

# What Does it Mean to Create a Constitution?

Lesson Link:

<http://msmelhs.weebly.com/what-does-it-mean-to-create-a-constitution.html>

Overview:

As a way to bridge the gap between what the students learned in our American Revolution unit and the WW2 unit I will have the students participate in this lesson. The goal of the lesson is to get students to consider how their lives are affected by their country's constitution and how it might affect their lives if the constitution was not written by citizens of America. To help them gain a better perspective, we will examine how the Japanese constitution was written and consider how it affects Japanese citizens, particularly in regards to Article 9. Using my own knowledge gained on the trip, as well as pictures that I took, I will walk the students through the lesson plan which is linked above.