

Supplemental Study Guide: U.S. Constitution (Quiz on Wednesday, Feb. 15th)

The following information will be included on the quiz.

1. **Key Vocabulary Words:** You should review the vocabulary sheet you completed for homework. The information will be useful not only on the vocabulary section of the quiz, but in all sections, including the open-ended response. Make flash cards to help you learn them. Knowing why the vocabulary terms are important forms the foundation for understanding the material.
2. **The Great Compromise:** Begin by reviewing pages 345- 349 in your textbook. The open- ended question will be about the **Great Compromise**. In order to do a good job on your response, you need to know what the **Virginia Plan** and the **New Jersey Plan** were all about. You will also need to understand what a **compromise** is.
3. **Classroom activities** You should review the activities, handouts, and worksheets that we have done in class. There is a vocabulary homework page, a lesson 2 review, a Constitutional Convention mad lib, and two pages on the separation of powers/checks and balances. Please see me if you need additional copies.
4. **Bill of Rights** You will need to know what it is and why it is important.
 - It guarantees our personal freedoms.
 - Some states would not agree to the Constitution unless it was added.

Quiz Format

Vocabulary: Matching and Fill-in-the-blank (with a word bank).

Fill in a Table: Place the functions of the national government with the appropriate branch of government.

Short Answer Response: (minimum 3 sentences long) This question will be about the system of checks and balances.

Open-ended Response: (a well organized paragraph) This question will be about the Great Compromise.

* All bolded words are key vocabulary words. It is **very important** that you know them.