

# Notes: The First President (10/1)

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When we last left the Thirteen Colonies...

1. 1776: \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
  2. 1783: \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
  3. 1787: \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ )
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First President (and inaugurated where and when):

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Important precedent at end of second term:

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One of his first precedents:

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Name the five executive departments:

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Most influential Cabinet members (role):

- 1.
  - 2.
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Three facts about the Judicial Branch:

- 1.
  - 2.
  - 3.
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Hamilton's biggest problem:

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*Prediction: What do you think caused this problem?*

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How does the debt of 1791 compare to our current debt?

Total U.S. Debt in 1791

United States National Debt in 2016

How much larger is it?

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What was Hamilton's Plan?

Who opposed his plan (group and individual)?

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What was Hamilton's Compromise?

Where would this new capital city be located?

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Today, we know it as \_\_\_\_\_.

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What was Hamilton's next challenge?

What did Congress do in 1791?

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Why did Hamilton want a tariff (or tax)?

What did these two groups do (and why)?

North: \_\_\_\_\_, because

South: \_\_\_\_\_, because

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What else did Congress do to raise money?

What happened in 1794 (and where did it take place)?

What is this event known as?

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**VOCAB REVIEW:** What is a PRECEDENT?

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**DID YOU NOTICE?** What event was ALMOST our first CIVIL WAR?