



(Unit 2A) Confederation
& Compromise

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- 1) the group of people chosen by the states that elects the president and the vice-president
- 4) the branch of government the administers and enforces the laws
- 8) opponents of a strong central government; wanted legal protections to protect the rights of the people from a stronger central government
- 10) the belief that government should be based on the consent of the people
- 11) a political system in which a national government and constituent units, such as state governments, share power
- 13) the first constitution of the United States
- 14) provisions in the US Constitution that prevent any branch of the US government from dominating the other two branches
- 18) first colonial success and turning point of the Revolutionary War
- 19) the branch of government that interprets the laws and the Constitution
- 20) agreement on how to slaves as population for purposes of representation and taxation
- 21) a series of essays defending and explaining the Constitution
- 22) the selling of goods in short supply at inflated prices

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- 2) the branch of government that makes laws
- 3) after crossing the Delaware River, Washington surprised the British resulting in a victory for the Continental Army to raise the morale and spirits of the soldiers
- 5) an increase in prices or decline in purchasing power caused by an increase in the supply of money
- 6) the official approval of the Constitution, or of an amendment by the states
- 7) agreement to establish a two-house national legislature, one house with equal representation, the other based on population
- 11) supporters of the Constitution and of a strong national government
- 12) the final battle of the Revolutionary War, General Cornwallis surrendered
- 15) the belief that all people should have equal political, economic, social, and civil rights
- 16) an uprising of debt-ridden Massachusetts farmers protesting increased state taxes in 1787
- 17) the first ten amendments to the US Constitution including a formal list of citizens' rights and freedoms