1. The European Union (EU) is a type of confederation. The 27 member countries of the EU pass policies to reduce trade restrictions so that goods can be easily bought and sold between the countries. Recently, Great Britain voted to leave the EU, because it did not agree with some policies that had been passed. How would this decision impact the other countries in the EU? How would it impact Great Britain?

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2. The US has a federal government, so citizens must pay taxes at each level. This means that citizens are responsible for federal taxes, state taxes, and city taxes. How does this impact citizens positively and negatively?

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3. France has a unitary government, so all education decisions are made at the central level. All 13 million French students are taught the same curriculum and given the same tests. How might this impact students and teachers in France?