

Review: Chapter 8 | Constitution

1. What is the function of the Articles, or main body, of the Constitution?
2. What part of the Constitution establishes it as “the supreme law of the land”?
3. The Constitution rests on Seven Principles ensuring U.S. citizens enjoy a careful balance of ___ and ___.
4. Which Article of the Constitution is the longest?

5. Copy the portion of the Chart from page 253 below for the **House of Representatives**:

Office	Number	Term	Selection

6. Copy the portion of the Chart from page 253 below for the **Senate**:

Office	Number	Term	Selection

7. Who is the leader of the House of Representatives? Who is the leader of the Senate?
8. What is the most important power of Congress?
9. What is Article I, Section 8, Clause 18 of the Constitution known as?
10. Which elected officials are the only ones who represent all Americans?
11. Which is “the court of last resort,” whose decisions are final?
12. Which group actually elects the President?
13. What is the main duty of the President of the United States?
14. What is the greatest power of the Supreme Court?
15. How did the framers prevent the three branches from abusing their powers?
16. What part of the Constitution abolished slavery?
17. Amendments 13, 14, and 15 are known collectively as what?
18. Which is the only amendment to be repealed (canceled) by another amendment? Identify both.
19. What part of the Constitution provided for women’s suffrage (right to vote)?
20. Which amendment placed a two-term limit on the office of President?
21. List and describe on back: The six (6) **goals of the Preamble to the Constitution**. [Notes | 16]
22. List and describe on back: The seven (7) **Articles of the Constitution**. [Notes | 16]
23. List and describe on back: The seven (7) **Principles of the Constitution**. [Notes | 16]
24. Which three (3) key services are provided by both state and local governments? [Notes | 18]
25. What are the three (3) ways to become a citizen? [Notes | 18]
26. What are the six (6) responsibilities of a citizen? [Notes | 18]

KNOW: The Bill of Rights (10) and Significant Amendments of the Constitution (6). [Notes | 17]

KNOW: The Methods of Amending the Constitution. [Notes | 18]