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Directions: Answer each question in complete sentences

List and describe the four characteristics of a State:

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5. According to James Madison what are the two methods for curing the mischiefs of factions?

6. Describe John Locke's "state of nature."

7. In what ways does "Thomas Hobbes' "state of nature" differ from Locke's?

8. According to both Locke and Hobbes, why do people enter into a social contract?

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9. Describe the main components of the Virginia Plan.

10. Why was the Three-Fifths Compromise a necessary middle ground for the Southern States?

11. What was the outcome of the Great Compromise/Connecticut Compromise?

12. Describe the main components of the New Jersey Plan.

13-15. Why did the Anti-Federalists disagree with the Constitution?

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16-18. Name three Federalist who were the main contributors to the arguments for the Constitution.

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19-21. Name three Antifederalist who presented oppositional arguments to the new Constitution.

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22-24. What are some of the reasons the Articles of Confederation failed? (use 3 reasons)

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25. Describe how the Commerce and Slave Trade Compromise handled the American Slave Trade.

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26-28. Describe the following types of colonies: Royal, Proprietary, and Charter.

26. Royal:

27. Proprietary:

28. Charter:

29. "Taxation without representation" became the theme in later colonial America. Do you believe we can make that same claim today? Are we adequately represented or is the majority of the legislative power in the hands of the wealthiest Americans?

Directions: Describe the following concepts of democracy:

30. Worth of the Individual:

31. Equality of All Persons:

32. Majority Rule, Minority Rights:

33. Necessity of Compromise:

34. Individual Freedom: