**Parents’ Constitution – questions**

1. Do you believe parents should have **all** of the powers described in this document? Explain why or why not – *be specific*.
2. List five (5) rights that you would add as amendments to this document that would (a) make it more fair for children and/or (b) protect them from the power of the parents:
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1. This situation is similar to the one that the citizens of the United States faced in 1789. What parallels can you make?
* The parents are like \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The children are like\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The children were afraid of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
* The children would want to make what kinds of changes to protect themselves from the parents?

\*\*\*Consider the following:

1. What concerns do you think the citizens must have had about the new Constitution?
2. What rights do you think the people wanted to make sure they had?
3. What were the citizens afraid of (or afraid of losing)?