

Justice Through Time Answer Key

1. A. Right to trial by a jury of your peers
2. C. Taxes require representation in government
3. D. Right to a fair trial and defense
4. E. Property rights protected by due process
5. B. Rule of law

Questions 6-7: Answers will vary but must show clear reasoning and connect to the laws.

Teacher's Guide

Differentiation Tips

- Support:
 - Provide brief definitions of "representation," "due process," and "peers"
 - Allow students to work with a partner to discuss matches before writing
- Challenge:
 - Students add two more examples of modern laws connected to colonial practices
 - Require citing a specific amendment or constitutional clause

Engagement Strategies

- Quick "then vs. now" brainstorm on the board before matching
- Students create illustrated cards showing each matched pair

Extension Opportunities

- Write a short paragraph: What would life be like if one of these principles did not exist today?
- Research an actual colonial law and compare it to a current law in the same category
- Connect to civics: identify where these principles are found in the Constitution or Bill of Rights