

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT

LESSON 09 QUESTIONNAIRE

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9.18.1 Name three kinds of world governments.

9.18.2 What is an autocracy?

9.18.3 What are the principal characteristics of autocracy?

9.18.4 What is a democracy?

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9.18.6 What is a republic?

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9.18.8 Which form of government did the makers of the Constitution seek to establish?

9.18.9 Name the methods of representative government. Describe them.

9.18.10 What new feature of government was incorporated into the Constitution?

9.18.11 Describe the "American Bill of Rights."

9.18.12 What "individual rights" are formally guarded by the original Constitution?

9.18.13 What "rights" were added by the first ten amendments?

9.18.14 How was majority rule prevented and popular government preserved?

9.18.15 How were the differences as to representation compromised by the framers of the Constitution?

9.18.16 What is meant by "separation of powers"?

9.18.17 Explain "checks and balances."

9.18.18 Describe the Federal judiciary.

9.18.19 Enumerate the national powers delegated to Congress.

9.18.20 What limitations were placed on the powers of Congress?

9.18.21 Name and define several dangers to representative government.

9.18.22 Name and define the main safeguards of representative government.

9.18.23 How does restricted immigration benefit -

- The social life of America?
- The economic life of America?
- The political life of America?