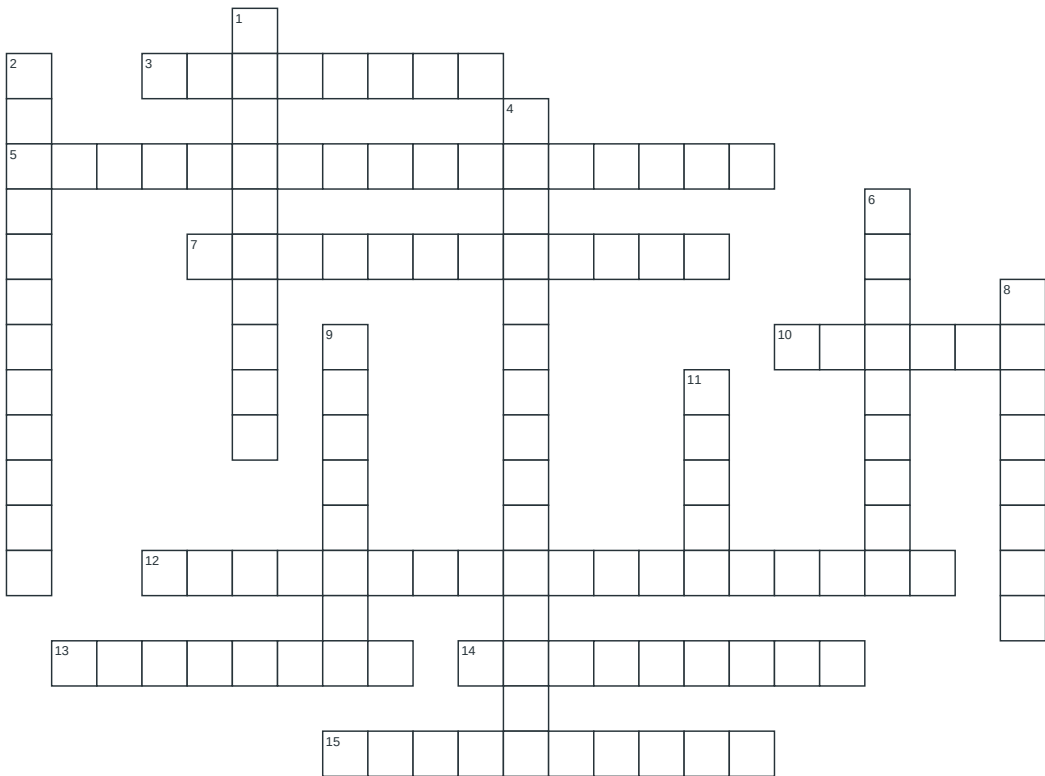


U.S. Constitution Crossword

Medium | 15 clues | Student Worksheet

Name: _____ Date: _____

Directions: Use the clues to complete the grid. Omit spaces, punctuation, and hyphens.



ACROSS

- 3. Introductory section stating the document's purposes.
- 5. Principle that officials must respect legal limits on their powers.
- 7. Formal approval by the required states.
- 10. Chamber giving each state equal representation.
- 12. Principle that ultimate political authority rests with the people.
- 13. Federal lawmaking institution with two chambers.
- 14. Individual freedoms critics wanted explicitly protected.
- 15. Philadelphia gathering that drafted the new framework in 1787.

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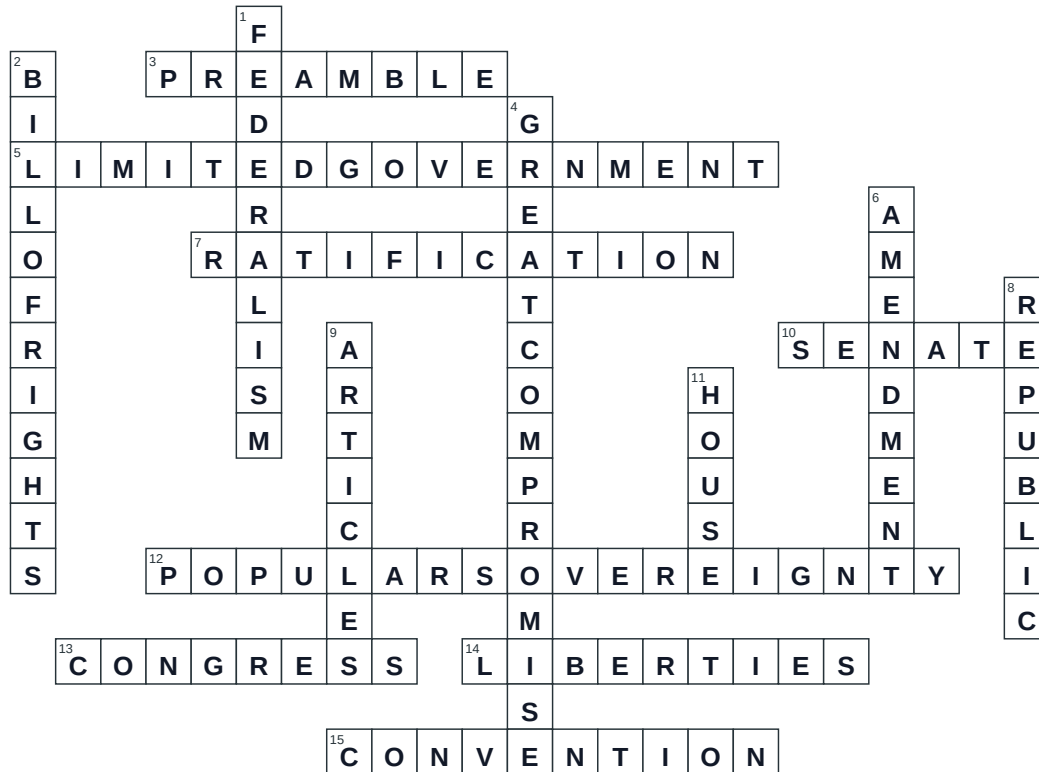
- 1. Division of governing power between national and state levels.
- 2. First ten amendments adding explicit safeguards for individuals.
- 4. Convention agreement combining population-based and equal-state representation.
- 6. Formal change to the constitutional framework.
- 8. System exercising public authority through representatives.
- 9. Seven main sections of the original constitutional text.
- 11. Chamber whose representation is based primarily on population.

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TEACHER ANSWER KEY

Completed grid and numbered answers. Spaces and punctuation are omitted in the grid.



ACROSS

3. Preamble
5. Limited Government
7. Ratification
10. Senate
12. Popular Sovereignty
13. Congress
14. Liberties
15. Convention

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1. Federalism
2. Bill of Rights
4. Great Compromise
6. Amendment
8. Republic
9. Articles
11. House