

### Influence of the Enlightenment→ John Locke

**Directions:** You are becoming one of the 4 most influential Enlightenment Philosophers! Using the documents below, you will form an argument on what your philosopher believed and what influence he had on the time and even today. You will specifically have to convince the other philosophers on how your philosopher is the most fair and just. Individually, read the document excerpts below. Take note of information from the document that will help you and your group form your argument, then answer the guiding questions.

**PI:** What should society do to promote fairness and justice for people within its jurisdiction?

**CQ:** Do the ideals of the Enlightenment continue to promote fairness and justice in modern society?

**Skill:** Comparison

#### **John Locke's "Two Treaties on Government"**

What are John Locke's main ideas from the excerpt?	John Locke's main ideas from the text are.....  John Locke expresses....
Did John Locke's ideas promote fairness and justice during the 17th century and if so, how?	John Locke's ideas promote (or does not promote) fairness and justice during the 17 <sup>th</sup> century by.....

#### **John Locke's influence on the American Revolution**

How are John Locke's ideas in "Two Treatises of Government" reflected in Thomas Jefferson's "Declaration of Independence"?	John Locke's ideas in <i>Two Treatises of Government</i> are reflected in Thomas Jefferson's <i>Declaration of Independence</i> through the concept of...  One way that Locke's philosophy influenced Jefferson's writing is by emphasizing the importance of..
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Why would Thomas Jefferson use John Locke's ideas in declaring independence?	<p>Thomas Jefferson used John Locke's ideas in declaring independence because they supported the argument that...</p> <p>By incorporating Locke's philosophy, Jefferson aimed to emphasize that...</p>
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### **John Locke's influence on the Civil Right's Movement**

How have John Locke's ideas changed the world's perspective on self-government and liberty? Explain.	John Locke's ideas about self-government and liberty have changed the world's perspective by promoting the belief that...
<p>John Locke's idea was that if a government denies people basic rights of life, liberty, and property then people also have the right to change the government.</p> <p>Today, do citizens have the basic right to change the government? If not, when and where? If so, when and where?</p>	
Reflection: Can you think of one modern-day example where John Locke's idea of self-government is implemented? (Remember this for your argument)	

### **General questions**

Did John Locke's Enlightenment ideologies promote fairness and justice from 1689 to modern society? Explain your reasoning.	
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Which of these four Enlightenment philosophers influenced the development of the U.S. <u>or</u> French political system? How?	
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**What are your arguments for John Locke being the most fair and just Enlightenment philosopher from the 17th century to modern society?**

<b><u>Belief/Influence 1:</u></b>	
<b><u>Belief/Influence 2:</u></b>	
<b><u>Belief/Influence 3:</u></b>	