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**Create Your Country Government**

**Instruction:** Within our government unit you will create your own mini country. Give your country a name and flag along with a focus on what type of government you would put in place in order to make your country peaceful and stable.

**Map of Country**

* What does your country look like?
  + Is it a combination of countries? Created landmass?
  + Location of important cities, resources, and other places of importance

**Flag of Country**

* What does your flag look like? Why?
  + Animals? Symbolic meaning? Motto? Color scheme?

**Political Structure and Views**

* What kind of political system does your country have? Why?
  + Is it a monarchy with a king and queen? Is it communist? Is it a dictatorship with an all-powerful ruler? Is your country governed by one big central government or is it run by many smaller governments at local levels?
* Are there founding principles/rights your government is founded on?
* What would be some constitutional rights and freedoms you would want your citizens to have? **Keep appropriate!!**
* Is this a suitable governing structure for the population your country has? Why?
* How would you describe the political climate in your country?
* What are major political issues your citizens care about? Why?
  + What are their thoughts on topics like: Education, taxation, health care, renewable energy, minimum wage, government regulations, etc.

**Country Pitch**

* Why should I immigrate to your country?
* Why visit your country?

**Rubric**

* You will be graded on how you apply each of the criteria to your country in order to make a **successful and thriving nation**. Along with your creativity and showing understanding of how nations are structure and addressing issues they face every day.

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| **Criteria and Requirements** | **Strengths** | **Weaknesses** |
| Country Biography |  |  |
| Map of Country |  |  |
| Flag of Country |  |  |
| Political Structure and Political Views |  |  |