

SS8H4a ~ Historical Understandings

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| 1) | Great Britain was too far away and didn't meet the needs of the colonies. The goal for each colony was _____.       |
| 2) | Each new state was to develop its own _____ and pass _____ that met its needs.                                      |
| 3) | What did the new state constitution replace?  |
| 4) | Writing the state constitution was difficult because of differing views. What were those two views?<br>a)<br>b)     |
| 5) | Georgia did decide on a government based on the _____ and the rights of citizens to agree with how they were _____. |
| 6) | When and where did Georgia adopt its first state constitution?  |
| 7) | What were some of the governmental changes?<br>a)<br>b)   |
| 8) | What powers did the legislature have?<br>a)<br>b)<br>c)   |
| 9) | Who was selected as the first elected governor of the state of Georgia?   |

10)	What were two goals the founding fathers wanted to make sure of when establishing the new American government? a) b)
11)	What were three characteristics of the new U.S. government? a) b) c)
12)	What were six weaknesses of the Articles of Confederation? a) b) c) d) e) f)
13)	What opportunity arose in 1786 to address the states' trade issues?
14)	What were the results of this meeting? a) b) c) d)

