

Do Now Activity



Journal #1

Respond to the following prompt:

**What makes America the
greatest country in the
world?**

U.S. Constitution!

The supreme law of the land

- Popular sovereignty
- Limited government
- Separation of powers
- Checks and balances

But really. There's no evidence
whatsoever to back that kind
of statement.

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Journal #2

Do you think you are a liberal, conservative, moderate, or something else? Explain.

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Journal #3

In your ideal government, what kind of rights do you want guaranteed or protected? Why?

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Journal #4

Do you think governments are formed to protect us from ourselves (nature) or to better the community (nurture)?

Reflection

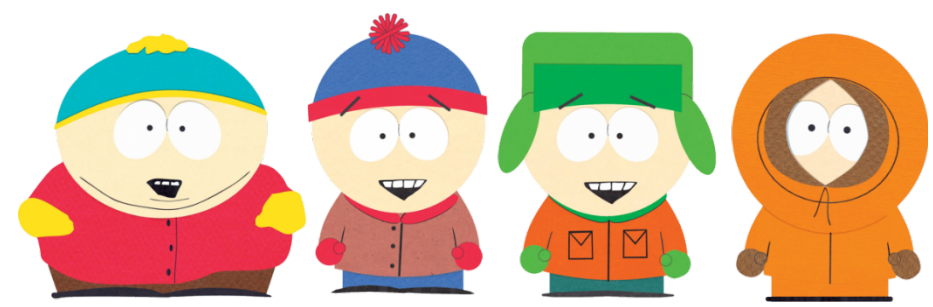


Video Reflection #1

Do you agree with Ron Swanson's brief explanation of the government and taxation? Why or why not?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RUilUzH5kx8>

Reflection



Video Reflection #2

- What do you think is the message of the video? (*Not about PETA & P. Diddy!*)
- How might it be a critique of elections? Or not?