



CH.2.What is democracy? Why democracy

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1. Answer the following
2. Trace the derivation of the word democracy
3. “In the final decision making power must rest with those elected by the people”.Elaborate. a democracy
4. “A democracy must be based on a free and fair election” Elaborate.
5. “In a democracy every adult must have one vote and each vote must have one value” Elaborate.
6. State the conditions in Zimbabwe which proves that approval of the rulers is necessary in a democracy but it is not sufficient
7. Democracy is the best form of government. Why?
8. What is the role of citizens in a democracy?
9. Give three instances of denial of equal right to vote.
10. What are the arguments against democracy?
11. A democratic government is a better government because it is a more accountable form of government. Explain.
12. Democracy improves the quality of decision making. Give arguments in favour of democracy.
13. Democracy provides a method to deal with differences and conflicts. Explain.
14. Democracy enhances the dignity of citizens. Explain.
15. Democracy is better than other forms of government because it allows us to correct its own mistakes. Explain.
16. The majority of people rule through their elected representatives. Give reasons
17. State any five activities of PRI which shows that free and fair elections are not held in Mexico.