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**Term 3 Test Study Guide**

Answer the following questions:

Post-Revolutionary War

1. What were the Articles of Confederation?

2. What was the main problem of the Articles of Confederation?

3. What was a major problem the new nation faced with the currency?

The U.S. Constitution

4. What is the Constitution of the United States of America?

5. Where, when, and why did the Constitutional Convention take place?

6. What was the 3/5 Compromise?

7. What was the Great Compromise?

8. What is stated in the Preamble of the Constitution? Write it.

9. What is the Bill of Rights?

10. What rights are guaranteed in the first ten amendments?

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The Three Branches of Government

11. What does the Supreme Court do?

12. What are the responsibilities of the Legislative Branch?

13. What are the responsibilities of the Executive Branch?

14. What are the responsibilities of the Judicial Branch?

15. What are three requirements to become President of the United States?

16. What are three powers of the President of the United States?

17. How many senators are there? How long is a senator elected?

18. What part does the Senate play in the impeachment process?

19. Name three responsibilities of the Federal government.

20. Name three responsibilities of the State Government.

21. What fraction majority is needed to override Presidential Veto in Congress?

22. How does the government determine how many representatives there are from each state?

23. What is the difference between a duty and a responsibility as a citizen of the United States?

The First Political Parties

24. What were the beliefs of the Federalist Party?

25. What were the beliefs of the Democratic-Republican Party?

The Jefferson Era

26. What was the Louisiana Purchase? Why did Napoleon sell it to the U.S.?

27. What was the Lewis and Clark Expedition? What was its purpose?

28. What was the name of the major river explored by the Lewis and Clark Expedition?

29. Who was Sacagawea? What was her contribution to the expedition?

30. What were major impacts of the Louisiana Purchase on the United States?

The War of 1812

31. What was the main cause of the War of 1812?

32. What was “Old Ironsides”? How did it get its name?

33. Name three facts you learned about the importance of the flag flown at Fort McHenry in the War of 1812.

34. Why did the British want to attack Fort McHenry in Baltimore, Maryland?

35. Who was Dolly Madison? What heroic actions did Dolly Madison take before the British burned the White House?

36. What events occurred during the British attack on our nation’s capitol during the War of 1812 that caused the British to flee?

37. What were the outcomes of the War of 1812?

The Industrial Revolution

38. What is the definition of the Industrial Revolution?

39. What are some of the causes of the Industrial Revolution?

40. What is the Factory System?

41. What was a major change for women brought on by the Industrial Revolution?

42. What are some communication inventions that came about during the Industrial Revolution?

43. What are some farming inventions that came about during the Industrial Revolution?

44. What were some inventions in transportation during the Industrial Revolution?

45. What is the Erie Canal? Where is it? Why was it important?

Unity & Sectionalism

46. What were the economic interests in the North?

47. What were the economic interests in the South?

48. What did the Missouri Compromise do?

Jacksonian Democracy

49. What was Andrew Jackson’s “Spoils System”?

50. What is mudslinging?

51. What was the Trail of Tears?

Mexican-American War

52. After the Mexican-American War, the United States gained territory that includes which states?

53. Who was the leader of the Mexican Army during the Mexican American War?

Texas War for Independence

54. What was the Alamo? What happened there? What was the result?