## THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE'S INFLUENCE AROUND THE WORLD by Dr. David Armitage

**Directions**: Dr. Armitage shares that many countries throughout history have used the big ideas, principles, themes, and language of the Declaration of Independence in their own founding documents. Pick one of the countries outlined in the essay and explore the similarities, and any differences, between the two documents.

Country	
Year of Declaration of Independence	
Similarities Big ideas, principles, or themes	
Similarities Text or language usage	
Differences	

