

Chapter 2 Section 1 - Our Political Beginnings

List and explain three key political ideas that the English settlers brought to the 13 Colonies.

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List and explain three landmark English documents that influence the political life of the 13 colonies:

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Explain the three types of English Colonies established in America.

1. Royal Colonies

2. Proprietary Colonies

3. Charter Colonies

Chapter 2 Section 2 -The Coming of Independence?

What does your text mean when it says, “ So in practice, the colonists became used to a large measure of self government.”

Explain your text’s idea that, “... the relationship between Britain had become, in fact if not in form, **federal**.”

How did many colonist react to the Britain’s restriction of colonial trade and new taxes?

List several attempts of the colonies to cooperate with each other:

What was the reaction of Colonists to the Stamp Act Congress?

How did the crown respond to the First Continental Congress’ Declaration of Rights?

What was the “shot heard around the world?”

Which events marked the beginning and the end of the Second Continental Congress?

Which document explained the 13 Colonies separation from England?

List four common features of the State Constitutions established during the American Revolution: