

Constitutional Matrix Questions:

Directions: Use the Constitution in your book and the attached Matrix to answer the following questions.

1. What is the length of a term of office for the members of the US House of Representatives?
2. How old must one be to be elected to the US House of Representatives?
3. Who has the power to propose a law to raise revenue (a tax law)?
4. Who has the sole power of impeachment (removing someone from office)?
5. What is the length of a term of office for members of the US Senate?
6. How old must one be to be elected to the US Senate?
7. Who must approve people-like ambassadors, judges, and cabinet members-that the president appoints to government positions?
8. Who must approve any treaties that are made with foreign countries
9. Who has the sole power to try (bring to trial) all impeachments?
10. Who has legislative (law making) powers?
11. Who has the power to declare war?
12. What can the legislative branch do if the president vetoes a bill?
13. Who has the power to propose amendments to the Constitution of the US?
14. What is the length of a term of office for the president of the US?
15. How old must one be to be elected president of the United States?
16. Who has the power to approve or veto laws?
17. Who has the power to make treaties with foreign countries?
18. Who has the power to nominate judges to the Supreme Court?
19. Who has the power to nominate ambassadors, public ministers, or other officers of the US-such as members of the Cabinet?
20. Who is the Commander-in-Chief of the US military forces?
21. What is the length of a term of office for the Justices of the US Supreme Court?
22. Who has the power to review all laws and treaties of the US?
23. Who has the power to settle disputes involving the US?
24. Who has the power to settle disputes between different states?
25. Who presides over any impeachment trial of the president of the United States?

Matrix for Constitution Answers

Directions: You and your partner will receive cards with questions on them. The answer to each question can be found in the Constitution in either Article I, II, III or V. Record you answers on the matrix below. Be sure to note carefully the Article and Section in which you found your answer. Write your answers in complete sentences.

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