**Free Response Questions for Unit 2: Democratic Revolutions**

**Prompt :  Explain how the ideas of philosophes such as Locke, Montesquieu, Rousseau and Voltaire contributed to democracy.**

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| 4.0 | In addition to score 3.0 performance, the response may·         Explain how the ideas of all 4 philosophes influenced democracy·         Identify modern examples of Enlightenment ideas.·         Skillfully incorporates multiple, specific, historic examples as evidence. |
| 3.5 | In addition to score 3.0 performance, attempts 4.0 content with partial success. |
| 3.0 | ·         Describe the ideas of 3 different philosophes and explain how each contributed to democracy.·         Appropriately uses historic documents, people, events and/or dates as evidence |
| 2.5 | No major errors or omissions in 2.0 content and partial knowledge of 3.0 |
| 2.0 | ·         Identify one main idea for each of 3 philosophes (listed in prompt). |
| 1.5 | Partial knowledge of 2.0 content, but major errors or omissions regarding 3.0 |
| 1.0 | Partial understanding of some of the simple details of the 2.0 content, but not the 3.0 content |
| 0 | No understanding demonstrated |

**Prompt B:  Compare and contrast the social, political, and economic causes of two of the following Revolutions: American, French, Haitian or Latin American.**

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| 4.0 | In addition to score 3.0 performance, the response may* Connect the causes of these revolutions to other examples not covered in class.
* Skillfully incorporates multiple, specific, historic examples as evidence.
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| 3.0 | * Identify two revolutions for comparison
* Compare and contrasts how social, political, and economic factors influenced each revolution
* Compare and contrasts how historic events and/or actions influenced each rev.
* Appropriately uses historic documents, people, events and/or dates as evidence
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| 2.0 | * Identify a social cause that contributed to both revolutions.
* Identify a political cause that contributed to both revolutions.
* Identify a economic cause that contributed to both revolutions.
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| 1.0 | Partial understanding of some of the simple details of the 2.0 content, but not the 3.0  |
| 0 | No understanding demonstrated |