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**Civics Definition Depot – Chapter 4: Foundations of Government**

*Directions: Use the internet or your textbook to define the words below. Then, use a thesaurus, your brain, or help from a parent ot identify a synonym for each term* ***OR*** *write a sentence using the term that demonstrates your understanding of the word* ***OR*** *provide an illustration that shows that you understand the meaning of the term.*

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| **Word/Pg #** | **Definition** | **Sentence, Synonym, or Illustration** |
| Separation of Powers **p. 138** |  |  |
| Natural Rights (Natural Law) **p. 89** |  |  |
| Social Contract **p. 88** |  |  |
| Rule of Law**p. 138** |  |  |
| Self-Government | Government run by people living within the country |  |
| Boycott**p. 100** |  |  |
| Consent of the Governed**p. 56** |  |  |
| Grievance | A complaint against an unfair act |  |
| Assent | The expression of approval or agreement |  |
| Oppression | The state of being subject to unjust treatment and control |  |
| Self-evident | Not needing to be demonstrated or explained |  |
| Tyranny  | cruel and oppressive government or rule |  |
| Unalienable Rights | Rights that cannot be given nor taken away | http://1.bp.blogspot.com/-uoZTLKqyiH0/U_S2ErTGXQI/AAAAAAAABjU/XCSGDQ6K0nQ/s1600/tumblr_n87e9e8asG1qmgzoco1_1280.png |
| Debt**p. 614** |  |  |
| Articles of Confederation**p. 117** |  | Image result for articles of confederation |
| Parliament / Prime Minister / Parliamentary System | A system of government used in **Great Britain,** in which **Parliament** (the law making body of the legislative branch) selects the **Prime Minister** (the head of the executive branch) | https://encrypted-tbn2.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcTRSrGdS_N_dLesFCrZj5mcSJAhu2PX4j1dPv7q6V-Bunmy071oHQ |
| Confederal System (Confederation)**p. 117** |  | http://image.slidesharecdn.com/systemsofgovernmentpowerpointunitaryconfederationfederal-090817080118-phpapp02/95/systems-of-government-powerpoint-unitary-confederation-federal-7-728.jpg?cb=1250496094 |
| Federal System / Federalism**p. 127** |  | http://image.slidesharecdn.com/systemsofgovernmentpowerpointunitaryconfederationfederal-090817080118-phpapp02/95/systems-of-government-powerpoint-unitary-confederation-federal-9-728.jpg?cb=1250496094 |
| Unitary system | A system of government where all power belongs to a strong national government | http://www.cyberlearning-world.com/lessons/unitary.gif |