

The Preamble

Objectives:

1. to understand the purpose and promise of the Preamble to the US Constitution.

Bellringer - Quiz

Define the following:

1. Federalists
2. Antifederalists
3. Separation of Powers
4. Federalism
5. Popular Sovereignty

BONUS: The Federalist Papers

Intro - Read the Preamble to the US Constitution.

the Constitution

Preamble:

Who gives gov its power? The ppl of the U.S.A.

What is the purpose of this document

- 1 form a more perfect union
- 2 establish justice (fairness)
- 3 ensure domestic tranquility (peace @ home)
- 4 provide for the common defense
- 5 promote the general welfare (well-being of the ppl)
- 6 securing the blessings of liberty to ourselves + our posterity (those that live after us)

Closure - Begin Article I

