1. Know your vocabulary
2. Weaknesses
   1. No National Court System: arguments couldn’t be settled fairly
   2. No Chief Executive: lack of leadership
   3. Laws needed approval 9/13 states: hard to make a decision and the gov cannot do much
   4. No power to tax: fed gov didn’t have funds to operate effectively.
   5. Amendments must be approved by all 13 states: couldn’t agree on one thing.
   6. Congress could not draft an army could only request men: could not protect the country.
   7. Congress could not collect state debts: did not have enough money to run properly.
   8. Congress did not have the power to resolve state disputes: lead to disunity among the states.
3. Shays’ Rebellion
4. Daniel Shays
5. The farmers crops were not enough to pay for the taxes on their land, and they were being thrown in jail for unpaid debts. The American Revolution
6. Couldn’t tax citizens, couldn’t collect state debts, couldn’t draft an army. Couldn’t settle state disputes
7. Federalist, Anti-Federalist
8. Monarchy, Anarchy, Theocracy, Oligarchy, Direct Democracy, Representative Democracy (Republic)
9. Theocracy
10. Representative Democracy, electoral college