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**Types of Government Research Worksheet**

1. *Fill in the following chart with information you learn as you conduct your research on the following forms of government.*

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|  | *Description* | *Pros* | *Cons* |
| 1. *Dictatorship* | *Modern Day Ex.* |  |  |
| 1. *Monarchy* | *Limited/ Constitutional:*  *Absolute:*  *Modern Day Ex.* |  |  |
| 1. *Democracy* | *Direct:*  *Representative democracy/republic:*  *Modern Day Ex.* |  |  |
| 1. *Oligarchy* | *Modern Day Ex.* |  |  |
| 1. *Communism* | *Modern Day Ex.* |  |  |

1. Monarchy and dictatorship seems similar. How are they different? (the answer to this may not be spelled out for you).
2. Is it possible for a country to have a mixture of more than just one type of government? Examples? Explain.
3. What system(s) best describes the way in which the United States is ruled?
4. **Geography:** On the map below label the countries you used in your examples above **AND** indicate next to them the type of rule that characterizes them.

