# Summer Assignment Interacting with the Constitution

## **Instructions:**

Complete the attached document by hand – you must print this out and complete it on your own. This is individual work.

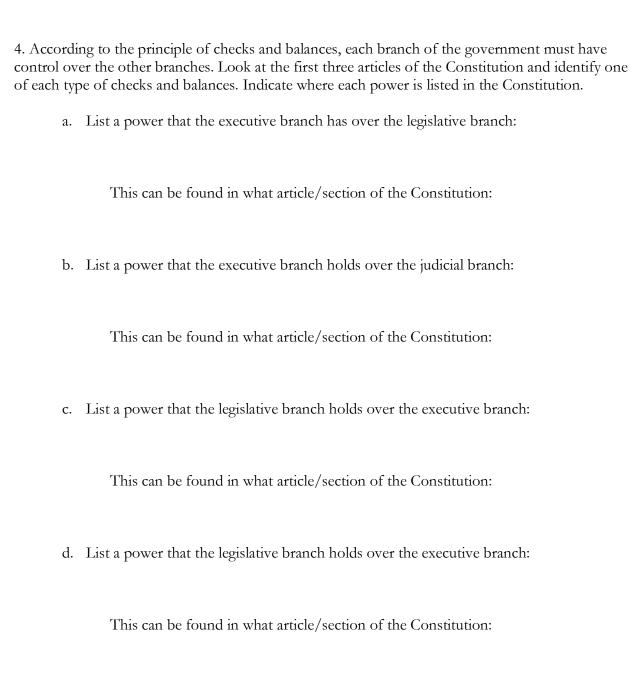
Use the interactive constitution website: <a href="https://constitutioncenter.org/interactive-constitution#">https://constitutioncenter.org/interactive-constitution#</a> as the resource for finding the below information. Do not randomly google.

1. Read each article of the Constitution. Summarize the general purpose or subject of each article in ten words or less.

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Article I		
Article II		
Article III		
Article IV		
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Article VI		
Article VII		

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2. Eligibility Require Constitutional	Constitutional Qualifications to Hold this Office
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Member in the	
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Representatives	
Senator	
President (and Vice President)	
Supreme Court Justice	
officeholders are cal	e Constitution that are <b>specifically</b> granted to the branches of government or to led <b>expressed (enumerated) powers</b> . wo expressed powers of the president.
b. Identify tv	wo expressed powers of the vice president.
c Identify ty	vo expressed powers of Congress.

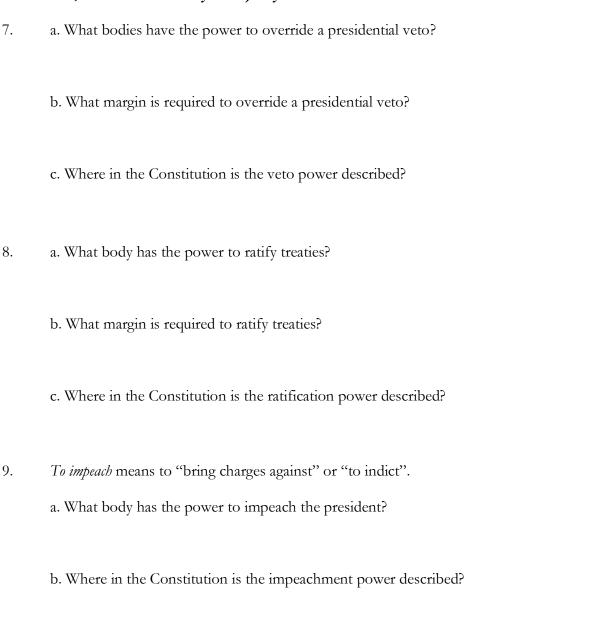


5. According to Article I of the Constitution, who has the power to declare war?

6. What power does the Constitution give the president in the area of war?

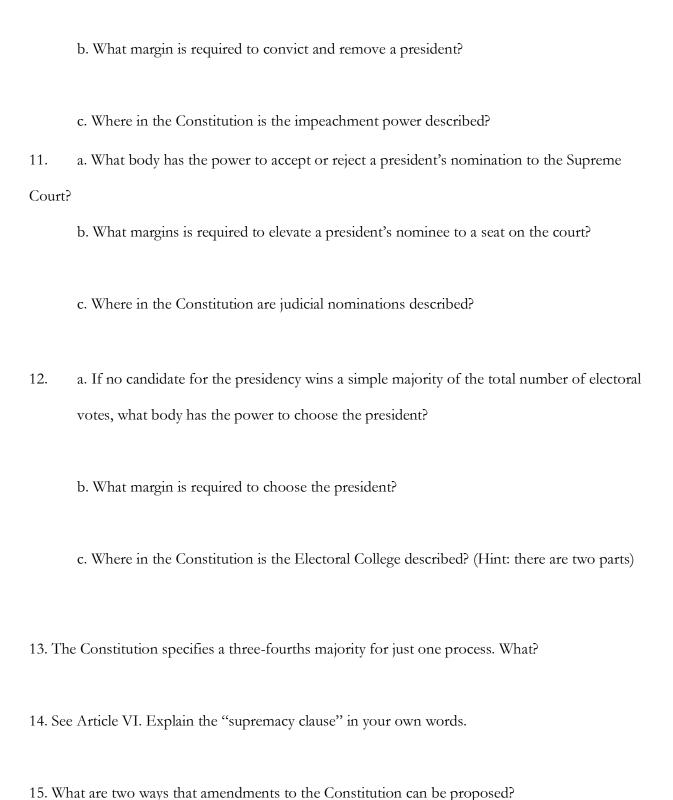
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The Constitution requires a simple majority for some actions and a supermajority for others. A simple majority means more than half, while supermajority requirements can involve a 2/3 majority or a 3/4 majority. Most elections in the United States require a plurality, or the most votes, but not necessarily a majority.



a. What body has the power to convict the president of charges brought against him in the

impeachment process and thereby remove him from the presidency?



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16. What are two ways that amendments to the Constitution can be ratified?

17. Outline the general purpose of the Amendments.

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Amendment 24	
Amendment 25	
Amendment 26	
Amendment 27	

- 18. Which amendment(s) of the Constitution protect the rights of women?
- 19. Which amendment(s) of the Constitution provides for people to receive "equal protection of the law"?
- 20. How were US Senators chosen <u>before</u> the Seventeenth Amendment?