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U.S. History I

The Constitution Study Guide

Key Terms

Shays' Rebellion:

The Great Compromise:

The Three-Fifths Compromise:

Federalism:

The Bill of Rights:

Ratification:

The Federalist Papers:

Concepts:

What is the role of the Executive Branch?

What is the role of the Legislative Branch?

What is the role of the Judicial Branch?

Concepts (continued):

Separation of Powers:

Checks and Balances:

Why did Federalists believe that a new Constitution was necessary for America?

Why were anti-federalists against the creation of a new Constitution?

Key People

James Madison:

George Washington

Alexander Hamilton: