



Section 1

RETEACHING ACTIVITY

Experimenting with
Confederation

Summarizing

A. Summarize the main strengths and weaknesses of the Articles of Confederation by completing the chart below.

ARTICLES OF CONFEDERATION	
Strengths	Weaknesses

Completion

B. Write *T* in the blank if the statement is true. If the statement is false, write *F* in the blank and then write the corrected statement on the line below it.

_____ 1. Republicanism is the idea that governments should be based on the will of the people.

_____ 2. Early on, the nation’s leaders decided that the number of votes each state received in Congress depended on the size of its population.

_____ 3. Under the Northwest Ordinance of 1787, a territory needed 20,000 residents before it could apply for statehood.