

STUDY GUIDE—WEEK SEVEN

Vocabulary

Federalists	Democratic Republican Party
Anti-Federalists	Whiskey Rebellion
Abigail Adams	Bill of Rights
Articles of Confederation	<i>Essay on Female Education</i>
Northwest Ordinances	checks and balances
Shays' Rebellion	The Virginia Plan
Constitutional Convention	The New Jersey Plan (William Paterson's Plan)
James Madison	the three-fifths compromise
Jay Treaty	the Constitution's slave-trade clause
John Jay	the Constitution's fugitive-slave clause
Pinkney Treaty	the electoral college
Neutrality Act	separation of powers
John Adams	<i>The Federalist Papers</i>
XYZ Affair	<i>Speech to the Massachusetts Ratifying Convention, 1788</i>
Alien and Sedition Acts	
Alexander Hamilton	

Ideas

1. Be familiar with the varieties of republicanism that emerged in the new American republic.
2. Be able to describe the impact of revolutionary ideology on various aspects of American life in the aftermath of the Revolution.
3. Be generally familiar with Alexander Hamilton's economic policies, and with their effects on the American economic system.
4. Be familiar with the problems faced by Confederation Congress, and with the manner in which it handled those problems.
5. What forces led to the calling of the Constitutional Convention?
6. Be familiar with the disagreements that emerged in drafting the Constitution. How were those disagreements resolved?
7. Be able to explain the basic provisions and underlying principles of the Constitution of the United States.
8. Be able to describe the debate over ratification of the Constitution. Why did the Federalist forces prevail?
9. Be familiar with the changing roles of women and African Americans during the post-Revolutionary period.
10. Be able to describe the political issues that emerged during John Adams's term as president.