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Three Branches of Government WebQuest

Executive Branch

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1. Who is the leader of the Executive Branch of government?

2. Name three other parts of the Executive Branch.

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

3. The President is seen as the leader of the _____
and is both the head of _____ and the Commander-in-Chief of
the US _____.

4. What is one of the main powers of the President?

5. One of the jobs of the President is to enforce and implement the laws set in
place by _____.

6.

Requirements to Become President of the United States	
1.	
2.	
3.	

7. What is the main job of the Vice President?

8. The Executive Office of the President (EOP) helps to keep _____

9. _____ is made up of the heads of 15 different departments. They all must be approved by the _____.

Legislative Branch

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10. _____ is another name for the Legislative Branch.

11. What are the two parts that make up Congress?

- 1) _____
- 2) _____

12.

Senate	House of Representatives
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Senate has _____ members.• Each state has _____ Senators.• Senators are elected every _____.• To become a Senator a person must be at least _____ years old, have been a US citizen for at least 9 years, and must live in the state they represent.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• _____ total Representatives in the House.• Each state has a different number of representatives depending on their total _____.• Representatives are elected every _____ years.• They must be _____ years old, have been a US citizen for at least 7 years, and live in the state they represent.• The _____ _____ is the leader of the House of Representative.• The Speaker is _____ in line in succession to the President.

13. For a law to be made it must go through a bunch of steps called the _____.

14. What are some of Congress' other powers?

Judicial Branch

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15. Who makes up the Judicial Branch?

16. The job of the courts is to _____. They do not make _____.

17. Name the highest court in the United States: _____

18. _____ nominates all the Supreme Court members and the _____ confirms them.

Checks and Balances

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19. Why was the system of checks and balances created?

20. For example, the president may _____ a law passed by Congress. Congress can _____ that veto with a vote of two-thirds of both houses.