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AMERICAN GOVERNMENT

On the back of this sheet answer the following question:

The United States has a federal form of government. Which of the following **best** supports this concept?

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A. There are two parts to the national legislature.

B. There are ten items in the Bill of Rights.

- C. There are amendments to the U.S. Constitution.
- D. There are fifty state governments and one national government.

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"Forty acres and a mule!"

Circle the correct answer.

The Civil War caused many changes in America. As the war was ending, many people had ideas about how to help various people who were affected by the war. The slogan above refers to helping which group?

- A. politicians
- B. former slaves
- C. carpetbaggers
- D. former slave owners

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Chief Joseph, 1877

"I am tired of fighting. Our Chiefs are killed. . . . It is cold, and we have no blankets. . . . My people, some of them, have run away to the hills, and have no blankets, no food. . . . Hear me, my Chiefs! I am tired; my heart is sick and sad. From where the sun now stands I will fight no more forever."

Explain the situation Native Americans faced in the 1870s when Chief Joseph spoke these words by using the back of this sheet.

