**Chapter 4: Federalism**

**Section 1: Federalism: The Division of Power (pg. 94-102)**

***Main Idea:*** As the “American Experiment” continued to find its footing in the late 1700’s it became clear that for the United States to prosper there needed to be a clear delineation of power between the Federal and State governments. The concept of federalism provides clear boundaries for the powers held by the state and federal government and which powers they hold concurrently.

**The Framers Choose Federalism**

***Identify*** the difficult decision the framers needed to make when they met in Philadelphia in 1789:

***Identify*** as their three key justifications the framers gave for limiting federal powers despite the fact that they favored a strong national government:

**Federalism Defined**

***Define*** the term **Federalism**:

***Describe*** the purpose of Constitutional **divisions of power**:

***Describe*** Federalism’s major strength and ***identify*** at least one example of this concept in action:

**Powers of the Federal Government**

***Define*** the term **Delegated Powers**:

***Define*** the concept of **Expressed Powers** and ***identify*** the Constitutional source for its authority**:**

* Example of this power in action:

***Define*** the concept of **Implied Powers** and ***identify*** the Constitutional source for its authority**:**

* Example of this power in action:

***Define*** the concept of **Inherent Powers** and ***identify*** the Constitutional source for its authority**:**

* Example of this power in action:

**Powers Denied to the Federal Government**

***Identify*** the three reasons that powers are denied to the federal government:

**The States**

***Define*** the term **Reserved Powers**:

• Example of this power in action:

***Identify*** some of the reasons powers are denied to the states:

**The Exclusive and Concurrent Powers**

***Define*** the term Exclusive Powers:

• Example of this power in action:

***Define*** the term **Concurrent Powers**:

• Example of this power in action:

**Supreme Law of the Land**

***Define*** the term **Supremacy Clause**:

• Explain the case of McCulloch v. Maryland and ***describe*** how this is an example of the

Supremacy Clause in use: