



*Founders' Influences:*  
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**Rule of Law**  
**READING GUIDE #4**

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### Reading: The Impact of the Rule of Law

**Benchmark Clarification 4:** Students will evaluate the impact of the rule of law on governmental officials and institutions (e.g., accountability to the law, consistent application and enforcement of the law, decisions based on the law, fair procedures, transparency of institutions).

Reading Task	Response
What ideas are presented in the reading?	
What is the central idea of the reading?	
Select two words or phrases that support the central idea.	
How might this reading connect to your own experience or something you have seen, read, or learned before?	
How does the rule of law impact government officials and institutions?	The rule of law impacts government officials and institutions in that: