



Sixth Grade Civics Class Inquiry-Based Assessment Questions

Theme: Role of Citizens

Standards covered: 6.21

Being a citizen gives people rights and responsibilities. What are the differences between rights and responsibilities?

- What responsibilities go along with being a citizen?
- What is the most important right that comes along with citizenship? What is the most important responsibility that comes along with citizenship? Explain.

Sample Follow Up Questions

- Do you think every citizen should be required to participate in their government or community in some way? Why or why not?
- Voting is the most common way for people to engage in their rights and responsibilities of government. But as someone under the age of 18, how do you think you should engage in your rights and responsibilities?
- What do you think is the most effective way of working with government officials on an issue you think needs changed? Why?