Social Studies: 5th Grade Forming a Government

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Directions: Use the clues at the bottom of the page to complete the crossword puzzle.

Across
1) A ______ system ensures equality.
4) That island ______ belongs to the king.
5) The president’s ______ advises him.
6) A ______ is government by the people.
9) ______ and national laws affect all states.
10) The presidential ______ is next week.
12) What is your state ______?
13) He shows ______ in learning about horses.
15) The ______ banned dogs from the park.
18) The ______ law violated our rights.

Down
2) We can ______ and come to an agreement.
3) Martin Van Buren was the first President born an American ______.
7) He will ______ the bill so it won’t become law.
8) I vote for the candidate my ______ supports.
11) Citizens in a ______ hold the power.
14) Franklin’s Albany Plan was an early form of a ______.
16) The man pleaded the fifth ______.
17) They had to ______ and approve the document.