



<p>28 rule of law</p> <p>the idea that all people and institutions must follow the laws, which are fairly applied to everyone</p>  <p>Example: Under the rule of law, nobody, not even the president, can do as he/she pleases.</p> <p>(SS080105)</p>	<p>29 Mayflower Compact</p>  <p>the first attempt by English colonists to establish a temporary, legally-binding form of self-government</p> <p>Example: Passengers on the <i>Mayflower</i> signed the Mayflower Compact because they knew they would need some form of government.</p> <p>(SS080105)</p>
<p>30 English Bill of Rights</p>  <p>an act of Parliament that asserted governmental supremacy of Parliament over the monarch in England</p> <p>Example: The English Bill of Rights established separation of powers, limited the powers of the king and queen, promoted democratic elections and protected freedom of speech.</p> <p>(SS080105)</p>	<p>31 limited government</p>  <p>the principle where governmental power is restricted by law, usually in a written constitution</p> <p>Example: We have a limited government in the United States through the U.S. Constitution and the Bill of Rights, which restrict the power of government.</p> <p>(SS080105)</p>