The Social Compact Quiz



- 1. What article of the constitution establishes the social compact?
 - a. The entire constitution
- 2. How does the declaration of independence refer to the social compact?
 - a. We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are endowed by their creator to certain unalienable rights, and to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men, derive in their just power the consent of the governed
- 3. What English philosopher is most associated with the theory of the social compact?
 - a. John Locke
- 4. What is the duty of the government in the united states in the social compact?
 - a. To protect the unalienable rights of the people
- 5. How can we change the social compact?
 - a. We could amend the constitution, pass laws, and we can elect officials
- 6. Name one way in which the Social Compact has affected your life. *Be* sure to include specific reasons that are supported with evidence from our lesson.