

Question 10 Vocabulary

Question #	Vocab Word	Definition
10	adopt	to choose to take as one's own, to agree to
10	amend	change or update part of a text
10	amendment	a change or addition to a piece of legislation
10	colony	a territory under the rule of another country
10	consent	to agree to something
10	Constitution	the principles, rights, and/or precedents by which a country, state, or organization agrees to be ruled
10	embedded	fixed firmly in
10	establish	to set up (a government/organization or system of rules) on a permanent basis
10	faction	a small group within a larger one that holds a different belief from the whole
10	fanatic	someone who is obsessed with the subject
10	federal	relating to the national government as opposed to state or local government
10	First Amendment	the first of 10 amendments making up the Bill of Rights. It protects freedom of speech, religion, and the press as well as the right to peaceful protest and to petition the government
10	founder	someone who establishes something
10	freedom	the power or right to act, speak, or think as one wants, without hindrance or restraint
10	fundamental	of critical importance
10	government	the system by which a nation, state, or community handles its affairs of state
10	heretic	a person who believes in or practices something that is opposed to the accepted religious beliefs of the area
10	persecution	persistent harassment, hostility, and ill-treatment, often based on some characteristic that places people in the minority (i.e. religious or political beliefs, ethnic background, or gender)
10	Pilgrims	a group of English Puritans who emigrated to America to pursue religious freedom, landing in what is now Massachusetts
10	Quakers	popular name for the Society of Friends, a strictly pacifist, nonconformist Protestant sect, founded in England in the 1600s
10	refugee	a person forced to flee their country
10	Spanish Inquisition	a court established in Roman Catholic Spain in 1478. It primarily searched for heretics among converts from Judaism and Islam to Catholicism.
10	strife	conflict
10	worship	to respect and feel adoration for a deity