

Video Four – Introduction to Liberalism

Checking for understanding

Read through these questions – can you answer them quickly? If you can, then you understand the key concepts in this video. If not, go back and watch it again. Don't forget to check your answers with the answer key (don't peek – the whole point of this is to see if YOU understand the key ideas).

1. What are some aspects of liberalism that make it fit more towards the individualist side of the spectrum?
2. When did the ideas of classical liberalism evolve?
3. Why do we use the word “renaissance” in describing the changes to society in the fourteenth century?
4. Why did Burke disagree with the ideas of Locke?
5. Why did modern liberalism develop?
6. Why did some societies reject liberalism in the 20th century?

• Free markets • free trade • limited market

• individual rights

• early 19th Century

• A revival of something, In this case the arts, ideas and classical learning w/ wisdom

• He witnessed chaos & damage by the revolution & saw it as people disagreeing & rejecting the relationships towards each other

• They wanted some gov. but not too much

that it was limiting ~

- It was more efficient to have one leader than a democracy