What is the Constitution?
Magazine 16 Topic 1

Based on what you read, answer the following worksheet according to each item's instructions.

I. ***Complete the following sentences with the correct word(s)***

1. The 13 states had loose ties under a document called _____.

2. By 1787, many leaders feared that the new country would fall apart without a stronger _____.

3. The leaders wrote a brand-new document called the _____.

4. _____ of New York persuaded the others to make the first call for a convention of all the states to revise the Articles of Confederation.

5. After the _____, the country fell into an economic depression.

6. The economic problems were especially hard on _____.

II. ***Write T or F according to each sentence or proposal.***

7. _____ In Massachusetts, in 1786, about 1,200 farmers rose up in armed rebellion.

8. _____ In order to pass laws, delegates from at least 8 of the 13 states had to meet to approve the Articles of Confederation.

9. _____ Each state printed its own money, which made trade among the states hard.

10. _____ All people believed that a stronger central government would help the economy.

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