

CONSTITUTION 101

Module 6: Separation of Powers and Federalism

6.1 Activity Guide

SEPARATION OF POWERS, CHECKS AND BALANCES, AND FEDERALISM REFLECTION

When crafting a new Constitution, the framers were concerned about the threats posed by a powerful new national government. To guard against potential abuses of power, the Founding generation divided power.

In this activity, you will explore the separation of powers, checks and balances, and federalism.

	What do you <i>know</i> about...?	What do you <i>want to know</i> about...?	What did you <i>learn</i> about...?
Separation of Powers			
Checks and Balances			
Federalism			