Economic Relationships

- Great Britain imposed strict control over trade.
- Great Britain taxed the colonies after the French and Indian War.
- Colonies traded raw materials for goods.

Political Relationships

- Colonists had to obey British laws that were enforced by colonial governors.
- Colonial governors were appointed by the king or by the proprietor.
- Colonial legislatures made laws for each colony and were monitored by colonial governors.

Side Note: England became Great Britain in the early 1700's

Essential Understanding: Great Britain established and attempted to maintain control over the colonies.