

Launching the Nation**Vocabulary Builder****Section 2**

DIRECTIONS Read each sentence and fill in the blank with the word in the word pair that best completes the sentence.

1. _____ disagreed with the idea to pay speculators the full value of the government bonds that they had bought during the Revolutionary War. (**Thomas Jefferson/Alexander Hamilton**)
2. Hamilton's view of the Constitution was called _____. (**loose construction /strict construction**)
3. Congress chartered the _____ which played an important role in making the U.S. economy more stable. (**national debt/Bank of the United States**)
4. _____ are people who buy items at low prices in the hope that the value will rise. (**Bonds/Speculators**)
5. A _____ of the Constitution allows the federal government to take reasonable actions that the Constitution does not specifically forbid. (**loose construction /strict construction**)
6. People who favor _____ of the Constitution believe the federal government should do only what the Constitution says it can do. (**loose construction /strict construction**)
7. The amount of money that was owed by the United States was called the _____. (**national debt/Bank of the United States**)
8. The secretary of the treasury who had to deal with the challenge of paying off the national debt was _____. (**Thomas Jefferson/Alexander Hamilton**)
9. _____ are certificates that represent money. (**Bonds/Speculators**)
10. Thomas Jefferson's view of the Constitution was known as _____. (**loose construction /strict construction**)