

Outcome 8.2: explain changes in government that occurred in England from the Pre-Modern to the Early Modern Eras.

Read pages 104-105 to learn about the beginnings of constitutional monarchy.

1. **Knowledge:** Explain what is meant by a constitutional monarchy.

2. **Perspective:** Read “Divine Right” on p. 104 and answer the following questions.

<p>What did kings believe about their power and right to rule during the Middle Ages?</p>	
<p>Summarize the conflict between Charles I and Parliament that began in 1628.</p>	

3. **Cause and Consequence:** Read “Revolution and Restoration” on p. 105.

<p>What happened to Charles I after his conflict with Parliament? Why was this a big deal?</p>	
<p>How did William and Mary end up on the throne of England?</p>	

4. **Significance:** Which of the rights listed below have the greatest effect on maintaining freedom of citizens in a constitutional monarchy? Explain.

- Freedom to elect members of Parliament, without the king or queen's interference
- Freedom of speech in Parliament
- Freedom to bear arms for self-defense
- Freedom from cruel and unusual punishment
- Freedom from armies being raised during peacetimes

English Bill of Rights (1689)

5. **Knowledge:** How is the role of the monarch represented in Canada today? Who fills this role currently?