What to Know	
Chapter 5: The Constitution	
What are citizen rights and responsibilities?	?
★ RTI Standards: Need to know	Assignment Title
Checks and balances	Government Graphic Map
+ Essential Standards: Should know	Assignment Title
Citizen rights and responsibilities	 Federalism First Amendment Citizenship Duties of Citizens Political Activism
Background: Good to Know	Assignment Title

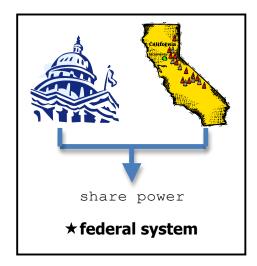
+ Citizenship

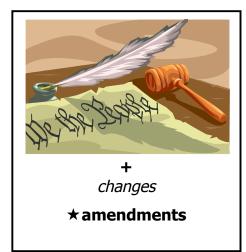
Directions: Read the article "Gaining U.S. Citizenship" on pages 184-185. In the chart below, write "yes" or "no" in the box if the statement on the left applies to the people listed at the top of the column. Cut out and paste into the notebook.

	native-born citizens	naturalized citizens
born in the United States		
must take an oath of loyalty		
can vote in elections		
can become president/vice- president		
can be deported		
can lose citizenship		

Vocabulary: Chapter 5

Directions: Cut out each column of vocabulary words and paste them into the notebook on the left side of each page—three pictures on three pages. Define each vocabulary term in ten words or less using your own words. Definitions are in the glossary beginning on page R62.







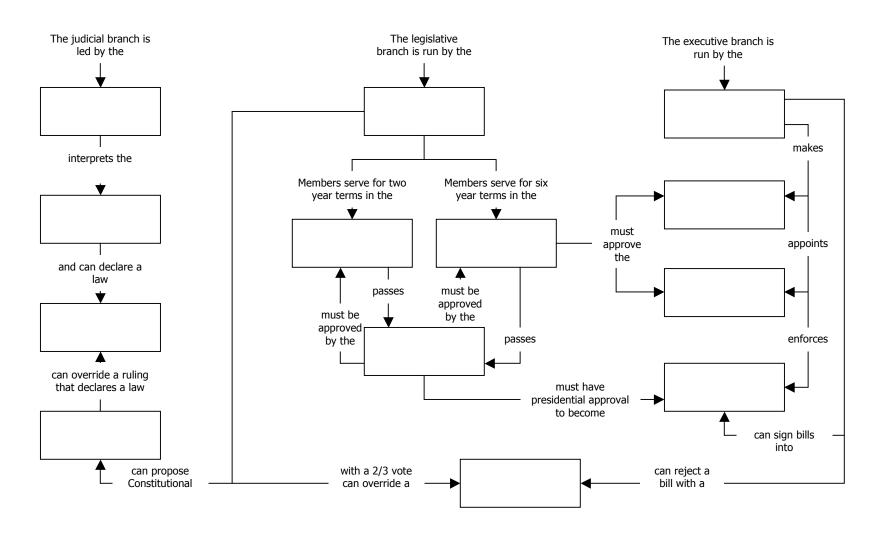






★ Government Graphic Map

Directions: Read the "Three Branches of Government" sheet. Use the information to complete the graphic map below.



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Supreme Court	bills	veto	House of Representatives
Congress	treaties	laws	president
judges	unconstitutional	Constitution	Senate
amendments			

★A Bill to a Law

The House of Representatives

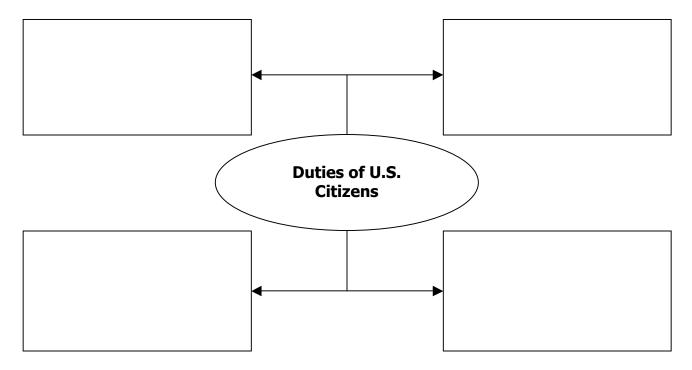
A bill is written
 A committee passes or kills the bill
 The House votes to pass or kill the bill
 A committee passes or kills the bill
 The Senate votes to pass or kill the bill

The Senate

The other house must pass or kill the bill
 The president must sign the bill into law or veto the bill
 Congress can override a veto with a 2/3 vote in each house

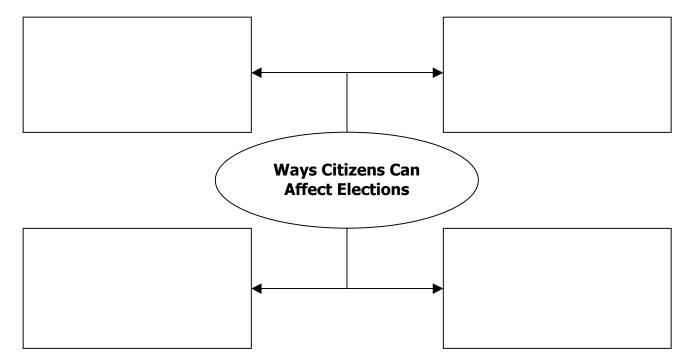
+ Duties of Citizenship

Directions: Read the article "Duties of Citizenship" on page 185. Write down a fact in each box about what most or all citizens are required to do. Cut out the graphic organizer and paste into your notebook.



+ Political Activism

Directions: Read the article "Citizens and Government" on pages 186-187. Write down a fact in each box about how citizens can affect elections. Cut out the graphic organizer and paste into your notebook.



+ First Amendment

Directions: Read the article "First Amendment" on pages 178-179. Fill in the empty boxes with the correct information. Cut out and paste into your notebook.

First Amendment				
Explanation	Example	Restrictions		
	people have a right to express their own ideas and views			
		a person cannot write a lie that harms others		
freedom of assembly				
	the government cannot favor a religion	X		
freedom to petition		X		