

CHAPTER

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TEST

Identifying Main Ideas



Write the letter of the correct choice in the answer space.

- ___ 1. Which of the following actions was NOT an example set by President George Washington?
- A asking people to call him “President of the United States”
 - B choosing the first Cabinet
 - C leaving office after two terms
 - D importing goods from overseas
- ___ 2. Which item was NOT part of Hamilton’s plan?
- A high tariff
 - B repaying state debts
 - C the Bank of the United States
 - D starting political parties
- ___ 3. The rebellion of Pennsylvania farmers during Washington’s presidency was a reaction to
- A a tax placed on whiskey.
 - B attacks by Native Americans.
 - C Jay’s Treaty.
 - D a tariff.
- ___ 4. Washington’s Neutrality Proclamation kept the United States out of war with
- A Spain.
 - B France.
 - C Britain.
 - D Britain and France.
- ___ 5. What was one result of Jay’s Treaty?
- A The United States went to war with France.
 - B The United States went to war with Britain.
 - C President Washington decided not to run for President again.
 - D The United States avoided war with Britain.
- ___ 6. Which idea was supported by Thomas Jefferson?
- A State governments should be stronger than the federal government.
 - B Only educated people should lead the nation.
 - C The Constitution should be interpreted loosely.
 - D The government should encourage manufacturing over farming.
- ___ 7. The results of the election of 1796 were unexpected because
- A it led to war with France.
 - B George Washington was elected for a third term.
 - C the President and Vice President were not from the same party.
 - D it showed that the United States would stay neutral.
- ___ 8. A foreign born resident and subject of another country is called a(an)
- A citizen.
 - B alien.
 - C Federalist.
 - D Republican.
- ___ 9. The Federalist party split in two because
- A Hamilton wanted war with France.
 - B Jefferson joined the Federalists.
 - C Adams declared war on France.
 - D Hamilton opposed the Alien and Sedition Acts.
- ___ 10. Which event took place first?
- A Alien and Sedition Acts pass.
 - B Congress approves Jay’s Treaty.
 - C Washington becomes President.
 - D First political parties are formed.