| **COMPROMISE WORKSHOP** |
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In this activity, you will explore the key compromises reached at the Constitutional Convention.

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In your small groups, identify the strengths and weaknesses of each compromise, as well as any opportunities and threats each would cause—this is known as a SWOT analysis.   
Be prepared to discuss your analyses with the rest of the class.

| The Connecticut (Great) Compromise | |
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| Strengths  The compromise meant that both big states and small states would get something that they wanted. | Weaknesses  No side got everything that it wanted. |
| Opportunities  Making the U.S. House and Senate work together would slow down the legislative process and allow time for reasoned deliberation and compromise. | Threats  With the Senate based on equal representation, there is the risk of people from smaller states having disproportionate power. |

| The Electoral College | |
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| Strengths | Weaknesses |
| Opportunities | Threats |

| The Three-Fifths Compromise | |
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| The International Slave Trade Clause | |
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