

# The Enlightenment: Matching

**Directions:** Write the letter of the option that best matches the numbered phrase, title, or description.

## ANSWER KEY

1. **A** author of *De Philosophia Cartesiana*
2. **J** author of *On Dying for One's Nation*
3. **K** author of *The Age of Reason*
4. **I** French Enlightenment thinkers
5. **F** hands-off economic philosophy
6. **C** restriction of access to information and ideas
7. **B** American inventor, statesman, and writer
8. **E** author of *Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire*
9. **D** economist, historian, and philosopher
10. **G** developed the theory of separation of powers

## Answer Box

- A. Balthasar Bekker
- B. Benjamin Franklin
- C. censorship
- D. David Hume
- E. Edward Gibbon
- F. laissez-faire
- G. Montesquieu
- H. natural law
- I. *philosophes*
- J. Thomas Abbt
- K. Thomas Paine