

Name _____

Source Scramble Answer Key

Correct Order:

1. We, the loyal Pilgrims on the Mayflower, join together to form a government.
2. We start this new colony for the honor of God, our King, and the good of all.
3. We promise to create and follow fair laws that help our colony succeed.
4. We sign this agreement to show that we will cooperate and obey these laws together.

Bonus: Should explain the need for order, unity, survival, or fair decision-making.

Teacher's Guide

- **Skill Focus:** Sequencing key ideas from a primary source and understanding early self-government.
- **Pre-Teaching:**
 - Review what a "primary source" is
 - Preview vocabulary such as obey, govern, honor, colony
- **Differentiation:**
 - Provide sentence strips for tactile learners to physically arrange in order
 - Challenge advanced learners to locate the original phrasing from a translated version of the Mayflower Compact
- **Engagement:** Have students sign a simplified class "compact" after discussing shared rules
- **Extension:** Compare how the Mayflower Compact influenced later U.S. governing documents, noting similarities in fairness and shared power