

Chapter 8, Section 3 Vocab Introduction

Vocabulary Word	Letter Guess	Definition In Words
Federalism		
The Federalist Papers		
Bill of Rights		
Majority Rule		
Federalists		
Antifederalists		
Amendment		

From the possibilities below, first, write the letter of the definition lightly next to the word you believe is being defined. Second, check your answers by using the glossary (R49) or page 248.

- A. ratification essays published in New York newspapers
- B. first ten amendments to the US Constitution
- C. a system in which more than one half of a group holds the power to make decisions binding on the entire group
- D. an addition to a document
- E. people who opposed the ratification of the Constitution
- F. people who supported the ratification of the Constitution
- G. system of government in which power is shared between the national (or federal) government and the states.

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SECTION

READING STUDY GUIDE

Ratification and the Bill of Rights (249-251)

• **Before, You Learned** The Constitution created a new, stronger government that replaced the Confederation.

• **Now You Will Learn** American liberties are protected by the U.S. Constitution and a Bill of Rights.

AS YOU READ Take notes comparing and contrasting people and ideas in this section. Use the Venn diagram on both pages of this worksheet.

