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Big Idea: United States establishes a central government

Chapter 3 – Section 1 ~ p. 178 – 185: The Articles of Confederation

Due Date: 10/5/16

Directions:

1. Choose any **4** boxes.
2. Complete the tasks described in those **4** boxes.
3. Staple your work to the back of this cover sheet.
4. Mark each of the **4** boxes you chose with a large **X**.
5. Complete extra boxes to receive **extra credit**!
6. Questions are to be answered in complete and thorough sentences
7. Identify each question on your paper with the word in **boldface**

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| **Articles of the Confederation**:  1. Explain what it was  2. Tell what the weaknesses in the Articles of the Confederation were  3. Why were these weaknesses a problem? | **A New Government**:  Explain why you think the colonists were worried about giving too much power to a central government? | **Debt**:  1. Explain what debt is  2. Explain why just printing more money is not a solution  3. Why was debt a problem after the Revolutionary War? |
| **CA State Constitution (Research):**  1. Look up California’s state constitution  2. What does the Preamble state?  3. How many articles does it have?  4. Cite one of the articles and why it is of interest to you | **Second Daughter (Story p. 186-191):**  1. Read the story  2. Write a summary of the story (include what the story is about)  3. Explain why you think this story was included in this chapter? | **On your own (must be done with CA state Const. Question):**  1. Write three articles you feel you would like to see added to our state constitution  2. They are to be written in professional terms (see CA Constitution) |