

It's Friday--Hallelujah!!
Friday, February 14th

Warm-Up

Fill in your Planner

Please get Greece Prediction Sort
from the laptop cart--
follow directions to complete
(don't glue into notebook yet)
(linked on website)

Read quietly at your desk
when you finish

On this day in history.....

Frederick Douglass was born into slavery as Frederick Augustus Washington Bailey on February 14, 1818. [He did not know the exact date, but according to the Library of Congress, he celebrated his birthday on February 14 in memory of his mother, who had brought him a heart-shaped cake on the night that he last saw her.]

1867 -- Morehouse College organized in Augusta, Georgia. The institution was later moved to Atlanta.

On Your Desk

- Notebook
- Book to read
- Sharpened Pencil



2/11 Haden R.
2/14 Steven G.
2/17 Jeremiah D.

6.C&G.1.1 Explain the origins
and structures of various
governmental systems

Essential Question:

What were the structures of various governmental systems in Ancient Greece? How did government in Greece evolve from a monarchy to a democracy?

Glue into notebook once we have reviewed.

Answer Key:

Socrates the philosopher invented democracy.-- FALSE; there is not really ONE person who invented democracy	There were many types of government in ancient Greece.-- TRUE
A government ruled by one person is called a monarchy.-- TRUE; the "one person" is usually a king	The Minoans established monarchies to rule their kingdoms in ancient Greece.-- FALSE; it was the Mycenaeans
The word "oligarchy" comes from the Greek word meaning "rule by a few" and is a form of government where the ruling power is in the hands of just a few leaders.-- TRUE	Most of the people who ruled in an oligarchy were poor people who had fought for political power.-- FALSE; it was typically those with an aristocratic birth or with great wealth
Tyranny is a form of government in which there is only one legally-appointed ruler who negotiated his/her way into a position of power.-- FALSE; power is usually seized illegally	Tyrants tended to rule for very long periods of time.-- FALSE; as people became unhappy with the cruel nature of tyrannies, these leaders were typically overthrown and ruled for only a short time
Democracy developed in Ancient Greece in the city-state of Athens.-- TRUE	The Council of 500 was part of Greek democracy. These leaders were responsible for the day-to-day operation of the city-state.-- TRUE

Activity 1: Jigsaw Activity

- 1) Used Flippity to group kids into four groups
- 2) Groups will get together by NUMBER (all 1s together, all 2s together, etc.)
- 3) Each group member will read the article about their form of government and will complete the organizer on THEIR government.

Links for articles and organizer are on website.

Directions: Complete this chart as you learn about each of the four governments of ancient Greece! Be sure to be thorough, detailed, and specific!

	M ONARCHY	◇ OLIGARCHY	T TYRANNY	▷ DEMOCRACY
HOW DOES THE WORD ORIGINATE?				
HOW IS THIS GOVERNMENT PRACTICED?				
WHAT IS KNOWN ABOUT THIS GOVERNMENT IN GREECE?				
WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT IT TODAY?				
DRAW A SYMBOL TO SHOW THIS GOVERNMENT!				

Draw a symbol to show this government!

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