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Year 9 HASS Civics and Citizenship Essay – Graphic Organiser (Notes for essay)

Legitimacy Definition: where a government has the appropriate authority to rule – popular support		Justice Definition: where all citizens are treated equally, and with dignity and respect	
Examples of Framework Being Upheld in Myanmar: Free vote until 2020 - Vote patterns, military respect, free vote (mostly) UEC - Union election commission - Overseas elections - 8 Mar 2020 - Qualities (SOTA, good reputation, etc)	Examples of Framework Being Undermined in Myanmar: 25% of seats go to military Powerful cabinet (Home, Defence, etc) go to military Military coup - 2021 - undermined legitimacy and political systems - Replaced by unelected military leader - <u>Min Aung Hlaing</u>	Examples of Framework Being Upheld in Myanmar: Released 6000 political prisoners since 2015 - Government recognised unfair treatment. Aung San Suu Kyi participated in trials at ICJ at 2020 Concept of rule of law exists.	Examples of Framework Being Undermined in Myanmar: <u>Wa Long and Kyau Se Oo</u> - These 2 investigated 2017 massacres - Police set up. Unfair and corrupt trial - For violating Official Secrets Act (for 7 years in 2018) Rule of law is always broken - military
Freedom Definition: where people are allowed to make decisions, accept responsibility and choose alternative as long as it is within the law.		Power Definition: where power is limited and defined by the constitution and it is split between 3 arms of government - legislative, executive and judiciary	
Examples of Framework Being Upheld in Myanmar: Voting rights - most people - Stand for office Protesters no longer have to be approved to assemble - Have to notify authorities 48 hours before Freedom of religion recognised in constitution	Examples of Framework Being Undermined in Myanmar: <u>Rohingya</u> minority - Treatment not meeting human rights - Restrictions on marriage, farm, employment, edu, move - In some places they can only have 2 children - Not granted citizenship - Undermines belief freedoms military orchestration. started 2016	Examples of Framework Being Upheld in Myanmar: Before 2021 - Constitution defined powers and arms - Legislative is bicameral parliament - Assembly of Union - 440 seat house of reps - 224 seat house of nationalities - Executive made of President, 2 vices and cabinet - Chosen by Presidential electoral commission. - Made of Pyithu Hluttaw, Amyetha	Examples of Framework Being Undermined in Myanmar: Military guaranteed 25% of seats Constitution changes req 75% of parliament - Military veto changed. - 2020 vote tried to change military reserved seats. - 2020 vote tried to remove foreign farm entry restrictions Since 2008 - Military and parliament - Current president is Win Myint Many democratically chosen people - NLD 2020 - supermajority landslide