**Name: Date: Mods:**

**Chapter 5 Sections 2 and 3**

**Constitutional Convention, The Constitution and Ratification**

**Use your textbook and Internet to complete the following outline:**

**The Convention Assembles**

**When was the meeting held:**

**Where was the meeting held:**

**How many delegates attended the meeting:**

**List who were the power players that attended:**

**Who were the two important people that were not in attendance and explain where they were:**

**Explain the characteristics/background of the people that attended:**

**How many states were represented at the meeting:**

**What state did not attend and why:**

**What was the original purpose of the convention:**

**What was created at the Convention:**

**When did the convention end:**

**“The Father of the Convention”**

**Supply 7 facts about who he was and what he accomplished at the convention and during his life...**

**1**

**2**

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**5**

**6**

**7**

**Divisions at the Convention**

**What was the first act of the Constitutional Convention:**

**At the start, what was the major division at the Constitutional Convention:**

**What did they decide in the end to do about the Articles of Confederation:**

**In turn, they decided to create a new what: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**3 major areas of Argument at the Convention…**

**and they will take all summer to work out these issue…..**

**Argument #1 Comparing Plans for State Representation:**

**Supply 5 facts for each topic...make sure you can explain the impact of each and what states they were trying to assist!!**

**The Virginia Plan: (include names of creator)**

**1**

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**5**

**The New Jersey Plan: (include names of creator)**

**1**

**2**

**3**

**4**

**5**

**The Great Compromise: (include names of creator)**

**1**

**2**

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**Once issue of representation was approved...Argument #2 Issue of Slavery**

**Why was slavery an issue after the Great Compromise was approved:**

**What is the Three-Fifths Compromise: Supply the 3 most important facts**

**1**

**2**

**3**

**Last major argument...Argument #3...The President and election of one…**

**How long is a presidential term:**

**What were the other two options discussed at the convention dealing with a presidential term:**

**1**

**2**

**Who was elected the first President of the US:**

**When was the inauguration of our first President:**

**How many terms did our first President serve:**

**How many terms would they be allowed to serve:**

**Explain what precedent is and our first President created that:**

**What is the electoral college, how does it work and why was it instituted:**

**Explain how the Federal Court System works under the Constitution:**

**Chapter 5 Section 3 Ratifying the Constitution**

**How many states had to ratify the US Constitution for it to become law: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**The Federalist View**

**What did they believe in terms of the Constitution:**

**Who were the major power players of the group:**

**How did they get their message/view out to the public:**

**Why was Federalist #10 so important:**

**The Anti-Federalist View:**

**What did they believe in terms of the Constitution:**

**Who were the major power players of the group:**

**How did they get their message/view out to the public:**

**Why did the Federalists win?**

**The Constitution was officially submitted for approval on: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Explain the 4 reasons why the Federalists won approval:**

**1**

**2**

**3**

**4**