

## **Constitutional Convention**

- I understand the history of the convention: Where the delegates met, who was there, and their initial intentions for meeting.
- I can explain why the framers chose to write a new Constitution rather than revise the Articles of Confederation.
- I understand the different perspectives of the delegates that represented the big states, small states, and slave states at the Constitutional Convention.
- I can compare/contrast the Virginia Plan and the New Jersey Plan.
- I can explain how the Great Compromise met the needs of both small states and large states.
- I am able to describe what Africans experienced on the Middle Passage.
- I understand the influence the Virginia and New Jersey Plans had on the Great Compromise.
- I can create and explain a diagram that shows the structure of the national government created in the Great Compromise.