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Leading the Way

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What was one of Washington's biggest challenges as the first president?
 - a) Deciding how much power the president should have
 - b) Becoming king of the United States
 - c) Writing the entire Constitution
 - d) Fighting in the Civil War

2. What was one tradition Washington started?
 - a) Presidents leading the army in every war
 - b) Presidents ruling for life
 - c) Presidents serving two terms
 - d) Presidents making their own laws

3. What was Washington's advice about other countries?
 - a) The U.S. should take sides in every war
 - b) The U.S. should stay neutral in world affairs
 - c) The U.S. should always fight European countries
 - d) The U.S. should only trade with France

4. How did Thomas Jefferson change the role of the president?
 - a) He bought land for the country
 - b) He became a king
 - c) He created Congress
 - d) He stopped the government from making laws

5. What did James Monroe's Monroe Doctrine do?
 - a) Gave more power to the British king
 - b) Forced all countries to trade with the U.S.
 - c) Made it illegal to vote for a new president
 - d) Warned Europe not to interfere in the Americas

