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Debating America

Short Answer Key

1. The Articles of Confederation could not collect taxes and had no president or army.
2. Federalists wanted a strong government to keep the country united and protect people.
3. The Anti-Federalists wanted a Bill of Rights to protect freedoms like free speech.
4. Federalist: Alexander Hamilton, Anti-Federalist: Patrick Henry.
5. The Constitution gave the national government more power while adding the Bill of Rights to protect freedoms.

