

## Constitution and Early National Test

US HISTORY

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Part 1 Choose the best answer for each question. Two points each.

1. Shays' Rebellion convinced many prominent Americans that

a. rebellions were good for the country.

b. the Articles of Confederation were working,

c. taxes should be lowered.

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2. Can a citizen from one state sue the government of another state in federal court? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Which amendment was the first to clarify who could vote? \_\_\_\_\_

4. What did the 18<sup>th</sup> Amendment ban? \_\_\_\_\_

5. What was the voting age before the 26<sup>th</sup> Amendment? \_\_\_\_\_

6. How often does the Congress have to meet? \_\_\_\_\_

7. What is a poll tax? \_\_\_\_\_

8. How many years passed between when the 27<sup>th</sup> Amendment was proposed by Congress and when it was ratified by the states? \_\_\_\_\_

9. If a president becomes ill and can't fulfil the duties of the office, who takes over? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Can the military take over your home during a crisis without your permission? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Which amendment states that people have more rights than are listed in the Constitution? \_\_\_\_\_

12. A person can ask for a jury trial if a case involves over what amount of money? \_\_\_\_\_

13. What is double jeopardy? \_\_\_\_\_

14. To whom do powers not specifically given to the national government belong? \_\_\_\_\_

15. Which amendment states that you do not have to testify against yourself? \_\_\_\_\_