

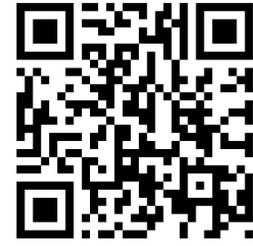
Early U.S.

Study Guide

Your test may include ***but is not limited to the following:***

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PLEASE NOTE: THIS TEST IS CUMULATIVE! YOU NEED TO STUDY ALL CURRENT AND PREVIOUS CONTENT!

FOCUS FROM PREVIOUS UNITS OF STUDY:

SOL2: Know geographic terms, physical regions, and bodies of water

SOL3: Know the 5 groups studied, how they ate, lived and interacted with the environment, and the importance of Cactus Hill.

SOL4: Motivations, Obstacles, and Accomplishments of explorations. Cultural and economic interactions, conflict and cooperation, explorers and West African cultures.

SOL5: Founding of 6 colonies, resources, geography, specialization, interdependence, and social/political life of 3 colonial regions, lives of 7 groups.

SOL6: Why colonists wanted to break away, arguments in Declaration of Ind., key events & individuals of Revolution, advantages over Great Britain.

FOCUS FROM CURRENT UNIT OF STUDY:

Articles of Confederation, including flaw and reasons for them, Constitutional Convention and the basic government structure created by the Constitution, the Bill of Rights, and key events in the administrations of the first five Presidents.

Use your notes and the “Essential Knowledge for Chapter Six (USI.7)” handout to study and answer the questions on a **separate sheet** of paper and attach to this study guide.

1. What was the structure of the national government under the Articles of Confederation?
2. What were the weaknesses of the Articles of Confederation and why were they deliberately included?
3. Why were delegates sent to what became known as the Constitutional Convention, and what key decisions did they make once they began?
4. How did the Constitution separate power?
5. Describe how each branch of government was set up and what it does.
6. Describe the Virginia and New Jersey plans, who would favor each, and the Great Compromise.
7. Explain why the Bill of Rights was created and what it contains.
8. Describe the key events and accomplishments of each of the first five Presidents.

Complete answers to the questions above and a parent guardian signature below will boost your test grade to the next letter grade (A's increase 5 points)!

I am aware of this test and study guide:

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Your test will be on Wednesday, Nov 9

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