Unit 1 Name:

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1-3 Frayer Chart

**Instructions**

**To complete this assessment, use the information in this lesson, the textbook, and visit two of the following websites.**

**When viewing information on the websites, ask yourself:**

1. Do the actions of the people described on the websites reflect a belief in the values and principles of democracy?
2. Do their actions reflect the ways one goes about solving problems in a democracy? (such as becoming informed via the media, forming a club or associating with other people to protest injustice, volunteering, supporting or complaining about a government action.)

Write your responses in the chart below.

1. What are the characteristics of democracy?
2. What is a definition of democracy? (Use a dictionary)
3. Provide 2 examples and 2 non-examples of democracy. Explain why each of these examples is either an example of or not an example of democracy.

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| **Frayer Model** |

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| **Four Characteristics of a Democracy** | **Definition of Democracy** |
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| **Two Examples of Democracy In Action with Explanations of Why These are Democratic Actions** | **Two Non Examples of Democratic Actions with Explanations of Why These are Not Democratic Actions** |
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| **Identify two people in history who supported democratic ideas. What did these people do to support democracy?** | **Identify two people in history who did not support democratic ideas. What did these people do to decrease democracy?** |
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| Frayer Model Rubric |

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| Criteria | Excellent  5 | Proficient  4 | Satisfactory  3 | Limited  2 |
| **Characteristics of Democracy /5** | * I included *insightful* characteristics of democracy with an *accurate* dictionary definition and *perceptive* examples. | * I included *logical* characteristics of democracy with a *reasonable* definition and *thoughtful* examples. | * I included *basic* characteristics of democracy with an *adequate* definition and *general* examples. | * I included *superficial* characteristics of democracy with an *inaccurate* definition and *unsupported* examples. |
| **Insufficient** | Your attempt to respond is *insufficient*. **Contact your teacher** to discuss suggestions for improvement. | | | |

**Submit your worksheet to your teacher.**

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