

The Constitution Document Analysis

Directions: Refer to the U.S. Constitution and answer the following questions:

Article I

1. What branch of government does this article describe?
2. Identify the three requirements for a person to be eligible for election to the House of Representatives.
3. Identify the three requirements for a person to be eligible for election to the Senate.
4. What is the term of office for a member of the House of Representatives? For the Senate?
5. Describe in your own words how a bill becomes a law.

Article II

1. What branch of government does this article describe?
2. Describe the three requirements for a person to be eligible for election to the presidency.
3. What is the term of office for the president?
4. Describe in your own words how the president is elected.

Article III

1. What branch of government does this article describe?
2. What is the name of the nation's highest court?
3. How many justices are on this court? Who are they, currently?
4. How long do federal judges hold office?
5. List five kinds of cases that come under the judicial power of the United States courts.

Article IV

1. What is each section of this article about?
2. Explain the significance of the "Full Faith and Credit" Clause.
3. How can territory be admitted as a state?

Article V

1. What is this article about?
2. What are different ways this document be amended or changed?

Article VI

1. What is each section of this article about?

Article VII

1. What is this article about?
2. How is the Constitution to be ratified by the states?