

Applying Your Knowledge: Ideologies and Government

Civics 10

Unit: 1

Research a particular country and create a presentation that covers the material below. You may not research Canada or the United States. Your presentation should last 8 minutes. A write-up should be 2 pages and include some useful diagrams.

Your slideshow should be anywhere from 10-15 slides long.

- What the the name of the country?
- What is the population and where is the country located? (provide a small map)
- Give us a few details about the country- so we know more about them.
- Who is the leader? Brief summary (how do they become leader, political background , how long they remain leader for, etc.)
- Identify the system of government and ideology(s) and provide evidence to support each (e.g. Totalitarian— use of secret police...)
- How many political parties are there?
- Include some really interesting fact you learned about this country's government
- In your opinion, do they have a good system of government? Why or why not?

Some countries you may find interesting to learn more about:

-India	-Russia	-China	-North Korea	-UAE
-Myanmar (Burma)	-Cuba	-Libya	-South Africa	-Saudi Arabia
-Uzbekistan	-Belarus	-Venezuela	-Zimbabwe	-Swaziland
-Taiwan	-Haiti	-Sri Lanka		

These are countries you could research about a point in their history:

-Germany under Hitler	-Russia under Stalin	-Cambodia under the Khmer Rouge
-China under Chairman Mao	-Turkmenistan under Turkmenbashi	
-Uganda under Idi Amin	-Panama under Noriega	-Iraq under Saddam Hussein

Level 1 (50-59%)	Level 2 (60-69%)	Level 3 (70-79%)	Level 4 (80-90%)	Level 4+ (91-100%)
<i>Student has demonstrated a poor understanding of ideologies and systems of government. The ideology and system of government chosen is very unclear.</i>	<i>Student has demonstrated an average understanding of ideologies and systems of government. The ideology and system of government chosen lacks clarity.</i>	<i>Student has demonstrated a good understanding of ideologies and systems of government. The ideology and system of government chosen is accurate.</i>	<i>Student has demonstrated a very good understanding of ideologies and systems of government. The ideology and system of government chosen is clear and logical.</i>	<i>Student has demonstrated an exceptional understanding of ideologies and systems of government. The ideology and system of government chosen is clear and logical.</i>

Remember:

-Neatness counts!

-Proper spelling & grammar is important!

-Make sure your information is accurate!

-Learn how to pronounce things.