

Adams Round Robin

Station 1 and 2: The Election of 1796

2 unique characteristics about the Election of 1796 were the existence of _____ and it was the first to be a _____ election.

The Federalist Candidate- _____

Democratic Republican Candidate- _____

Hamilton wanted _____ to be president.

1796 President- _____

1796 Vice President- _____

Station 1 and 2: Electoral College Chart

The state of _____ provided John Adams with the most votes.

12th amendment was ratified in the year _____.

12th amendment changed _____

Station 3: XYZ Affair

Describe the relationship between France and the US in 3 words.

The U.S. was at odds with France because _____

Before France would receive the delegates, the French Ministers demanded _____

President Adams not immediately tell the people what happened because _____

Station 4: Protecting America

To help protect America, Adams created the _____.

It was tasked with _____

In the two years of warfare between France and the US, American ships sank or captured nearly _____ (number) French vessels on the high seas.

Why was this called a “quasi-war”?

Alien Act

Americans were concerned about a _____ invasion.

The **Alien Enemies Act** provided that once war had been declared, all male citizens of an enemy nation could be _____, _____, and _____.

Station 5 Naturalization Act

***Use the chart in your book on page 282 or your knowledge of the Federalists and Democratic Republican Parties.

Immigrants would generally vote for the _____ party, because _____.

Do you think the United States should accept immigrants?

Do you think there should be screening of immigrants?

Are there circumstances in which our government should limit or expand the number of immigrants coming into our country? If yes, what circumstances?

Station 6 Sedition Act

The Sedition Acts prevent people from _____.

The Sedition Act was used to punish _____.

Who decided whether someone had violated the Sedition Act?

What was the punishment for sedition?

After passing the Sedition Act, do you think that Adams will be reelected? Why?

Station 7: Cartoon and Case Study

What does the snake represent?

What is the "snake" attacking?

Would you agree with the message of the cartoon?

Who was Thomas Cooper? What was his political affiliation?

What did he do to express his objections to the Sedition Act?

What was Cooper indicted and tried for? How did the trial go?

What was Cooper's sentence?

Do you think Cooper was treated fairly? Why?

Station 8: Response to the Sedition Act of 1798

Part 1 Questions: Do you think that the author of this response, John Armstrong, was for or against the Sedition Act? Use examples from the sources to support your answer.

What did Armstrong say about the punishment of the Sedition Act?

Part 2 Questions: 1. What did Armstrong think people have the right to do?

Why did he link the Sedition Act to slavery?

Station 9 Virginia and Kentucky Resolution

Part 1 Questions: Do you think that the Kentucky Resolution was for or against the Sedition Act? Why?

What document did the author, Thomas Jefferson, refer to in his response to the Sedition Act?

Why did Jefferson use this example from the Constitution to respond to the Sedition Act?

Part 2 Questions:

What did Mr. Jefferson think of the Sedition Act?

What evidence did Mr. Jefferson use to support his opinion?