## Grade 8 Social Studies Chapter 4: How the People Were Governed Pages 70 – 75

# The Evolution of Government (pg. 70 – 71)

1. Briefly summarize in your own words table 4.1 on page 70.

### Naval Governors to Crown Colony

- 2. Why was the period from 1816 1818 known as "the winter of Rals"?
- 3. What brought on the hardships of this time period (cause)?
- 4. How did government react to these hardships?
- 5. Why was the system of naval government criticized? What did these criticisms eventually lead to?

### People in History (pg. 72)

6. Briefly describe both William Carson and Patrick Morris.

#### Representative government (pg. 73 - 74)

- 7. Describe the breakdown of the representative government that ruled BNA (British North America).
- 8. What year was the first House of Assembly elected?
- 9. What were the nine electoral districts?
  \*(Why do you think that some areas of the province are not represented in legislature at this time?)

#### Responsible Government (pg. 74 – 75)

10. What was the major problem associated with the two groups (council and assembly) of the Representative Government? Explain in detail.