UNIT 2 • LESSON 2.2

FOUNDING DOCUMENTS: Magna Carta to the U.S. Constitution

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES: **VOCABULARY**

charter	a written grant by a country's legislative or sovereign power, by which an entity such as a company, college, or city is founded and its rights and privileges defined
due process	the right of fair treatment through the judicial system
govern	to conduct the policy, actions, and affairs of a state, organization, or people
government	the unit or system that exerts an authoritative or guiding influence in or over
subject	under the authority of
grievance	the formal expression of a complaint over something believed to be wrong or unfair
infringe	to limit or undermine
rule of law	everyone, including government officials, must follow the law

