




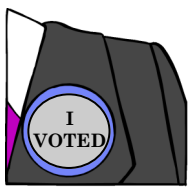
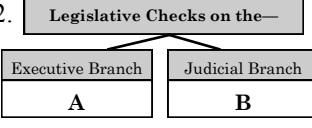

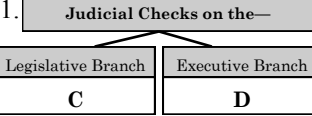

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Civics and Economics SOL SNAPSHOT #10

Principles and Structure of American Constitutional Government
Rights and Responsibilities of American Citizenship

Political Processes

Economic Principles and Systems/
U.S. Economy/Role of Govt. in the Economy

ROW 1	<p>1. How did the authors of the Constitution prevent any one branch from abusing its power?</p> <p>a. by having three levels of government: national, state, local</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> b. by separation of powers and checks and balances</p> <p>c. by having courts/judges</p> <p>d. by having a president and not a king</p> <p>CE.6b Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>2. Which of the following shows respect for the rights of others to an equal voice in government?</p> <p>a. voting</p> <p>b. joining a political party</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> c. quietly listening to speakers with opposing views</p> <p>d. writing letters to the editor of a newspaper</p> <p>CE.3d Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>3. The effort to change laws that affect how candidates pay for their campaign is known as—</p> <p>a. campaign donations.</p> <p>b. campaign advertising.</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> c. campaign finance reform.</p> <p>d. campaign elections reform.</p> <p>CE.5d Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>4.  I really just don't get it. If the U.S. is primarily a market economy, how come it is characterized as a mixed economy?</p> <p>Well, Rashaad, it's because there is—</p> <p>a. gold in the treasury.</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> b. some government involvement in the economy.</p> <p>c. no government involvement.</p> <p>d. an historic precedent for it.</p> <p>CE.11c Essential Understandings</p>
ROW 2	<p>1. The person wearing this button has fulfilled a civic—</p>  <p>a. registration.</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> b. responsibility.</p> <p>c. duty.</p> <p>d. demonstration.</p> <p>CE.3d Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>2. Where are the powers of the legislative, executive, and judicial branches of the national government defined in the Constitution?</p> <p>a. The Preamble</p> <p>b. The Bill of Rights</p> <p>c. The 14th Amendment</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> d. Articles I, II, and III</p> <p>CE.6b Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>3. The development of political action committees (PACs) has come about because of—</p> <p>a. the shortage of oil and high cost of gasoline.</p> <p>b. the fear of terrorism.</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> c. rising campaign costs.</p> <p>d. the influence of political cartoons.</p> <p>CE.5d Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>4. The U.S. Economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Markets: generally no <i>undue</i> government interference • Private property—real or personal—is owned by individuals and businesses <p>Another characteristic of the U.S. economy is—</p> <p>a. central ownership.</p> <p>b. decisions based on custom.</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> c. competition.</p> <p>d. no consumer choices.</p> <p>CE.11c Essential Knowledge</p>
ROW 3	<p>1. The method by which each one of the three branches of government is able to limit the power of the other two branches is known as the system of _____.</p> <p>a. diversity</p> <p>b. equal representation</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> c. checks and balances</p> <p>d. equal opportunity</p> <p>CE.6b Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>2. </p> <p>Which of the following belongs in Box A?</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> a. can override vetoes and impeach a President</p> <p>b. can appoint federal judges</p> <p>c. can veto acts of Congress</p> <p>d. can impeach federal judges</p> <p>CE.6b Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>3. Which of the following must a citizen do before voting?</p>  <p>a. pay a poll tax</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> b. register to vote</p> <p>c. say the Pledge of Allegiance</p> <p>d. pass a literacy test</p> <p>CE.5e Essential Understandings</p>	<p>4. Check all the characteristics that also belong on the U.S. Economy chart above.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. Individuals and businesses own the means of production</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b. Profit motive</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> c. Centrally-planned</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> d. Prices are determined by supply and demand</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> e. Consumer sovereignty</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> f. Historic precedence</p> <p>CE.11c Essential Knowledge</p>
ROW 4	<p>1. </p> <p>Which of the following belongs in Box D?</p> <p>a. can declare laws (acts) by Congress unconstitutional</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> b. can declare a president's actions unconstitutional</p> <p>c. can dissolve Congress</p> <p>d. can override vetoes</p> <p>CE.6b Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>2. Supreme Court Justices (Judges) are appointed by—</p>  <p>a. the United Nations.</p> <p>b. the Legislative Branch (Congress).</p> <p>c. a special committee.</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> d. the Executive Branch (President).</p> <p>CE.6a Essential Knowledge</p>	<p>3. Oil prices, jobs, illegal immigration, and terrorism are some of the issues citizens are concerned about today. Just how important these issues are to citizens will determine—</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> a. <i>who</i> registers and votes.</p> <p>b. <i>how many</i> citizens register and vote.</p> <p>c. <i>when</i> citizens register and vote.</p> <p>d. <i>where</i> citizens register and</p> <p>CE.5e Essential Understandings</p>	<p>4. In the U.S. today, most people agree that the government needs to be involved in health, safety, the environment, and employment. These things are considered necessary and not _____ from government.</p> <p>a. over taxation</p> <p>b. over spending</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> c. undue interference</p> <p>d. good involvement</p> <p>CE.11c Vocabulary/Background Knowledge</p>