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| Class Notes / PowerPoint Presentation / Textbook NotesMr. Kay’sAmerican Government ClassName:Class:Period:Date: Chapter 1 Section 3:  |
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| *Questions/Main Ideas:* |  |
| *Objectives* | * Understand the foundations of democracy.
* Analyze the connections between democracy and the free enterprise system.
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| Key Terms/People |  |
| • **majority rule:**  | * the principle that the will of the majority controls the actions of government
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| **• compromise:**  | * the process of blending and adjusting competing views and interests
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| **• citizen:**  | * one who holds certain rights and responsibilities within a state
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| **• free enterprise system:**  | * an economic system characterized by the private ownership of capital goods, private investment, and a competitive marketplace that determines success or failure
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| **Introduction** | What are the basic concepts of democracy? |
| Worth of the Individual  |  |
| Equality of All Persons | * Checkpoint: To what are citizens entitled under the democratic concept of equality?
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| **Equality of All Persons, cont.** |  |
| Majority Rules, Minority Rights |  |
| Necessity of Compromise | * Compromise is a way of reaching majority agreement. Not all compromises are good or necessary.
	+ Who do the chefs represent in this cartoon?
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| Necessity of Compromise, cont. |  |
| Individual Freedom |  |
| Citizenship |  |
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| Duties  | Responsibilities  |
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| Citizenship Overview |  |
| How Free Enterprise Works |  |
| Government and Free Enterprise |  |
| Review | * Now that you have learned about the basic concepts of democracy, go back and answer the Chapter Essential Question.
	+ Is government necessary?
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| \*\*\*Summary, Reflection, Analysis |  |