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Unit Overview	Content Elaborations	Unit Resources
Students will understand that actions of early	*Actions of early U.S. presidential	CH. 7
presidential adminstrations established a strong	administrations established a strong federal	
federal government, provided peaceful	government.	Instructional Strategies
transitions of power and repelled a foreign	-assumption of state debts, creating	-Create presentation on one of the early U.S.
invasions.	national bank, ending the Whiskey Rebellion,	Presidents
	negotiating the Jay Treaty	
	-Creation of Navy Department	Instructional Resources
	-Expansion of U.S. Territory with	-The U.S. Presidents (Website)
	Louisana Purchase	-American President: An Online Reference
	-Waging War of 1812	Resource
	-Winning the McCulloch v. Maryland	-George Washington: The Precedent
	decision	President
		-The Monroe Doctrine: Origin and Early
	*Peaceful transitions of the presidency began	American Foregin Policy
	with Washington when he established the	
	tradition of a two-term limit.	
	*Attempts by Great Britain to invade the	
	United States during the War of 1812 were	
	turned back and the Madison Administration	
	preserved the pre-war status of the United	
	States.	
Unit Vocabulary	Enduring Understandings (Big Ideas)	Connections
George Washington, electoral college, Martha	*President Washington and members of	
Washington, precedent, Judiciary Act of 1789,	Congress established a new national gov't.	
Alexander Hamilton, national debt, bonds,		
speculators, Thomas Jefferson, loose	*Treasury secretary Alexander Hamilton	
construction, strict construction, Bank of the	developed a financial plan for the national	

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Student Assessment

United States, French Revolution, Neutrality	government.	
Proclomation, privateers, Jay's Treaty,		
Pickney's Treaty, Little Turtle, Battle of Fallen	*The United States faced significant foreign	
Timbers, Treaty of Greenville, Whiskey	and domestic challenges under Washington.	
Rebellion, political parties, Federalist Party,		
Democratic-Republican Party, XYZ affair,	*The development of political parties in the	
Alien and Sedition Acts, Kentucky and Virgina	United States contributed to differing ideas	
Resolutions.	about the role of the fedearal government.	

Unit Refection