





# Constitution

**A constitution is a legal framework for government. A constitution tells how a government is organized and run. Every nation has a constitution. Both good and bad governments have constitutions.**

## *Purpose for Government in the Preamble of US Constitution*

**In Order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.**

*Questions about government and citizens  
does a constitution answer*

**The questions about the limit of the government and  
how to limit government and individuals 'power.**

## *Five Characteristics of a constitution*

[a] It lists the basic rights of citizens to life, liberty, and property.

[b] It establishes the responsibility of government to protect those rights.

[c] It places limits on how the people in government may use their powers.

[d] It establishes the principle of a private domain. A private domain is that part of a person's life that is not the business of government.

[e] It can only be changed with the widespread consent of citizens and according to certain set procedures

# 4 Freedom of Expression

**Freedom of Religion**

**Freedom of Speech**

**Freedom of Petition**

**Freedom of Assembly**

# *Benefit of Freedom of Expression*

**Individual development and human dignity.  
Advancement of knowledge. The maintenance of  
Representative democracy**



## *Should there be limits to Freedom of Expression?*

**No, they shouldn't. Because if the government limits the freedom of expression, they can't know which parts in our country need to improve. They can't know citizens' ideas. And citizens can't get update info of the government policy.**

# *Due Process of Law*

**Due Process is the right to be treated fairly  
by government**

## How can the rights of an individual and the rights of Society conflict

For example, Tom lives in a new city, in this city, people are Islamism in this city so they never eat pock. But pock is Tom favorite food and he must eat pock every day. So when he starting to cook pock and somebody see him and catch him, they take him to go to see the mayor. Citizens have right to be a loyalty Islamism and Tom has right to eat pock