

# Branches...

Legislative

Members:  
Senate + House of Representatives = Congress

Requirements:  
Senate:  
 . 30 years old  
 . citizen for 9 years  
 . live in state you represent

Jobs:  
 . create laws  
 . in charge of budget

override veto with 2/3 vote / impeach president

can sign / veto laws

Executive

Members:  
Cabinet, President, Vice President

Requirements:  
 . 35 years old  
 . born in U.S.  
 . citizen for 14 years

Jobs:  
 . enforce laws  
 . in charge of military  
 . VP in charge of Senate

## Checks + Balances Chart

### Checks +

APPROVES judges

Can call laws unconstitutional

Judicial

Members:  
Judges of supreme court justices

Requirements:  
no clear requirements

Jobs:  
 . decide what laws mean  
 . interpret laws

Can call presidential actions unconstitutional

Dominates judges

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Name:

Date: