

SOCIAL STUDIES STUDY GUIDE CHAPTER 3: A MORE PERFECT UNION

Lesson	Vocabulary (1 pt) <i>copy each definition</i>	People, Places, Docs, etc. <i>(3 pts) list 3 facts for each</i>	Main Ideas (For all the following, KNOW AND UNDERSTAND) <i>(2 pts) Write 2 detailed sentences about each main idea</i>
3-1 (34)	-popular sovereignty -sovereign legislature -Northwest Ordinance -Northwest Territory -Ordinance of 1785 -right of deposit -bicameral	-Ohio -Articles of Confederation -Robert Morris -significance of the Quock Walker case -U.S.'s first Constitution	*the branches of early state constitution governments. *what Spain had that Americans wanted access to. *how England influenced early state constitutions. *how the first U.S. government raised money. *the weaknesses of the Articles of Confederation. *the problems the U. S. had with Britain and Spain.
3-2 (44)	-manumission -depression -Three-Fifths Compromise -Shay's Rebellion	-Bill of Rights -Virginia Plan -New Jersey Plan -Approval process for the Constitution -James Madison -Daniel Shays -Gouverneur Morris -Quakers	*how the Revolutionary War changed most Northern states. *how a weak government leads to problems among states. *what led to the depression after the Revolutionary War. *why state officials were seizing farmers' lands. *what state refused to participate in the ratification of the Constitution. *why Southern states clung to slavery. *who was not part of the political process during the time of the Constitutional Convention. *Roger Sherman's Great Compromise in the creation of the House and Senate.
3-3 (34)	-legislative branch -executive branch -judicial branch -checks and balances -federalism -articles -the supreme law of the land	-Enlightenment -Federalists -Antifederalists -"The Spirit of Laws" -John Locke	*why the Framers of the Constitution divided the government into three branches. *the purpose of Congress -p. 204 *what Enlightenment ideas the Constitution drew upon. *Benjamin Franklin's ideas about a republic. *why Antifederalists refused to sign the Constitution at first. *representation in the Senate and the House of Representatives that helped "sell" the Great Compromise.

Essay Questions (Be prepared to answer both of the following questions on your chapter test)

1. What was the Great Compromise? Why was the compromise necessary?

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2. Describe the powers of the Congress under the Articles of Confederation. What limits were put on the Confederation Congress? Why?