

Free Response Questions for Unit 2: Democratic Revolutions

Prompt A: Compare and contrast the causes of two of the following Revolutions: American, French, Haitian or Latin American.

4.0	In addition to score 3.0 performance, the response may <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connect the causes of these revolutions to other examples not covered in class. • Skillfully incorporates multiple, specific, historic examples as evidence.
3.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify two revolutions for comparison • Compare and contrasts how ideas and/or thinkers influenced each revolution • Compare and contrasts how historic events and/or actions influenced each rev. • Appropriately uses historic documents, people, events and/or dates as evidence
2.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes two historic events, ideas and/or actions that contributed to one revolution. • Describes two historic events, ideas and/or actions that contributed to a second revolution.
1.0	Partial understanding of some of the simple details of the 2.0 content, but not the 3.0
0	No understanding demonstrated

Prompt B: Pick two revolutions (American, French, Haitian or Latin American) and compare their effects on the government, social and economic structures of each country.

4.0	In addition to score 3.0 performance, the response may <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connect the effects of these revolutions to other examples not covered in class. • Analyze short term and long changes. • Skillfully incorporates multiple, specific, historic examples as evidence.
3.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify two revolutions for comparisons. • Compares how both revolutions changed government structures. • Compares how both revolutions changed social structures. • Compares how both revolutions changed the economic structures. • Appropriately uses historic documents, people, events and/or dates as evidence.
2.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes two effects (government, social or economic) of one revolution. • Describes two effects (government, social or economic) of a second revolution.
1.0	Partial understanding of some of the simple details of the 2.0 content, but not the 3.0
0	No understanding demonstrated
4.0	In addition to score 3.0 performance, the response may achieve 1 or more of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describes 3 or more of Napoleon's specific actions and explains how each contributed to nationalism in France. • Identifies specific countries, other than France, where Napoleon's actions inspired nationalism and explains how. • skillfully incorporates multiple, specific, historic examples as evidence. • describes the impact of nationalism on the Congress of Vienna & Revolutions of 1848.