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# Forms of Government

How many forms of government are there?

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## Monarchy

The head of state \_\_\_\_\_ his or her job. That means they got the job through his/her \_\_\_\_\_.

Example: King or \_\_\_\_\_.

The King or queen makes the \_\_\_\_\_ and all major government \_\_\_\_\_. Today, about \_\_\_\_\_ countries have monarchs.

## Democracy

The people of the country \_\_\_\_\_ the government. \_\_\_\_\_ are elected by the people. The people also elect the head of state.

The government makes decisions based on what the \_\_\_\_\_ want. Citizens control their government by \_\_\_\_\_.

Example: \_\_\_\_\_

## Dictatorship

The head of state is called a \_\_\_\_\_. People have \_\_\_\_\_ or no control over the government. All the power is held by a single person.

A dictator keeps power by \_\_\_\_\_. They can \_\_\_\_\_ the citizens by deciding what they should and should not know. People who speak against the dictator can be put in \_\_\_\_\_ or killed.

Exit Ticket Question: How does our government help you?

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