

**GOV 1101: American Government**  
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**Quiz #4-Article I of the Constitution (Khan Academy video)**

**Question #1 (Multiple Choice)**

According to the video what important power did the Constitution give to Congress that Congress did not have under the Articles of Confederation?

- a. The power to declare war
- b. The power to tax**
- c. The power to choose the vice-president
- d. The power to choose federal judges

**Question #2 (Short Answer)**

According to the video why did the Founding Fathers create a Congress made up of two houses?

Ans.: Was compromise between large and small states. Combination of popular and elite power.

**Question #3 (Short Answer)**

According to the video why did the Founding Fathers choose to have Senators not elected directly by the people but rather by state legislatures?

Ans.: Wanted Senate to be more lite, less subject to popular opinion.

**Question #4 (Short Answer)**

According to the video what are two things that the Senate can do that the House cannot?

Ans.: Ratify treaties. Confirm presidential nominations.

**Question #5 (Multiple Choice)**

According to the video which of these were the first two political parties to emerge in the United States?

- a. Democrats and Republicans
- b. Whigs and Federalists
- c. Federalists and Democratic-Republicans**
- d. Federalists and Libertarians