



The Rights and Responsibilities of Citizenship



Citizenship Challenge ESL Worksheet

ACTIVITY 1: Write a definition for each of the following concepts.

1 Right:

2 Responsibility:

3 Freedom:

ACTIVITY 2: Put a check mark beside each statement deciding whether it is a right, responsibility, or freedom.

STATEMENT	RIGHT	RESPONSIBILITY	FREEDOM
1 Canadians can form religious, ethnic, or other associations.			
2 Canadians can live and work anywhere they choose in Canada; they can enter the country freely and apply for a passport.			
3 Canadians serve on a jury when called to do so.			
4 Canadians live in a multicultural society. Multiculturalism is a fundamental characteristic of Canadian heritage and identity. Canadians respect the diverse character of their society and live in harmony with one another.			
5 Canadian citizens help protect the environment and Canada's natural, cultural, and architectural heritage by limiting waste and pollution.			
6 Canadians vote in federal, provincial or territorial, and local elections.			
7 Canadians can participate in peaceful assemblies.			
8 The French language and the English language have equal status in Parliament and the government.			
9 Canadians can express their thoughts, beliefs, and opinions.			
10 In Canada, no person or group is above the law. Individuals and governments must obey the law.			

