

Crash Course U.S. Government - Day 78

1. What was the first government set up by the Continental Congress? _____

2. Why did it only last for 10 years? _____

3. What were The Articles of Confederation replaced by? _____

4. What was the **Great Compromise**? _____

5. How did the 3/5ths compromise change the way that non-white people were counted in the population?

6. What does **separation of powers** mean? _____

7. What is **federalism**? _____

8. Name the three writers of the **Federalist Papers**. _____

Answers

1. The Articles of Confederation
2. Answers may vary: it was too weak, it could not collect taxes, it was not able to effectively govern, it didn't have a president
3. The Constitution
4. There would be two houses of Congress, one with equal representation and one with proportional representation
5. they counted as $\frac{3}{5}$ ths of a person
6. The government is divided into branches with each branch having different powers and the ability to check the powers of the other branches
7. the idea that power rests with both the national and state governments
8. Alexander Hamilton, James Madison, and John Jay