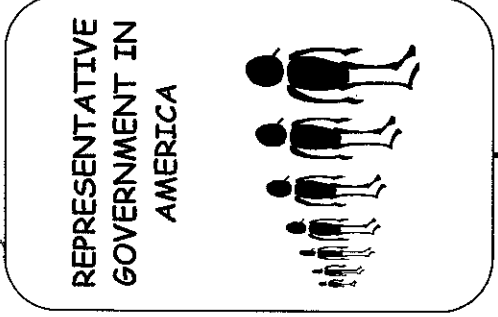


Enlightenment - John Locke says people have natural rights. If the government does not protect them, overthrow it.

Charles de Montesquieu - gov. should be divided into 3 branches.



Ideas from the Magna Carta 1215
limits the power of the King.
King cannot pass taxes without consent.

Ideas from the Virginia House of Burgesses 1619
1st representative assembly in the colonies.
Representatives are called burgesses.

Ideas from the Mayflower Compact 1620
Pilgrims wrote it before they got off the ship. An example of self-government by majority rule.

Ideas from the Fundamental Orders of Connecticut 1639
1st written Constitution in America. Gave a detailed plan of government by the people.

Ideas from the English Bill of Rights 1689
Glorious Revolution overthrew the King. Protects the liberty or freedoms of the people.

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