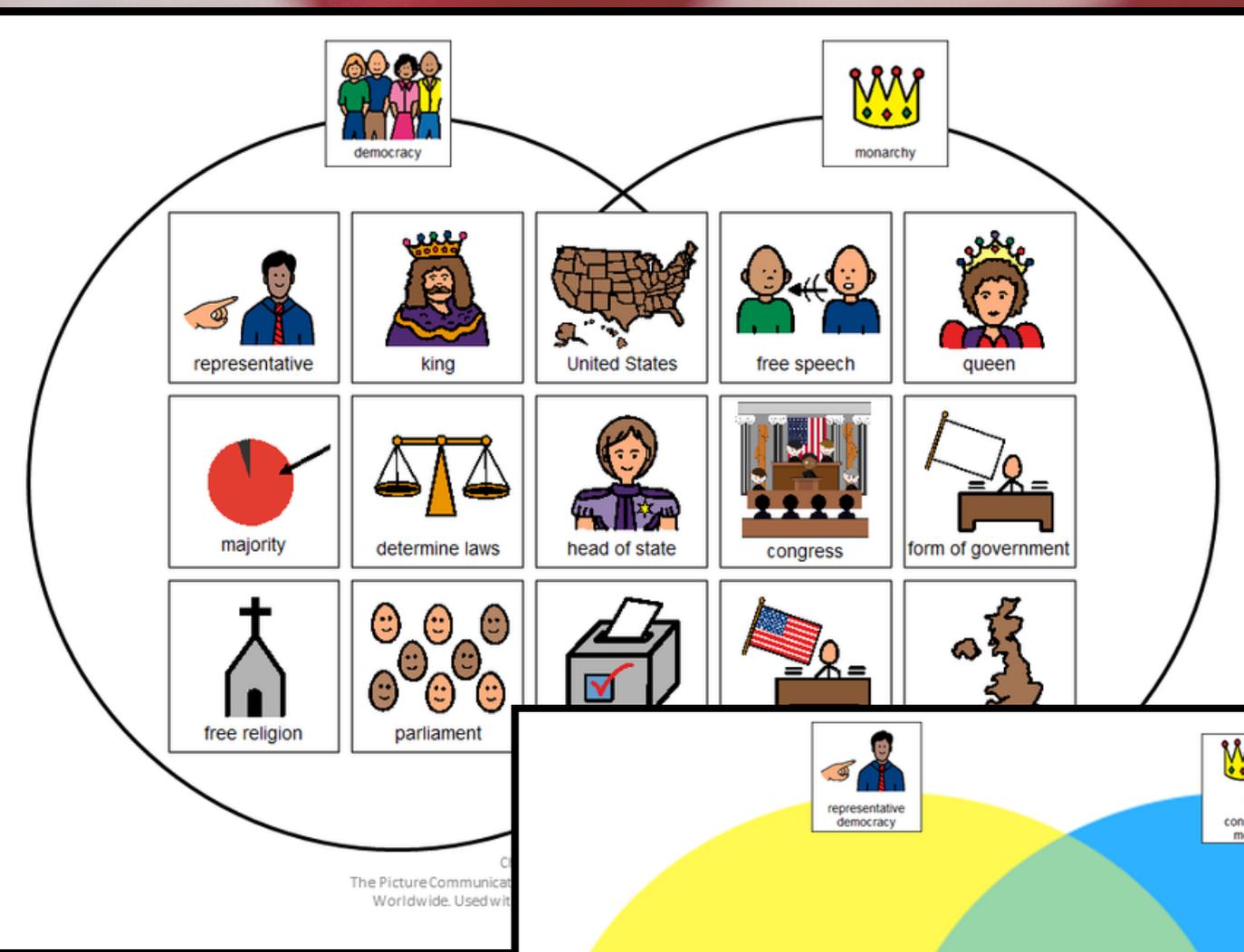
Color the democracies blue.



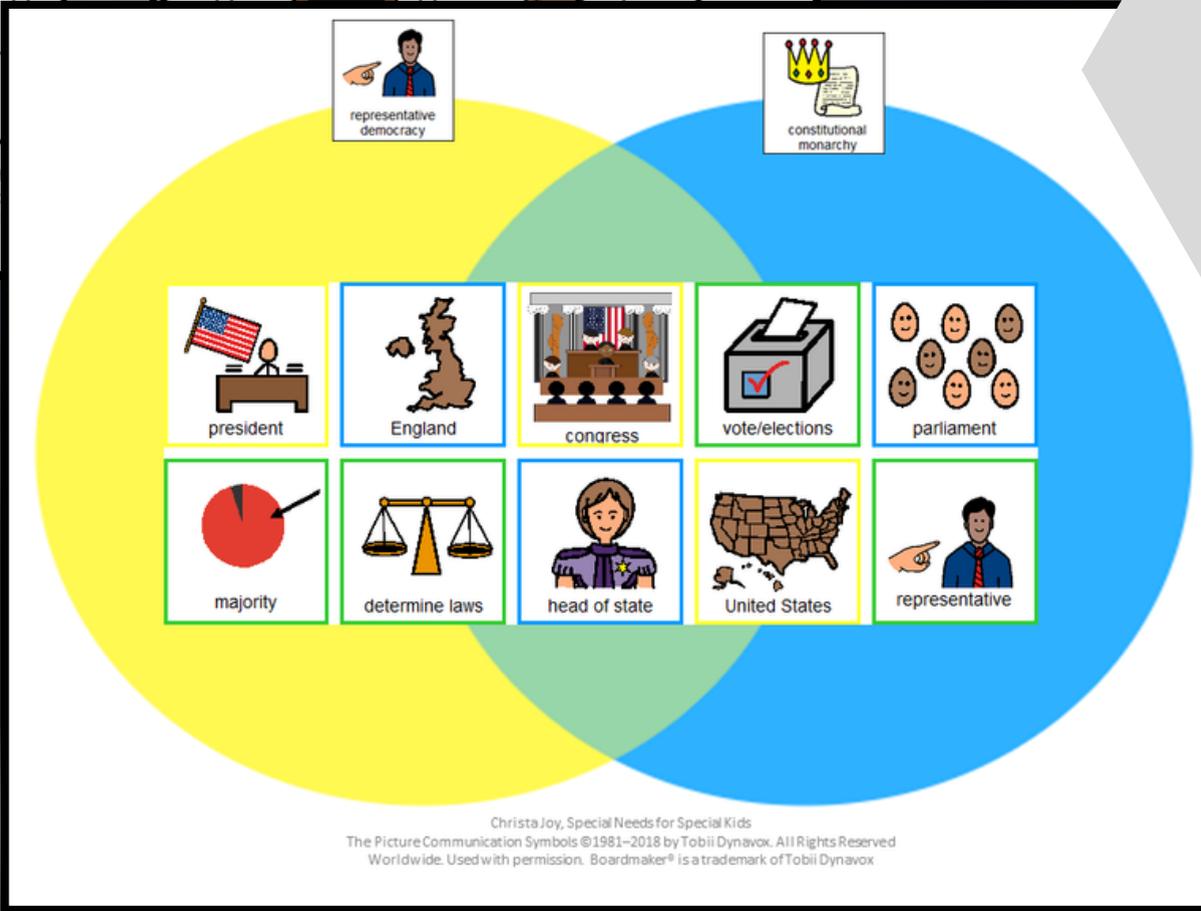
There is a world map (differentiated) for students to color in where these 2 governments exist.

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There are 2 Venn Diagrams
students can complete for
more comparisons.

Color-coded version is included.

Monarchy vs Democracy

democracy	monarchy	parliament			monarch
elections		monarch		parliament	monarchy
			president		elections
president	democracy			monarchy	
monarchy		president			democracy
parliament		democracy	monarchy	elections	

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Monarchy vs Democracy

			president
	president	democracy	monarchy
democracy			monarch
president		monarchy	

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Place the following images in the empty squares on the previous page, completing the sudoku puzzle.

monarchy	monarchy	democracy	democracy
monarch	monarch	monarch	president

Students will have the opportunity to work with new vocabulary with 2 different puzzles.

Monarchy and Democracy

R R E P R E S E N T A T I V E
H B M A J O R I T Y P S A X A
Z V U K W R E L E C T I O N S
P Q N M B P A R L I A M E N T
C O N S T I T U T I O N A L D
H E A D O F S T A T E W N A E
Y E J C D I N N N V W F X A M
G O V E R N M E N T Z N M B O
L H B C D V H P L K T C O S C
W Q F L Q G T B Q N S P N O R
K E B W U C X V B O A O A L A
X M O N A R C H Y M Q P R U C
M H L Z X Z T V T K S E C T Y
F A Q I F T X S O M F P H E W
V O T E O Y U Q I B O O W V D

representative constitutional head of state government
parliament elections monarchy democracy
majority vote absolute monarch
pope

Monarchy

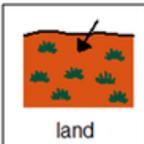
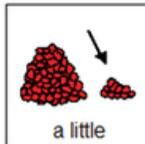
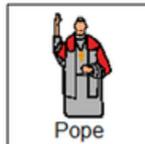
1. In a monarchy there is leader.

2. The king or queen is often appointed by their .

3. In an absolute monarchy, the leader owns all the .

4. The is the sole leader of the Catholic Church.

5. In a constitutional monarch, the leader has very power.



Democracy

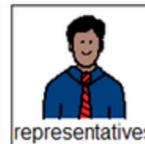
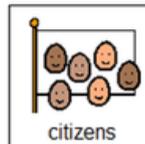
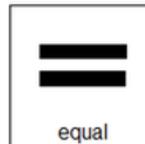
1. The is an example of a democracy.

2. The head of a democracy is the .

3. The vote on the rules and laws in a democracy.

4. In a democracy, everyone gets an say.

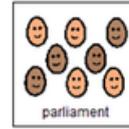
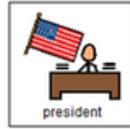
5. In democracies today, people elect to vote for them.



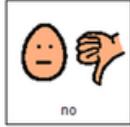
Close worksheets are a great informal assessment. This unit has 10 questions for each type of government.

Answer key included.

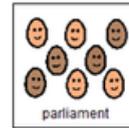
1. Who is in charge of an **absolute monarchy**?



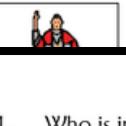
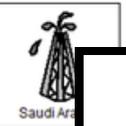
2. Does the king/queen vote in a **constitutional monarchy**?



3. Who makes decisions in a **constitutional monarchy**?



4. Circle the countries that are **monarchies**.



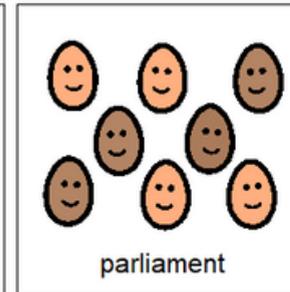
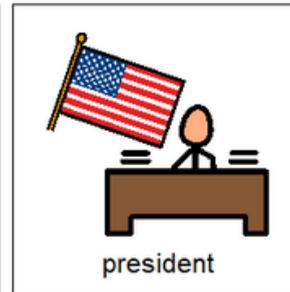
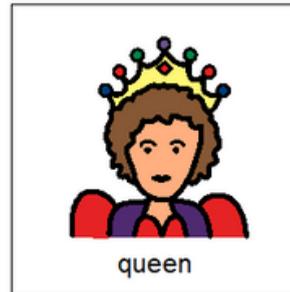
5. Who votes in a **direct democracy**?



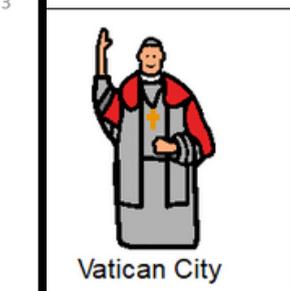
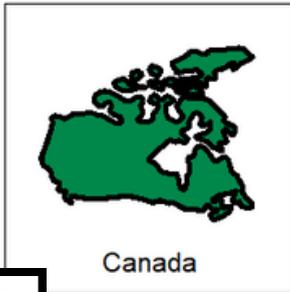
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Print onto cardstock or mount on index cards. Cut pictures apart and show student answer choices for each question.

Q 3



Q 4



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Version 3

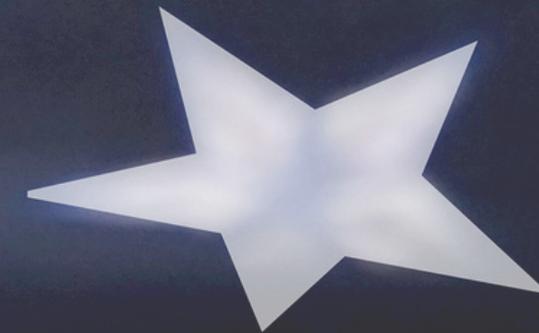
- Who is in charge of an **absolute monarchy**?
 - King
 - President
 - Parliament
- Does the king/queen vote in a **constitutional monarchy**?
 - Yes
 - No
 - I don't know
- Who makes decisions in a **constitutional monarchy**?
 - Queen
 - President
 - Parliament
- Circle the countries that are **monarchies**.

A. United States	D. Saudi Arabia
B. Canada	E. Vatican City
C. England	
- Who votes in a **direct democracy**?
 - Representatives
 - EVERY person
 - President
- Who votes in a **democratic republic**?
 - Representatives
 - EVERY person
 - King

FINALLY the assessment!! There are 3 versions.

- 10 questions with 3 picture choices for each question
- cut out the answer choices and glue them on index cards
- traditional multiple choice

Answer key included.



Watch the movie on the Monarchy and Democracy

Despite, having a representative, every citizen still has his or her own individual rights that cannot be taken away.



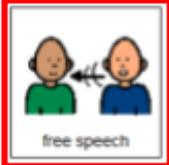
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There are digital versions for most of the activities in this unit. The PowerPoint also comes as an mp4 that you can show in a google slide or in google classroom.

Great for review!!

Place pictures in circle map about a democracy.

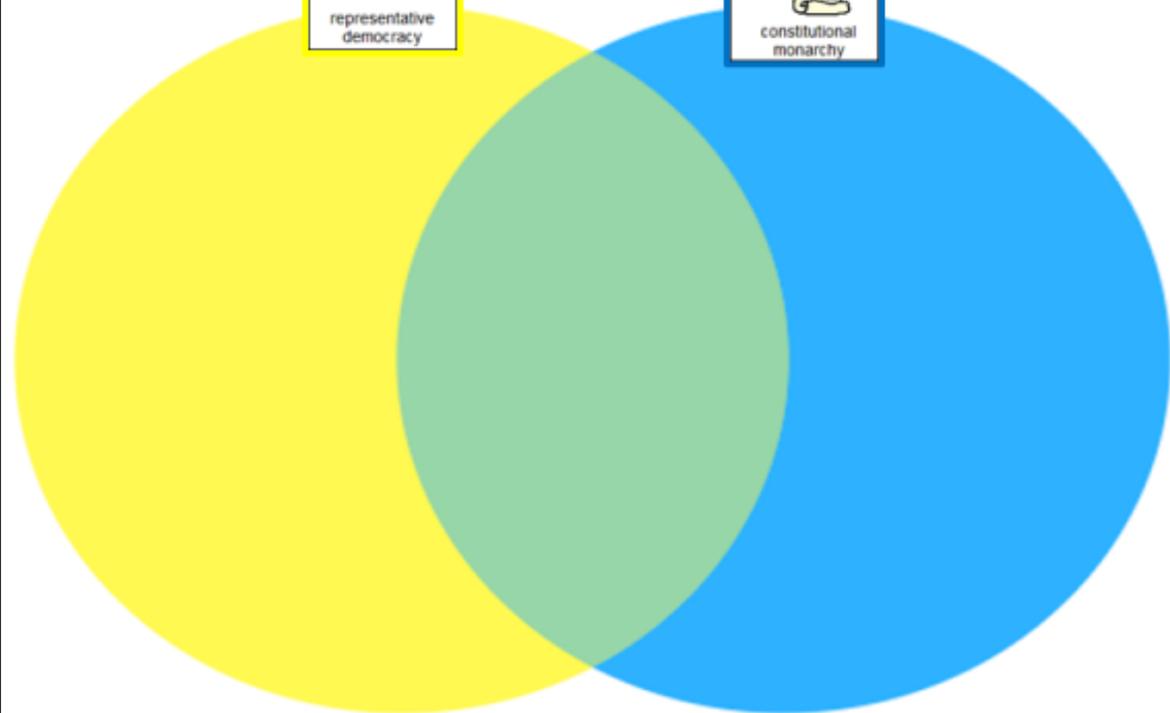
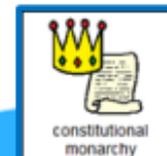


 vote	 president	 free speech	 United States
 majority	 Canada	 election	 congress

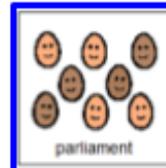
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There are 2 sets of digital activities. All the activities in both sets are click and drag; there is no typing required.

Perfect for any learning level



Place the pictures in the correct location on the Venn Diagram.



The second set of slides is differentiated with color to add more support to students who are still learning the information. These make great independent work centers.

Save and get this unit as part of a Government and Economics Bundle.

- **Feudal System**
- **Monarch vs Democracy**
- **Capitalism vs Socialism**
- **Nationalism vs Imperialism**
- **Branches of Government**

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