

Comparing Principles of Democracy

10.2 – Students compare and contrast the Glorious Revolution of England, the American Revolution, and the French Revolution and their enduring effects worldwide on the political expectations for self-government and individual liberty.

2. List the principles of the Magna Carta, the English Bill of Rights (1689), the American Declaration of Independence (1776), the French Declaration of the Rights of Man and the Citizen (1789), and the U.S. Bill of Rights (1791).

| | Magna Carta 1225 | English Bill of Rights 1689 | American Declaration of Independence 1776 | French Declaration of the Rights of Man and Citizen 1789 | US Bill of Rights 1791 |
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| Judicial | | | | | |
| Trade and Taxation | | | | | |
| Sovereignty | | | | | |
| Civil Rights | | | | | |
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1. How have principles of law changed over time? What principles have endured?
2. Which of these principles do we see in our government today? Which other document seems to have been the biggest influence?
3. What kind of progression in law do you see over the years? Are people given more or less protection? What about business?