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Creating a Leader

Short Answer Key

1. The Articles of Confederation did not have a president because the Founding Fathers feared a leader might become like a king.
2. Some Founding Fathers worried that a president might become too powerful and act like a king.
3. The Electoral College was created as a compromise so that neither Congress nor the people had complete control over choosing the president.
4. The Founding Fathers limited the president's power to prevent unfair rule and make sure no one had too much control.
5. Congress can override a veto, approve presidential decisions, and remove a president if they break the law.

