

Congress: Our Legislative Branch
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Summary Statements

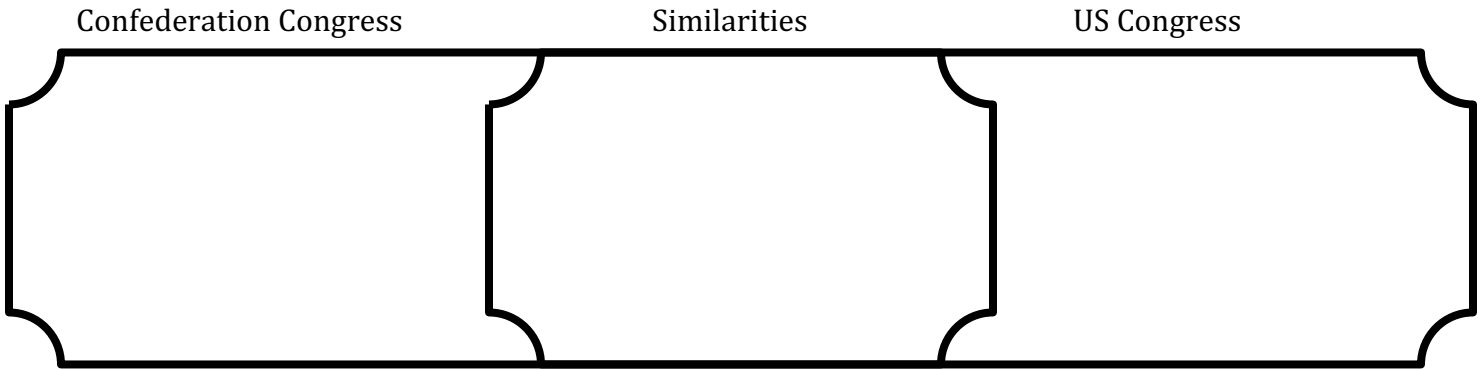
As you finish reading various sections of the text, use what you have highlighted in the text to write a four- sentence summary statement showing what you have learned. Then draw a quick sketch of the information you have written about. If you need additional room use a piece of notebook paper. (available on the center table)

Topics	4 Sentence Summary	sketch of 1 fact
The Structure of Congress (top section of pg 87)	1. 2. 3. 4.	
The Powers of Congress : Enumerated Pg. 87-89	1. 2. 3. 4.	
The Implied Powers: Pg. 89-88	1. 2. 3. 4.	
Non-legislative Powers pg 90-91	1. 2. 3. 4.	
Limitation on Congressional Powers Pg. 92	1. 2. 3.	

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Who can become a member of Congress? Pg. 92	4. 1. 2. 3. 4.	
Congress at work Pg. 93-94	1. 2. 3. 4.	

Using the venn diagram form below, **show the similarities and differences** between the Confederation Congress and the new US Congress.



Extension Activity: Select one of the delegated or enumerated powers that you read about. Explain why it is an important power for the Congress to possess. Describe a benefit this power would have on the public and might a drawback of the power. (at least 5 sentences)
