1. Who lived in America before the Europeans arrived?

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2. Name one American Indian tribe in the United States.

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3. What is one reason colonists came to America?

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4. There are 13 original colonies. Name 3.

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5. What did the Declaration of Independence do?

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6. Who wrote the Declaration of Independence?

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7. When was the Declaration of Independence adopted?

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8. What are two rights in the Declaration of Independence?

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9. Why did the colonists fight the British?

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10. Who was the first president?

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11. Who is the “Father of our Country”?

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12. What happened at the Constitutional Convention?

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13. What year was the Constitution written?

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14. What does the Constitution do?

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15. What is the supreme law of the land?

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16. The idea of self-government is in the first three words of the Constitution. What are these words?

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17. What did the Federalist Papers do?

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18. Name one of the writers of the Federalist Papers.

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19. What is one thing that Benjamin Franklin is famous for?

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20. What is one power of the federal government?

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21. What is one power of state governments?

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22. What is an amendment?

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23. What do we call the first ten amendments to the Constitution?

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24. How many amendments does the Constitution have?

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25. What are the five freedoms/rights in the First Amendment?

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26. What is freedom of religion?

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27. What does “rule of law” mean?

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28. What is the economic system in the United States?

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