

### Matrix for Constitution Answers

**Directions:** Using pages 233-243, record the answers to the questions provided to you. The answers are found in the Article and Section written next to each number. **MAKE SURE YOU THE QUESTION IS PART OF YOUR ANSWER (MEANING MAKE SURE YOU WRITE IF THE QUESTION IS ABOUT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, SENATE, PRESIDENT, ETC.)!**

Question	Article	Section	Answer in Complete Sentences
1	I	2.1	The length of term of office is 2 years. <sup>for US House of Reps</sup>
2	I	2.2	You must be 25 years old to be elected to the US House of Representatives.
3	I	7	The House of Reps has <del>the</del> power to raise revenue (taxes)
4	I	2	
5	I	3	
6	I	3	
7	II	2	The Senate must approve people that the president appoints to gov. positions
8	II	2	
9	I	3	The senate has the sole power to bring to trial all impeachments.
10	I	1	
11	I	8	Congress has the power to declare war.
12	I	7	If the President vetoes a bill Congress can override the veto with 2/3 vote.
13	V		Congress has the power to propose amend.

Question	Article	Section	Answer in Complete Sentences
14	II	1	
15	II	1	
16	I	7	The president has the power to approve or veto laws.
17	II	2	The president has the power to make treaties with foreign countries.
18	II	2	
19	II	2	
20	II	2	
21	III	1	The length of term of office for the justices on the Supreme Court is life.
22	III	2	
23	III	2	
24	III	2	
25	I	3	The chief justice of the Supreme Court presides over impeachment trials.

## Constitutional Card Sort Questions

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1. What is the length of a term of office for members of the U.S. House of Representatives?

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2. How old must one be to be elected to the U.S. House of Representatives?

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3. Who has the power to propose a law to raise revenue (a tax law)?

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4. Who has the sole power of impeachment (removing someone from office)?

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5. What is the length of a term of office for members of the United States Senate?

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6. How old must one be to be elected to the United States Senate?

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7. Who must approve people—like ambassadors, judges, and cabinet members—that the president appoints to government positions?

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8. Who must approve any treaties that are made with foreign countries?

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9. Who has the sole power to try (bring to trial) all impeachments?

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10. Who has legislative (law-making) powers?  
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11. Who has the power to declare war?  
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12. What can the legislative branch do if the president vetoes a bill?  
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13. Who has the power to propose amendments to the Constitution of the United States?  
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14. What is the length of a term of office for the president of the United States?  
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15. How old must one be to be elected president of the United States?  
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16. Who has the power to approve or veto laws?  
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17. Who has the power to make treaties with foreign countries?  
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18. Who has the power to nominate judges to the Supreme Court?  
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19. Who has the power to nominate ambassadors, public ministers, or other officers of the United States—such as members of the Cabinet?  
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20. Who is the Commander-in-Chief of U.S. military forces?

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21. What is the length of term of office for the Justices of the United States Supreme Court?

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22. Who has the power to review all laws and treaties of the United States?

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23. Who has the power to settle disputes involving the United States?

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24. Who has the power to settle disputes between different states?

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25. Who presides over any impeachment trial of the president of the United States?

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