



# Resources - Lesson 2

## Values, Wealth, and Rights

### Reading for class

List of “repeated injuries and usurpations” in Declaration of Independence  
[www.archives.gov/founding-docs/declaration-transcript](http://www.archives.gov/founding-docs/declaration-transcript)

Bill of Rights and 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment: [constitutionus.com/#a1s8c16](http://constitutionus.com/#a1s8c16)

### Films

TED ED: *A 3-minute guide to the Bill of Rights*

[ed.ted.com/lessons/a-3-minute-guide-to-the-bill-of-rights-belinda-stutzman](http://ed.ted.com/lessons/a-3-minute-guide-to-the-bill-of-rights-belinda-stutzman)

TED ED: *Why wasn't the Bill of Rights originally in the U.S. Constitution?*

[ed.ted.com/lessons/why-wasn-t-the-bill-of-rights-originally-in-the-us-constitution-james-coll](http://ed.ted.com/lessons/why-wasn-t-the-bill-of-rights-originally-in-the-us-constitution-james-coll)

*Proclaim* with Ta’Kaiya Blaney, 2 minutes

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=UmT2CJ2ssbs](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UmT2CJ2ssbs)

### Support Resources

Early U.S. history of values and rights

Declaration of (Colonial) Rights

[en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Declaration\\_and\\_Resolves\\_of\\_the\\_First\\_Continental\\_Congress](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Declaration_and_Resolves_of_the_First_Continental_Congress)

Continental Congresses and core values

[www.britannica.com/topic/Continental-Congress](http://www.britannica.com/topic/Continental-Congress)

History of the Bill of Rights

[law2.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/conlaw/billofrightsintro.html](http://law2.umkc.edu/faculty/projects/ftrials/conlaw/billofrightsintro.html)

Constitution Center, interactive guide to amendments

[constitutioncenter.org/interactive-constitution/amendments/](http://constitutioncenter.org/interactive-constitution/amendments/)

Amendments that apply to states by 14<sup>th</sup> Amendment

[www.law.cornell.edu/wex/incorporation\\_doctrine](http://www.law.cornell.edu/wex/incorporation_doctrine)

### Equality/Inequality

Data sources

[en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wealth\\_inequality\\_in\\_the\\_United\\_States#cite\\_note-NYT-20140722-6](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wealth_inequality_in_the_United_States#cite_note-NYT-20140722-6)

Kate Pickett and Richard Wilkinson, *The Spirit Level: Why Equality is Better for Everyone* (Bloomsbury Press, 2009)

Robert Putnam, *Our Kids: The American Dream in Crisis* (Simon & Schuster, 2015)





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### Human rights

What does it mean to you?

[hrlibrary.umn.edu/center/anniversaryproject/quotes-humanrights.html](http://hrlibrary.umn.edu/center/anniversaryproject/quotes-humanrights.html)

Fundamental versus civil rights

[civilrights.findlaw.com/civil-rights-overview/civil-rights-vs-civil-liberties.html](http://civilrights.findlaw.com/civil-rights-overview/civil-rights-vs-civil-liberties.html)

Universal Declaration of Human Rights

[www.un.org/en/universal-declaration-human-rights/](http://www.un.org/en/universal-declaration-human-rights/)

### Native American rights

Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples (UNDRIP)

[www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/IPeoples/Pages/Declaration.aspx](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/Issues/IPeoples/Pages/Declaration.aspx)

World Proclamation of 1763 – a cornerstone of Native American law in North America

[www.history.com/topics/native-american-history/1763-proclamation-of](http://www.history.com/topics/native-american-history/1763-proclamation-of)

### How treaties abrogate (take away) rights

[legal-dictionary.thefreedictionary.com/Treaty+Rights](http://legal-dictionary.thefreedictionary.com/Treaty+Rights)

[law.jrank.org/pages/8748/Native-American-Rights-Reserved-Rights-Doctrine.html](http://law.jrank.org/pages/8748/Native-American-Rights-Reserved-Rights-Doctrine.html)

### **Exploring current rights issues**

1<sup>st</sup> Amendment and redistricting

[www.theusconstitution.org/cases/gill-v-whitford-us-sup-ct](http://www.theusconstitution.org/cases/gill-v-whitford-us-sup-ct)

1<sup>st</sup> Amendment and Trump's travel ban

[www.theusconstitution.org/cases/international-refugee-assistance-project-v-trump-d-md-hawaii-v-trump-d-haw](http://www.theusconstitution.org/cases/international-refugee-assistance-project-v-trump-d-md-hawaii-v-trump-d-haw)

1<sup>st</sup> Amendment and corporate rights

[www.theusconstitution.org/cases/masterpiece-cakeshop-ltd-v-colorado-civil-rights-commission-us-sup-ct](http://www.theusconstitution.org/cases/masterpiece-cakeshop-ltd-v-colorado-civil-rights-commission-us-sup-ct)

2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment and gun control

[www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/the-five-extra-words-that-can-fix-the-second-amendment/2014/04/11/f8a19578-b8fa-11e3-96ae-f2c36d2b1245\\_story.html?noredirect=on&utm\\_term=.fa9f6db24436](http://www.washingtonpost.com/opinions/the-five-extra-words-that-can-fix-the-second-amendment/2014/04/11/f8a19578-b8fa-11e3-96ae-f2c36d2b1245_story.html?noredirect=on&utm_term=.fa9f6db24436)

[youthradio.org/journalism/7-anti-gun-violence-groups-led-by-young-people/](http://youthradio.org/journalism/7-anti-gun-violence-groups-led-by-young-people/)





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4<sup>th</sup> Amendment and cell phone rights in a digital age

[www.scotusblog.com/2014/06/symposium-in-riley-v-california-a-unanimous-supreme-court-sets-out-fourth-amendment-for-digital-age/](http://www.scotusblog.com/2014/06/symposium-in-riley-v-california-a-unanimous-supreme-court-sets-out-fourth-amendment-for-digital-age/)

5<sup>th</sup> Amendment and eminent domain seizures for profit

[thinkprogress.org/for-profit-pipelines-are-growing-and-so-are-eminent-domain-battles-2b8beee7af3c/](http://thinkprogress.org/for-profit-pipelines-are-growing-and-so-are-eminent-domain-battles-2b8beee7af3c/)

5<sup>th</sup> Amendment and corporate right to profit

[theconversation.com/how-human-rights-law-has-been-used-to-guarantee-corporations-a-right-to-profit-74593](http://theconversation.com/how-human-rights-law-has-been-used-to-guarantee-corporations-a-right-to-profit-74593)

9<sup>th</sup> Amendment and new rights to a healthy atmosphere and stable climate?

Youth-driven atmospheric trust litigation

[www.ourchildrenstrust.org/](http://www.ourchildrenstrust.org/)

[www.youthvgov.org/](http://www.youthvgov.org/)

[news.nationalgeographic.com/2017/03/kids-sue-us-government-climate-change/](http://news.nationalgeographic.com/2017/03/kids-sue-us-government-climate-change/)

9<sup>th</sup> Amendment and new rights to freedom from corporate surveillance in schools?

[journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/2056305116680005](http://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/2056305116680005)

[www.huffingtonpost.com/john-w-whitehead/the-fight-against-schools\\_b\\_2232112.html](http://www.huffingtonpost.com/john-w-whitehead/the-fight-against-schools_b_2232112.html)

[www.unitedoptoutnational.org/](http://www.unitedoptoutnational.org/)

Ed Reform 2.0, 4-minute video: [classroomsnotcomputers.org/](http://classroomsnotcomputers.org/)

### **Youth-Driven Human Rights Organizations**

Justice for immigrants

[unitedwedream.org/about/](http://unitedwedream.org/about/)

Artful activism and Indigenous youth rights

Musician Robby Romero, Native Children's Survival Campaign

[www.robbyromero.com/native-childrens-survival/](http://www.robbyromero.com/native-childrens-survival/)

Actress, singer, climate activist Ta'Kaiya Blaney

[www.takaiyablaney.com/](http://www.takaiyablaney.com/)

Earth Revolution, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I9tTdy4OnQs>

Hip hop artist, climate activist Xiuhtezcatl

[www.xiuhtezcatl.com/projects/](http://www.xiuhtezcatl.com/projects/)

[www.earthguardians.org/](http://www.earthguardians.org/)

