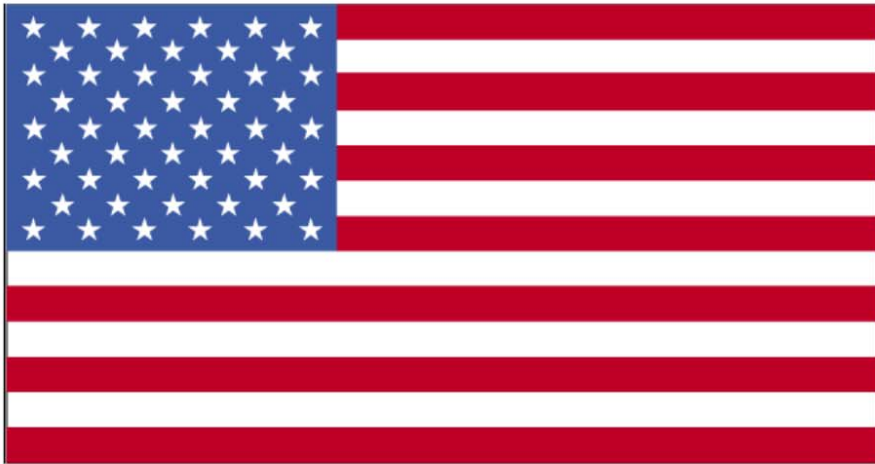


Define the following terms...

Amend

Bill

Bill of Rights



Impeach

Congress

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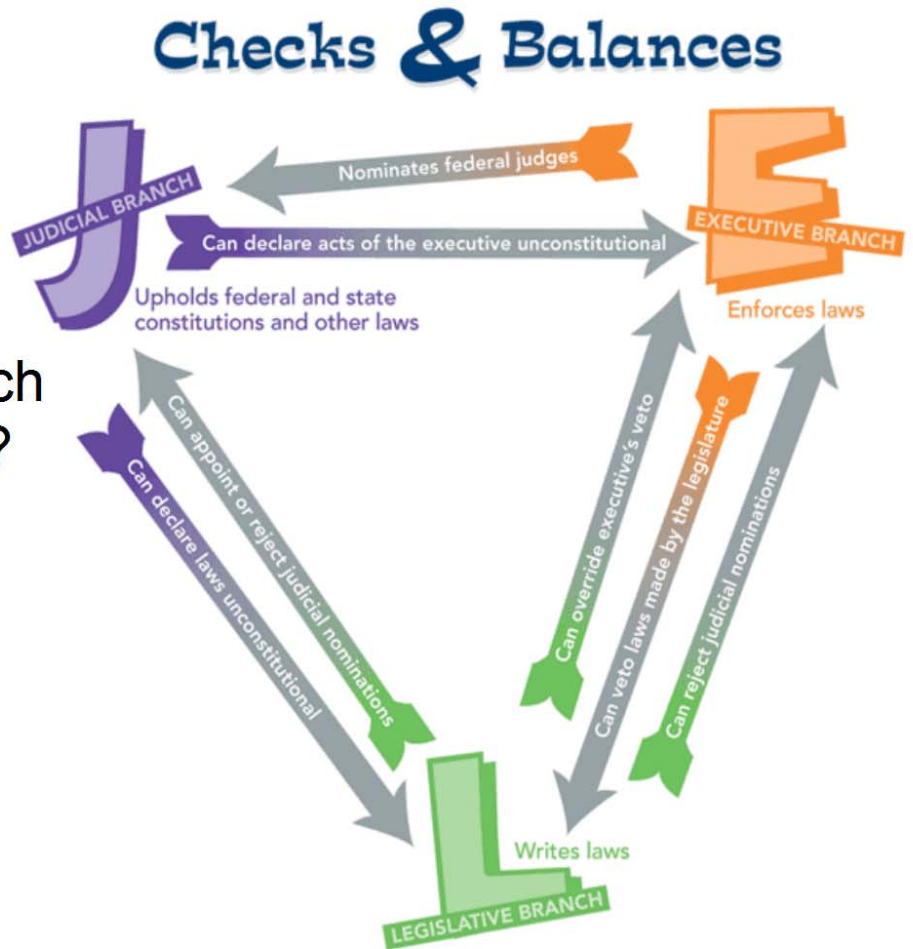
What is "checks and balances"?

What does each branch of our government do?

Legislative

Judicial

Executive

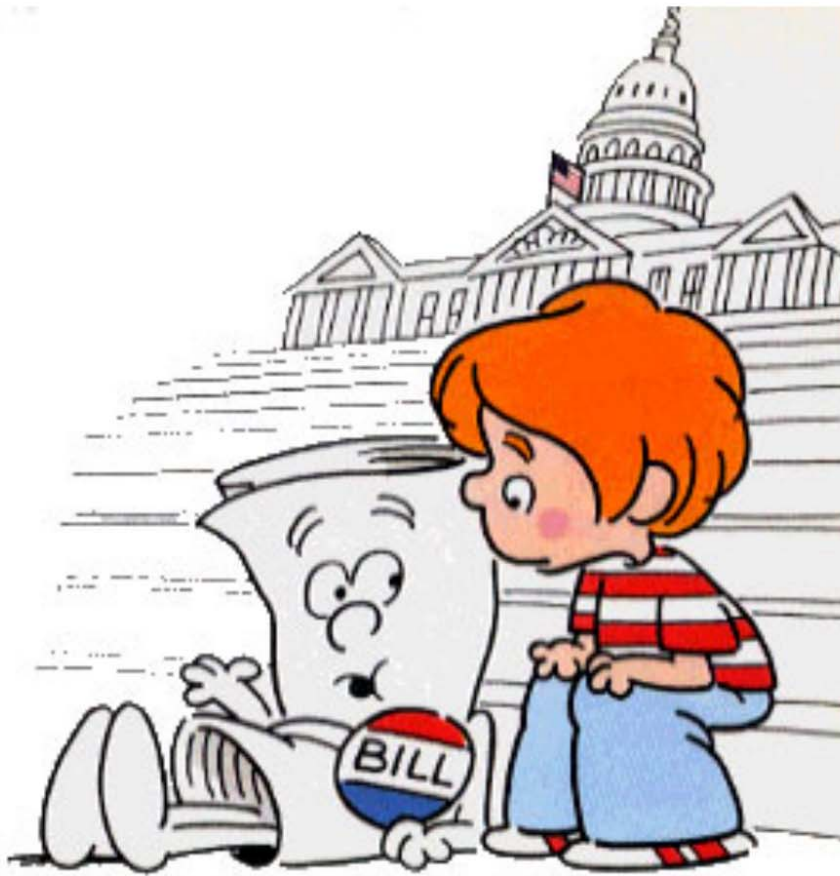


Lets review the process congress uses to make a law...



CONGRESS

Please get out your bills - lets hear them!



Judicial Branch

The Judicial Branch interprets the laws that are made.

What word do you almost see in "Judicial"?



Court System

United States Supreme Court - Highest Court of Country



State Court Systems



Local Court Systems

United States Supreme Court - Highest court in the land



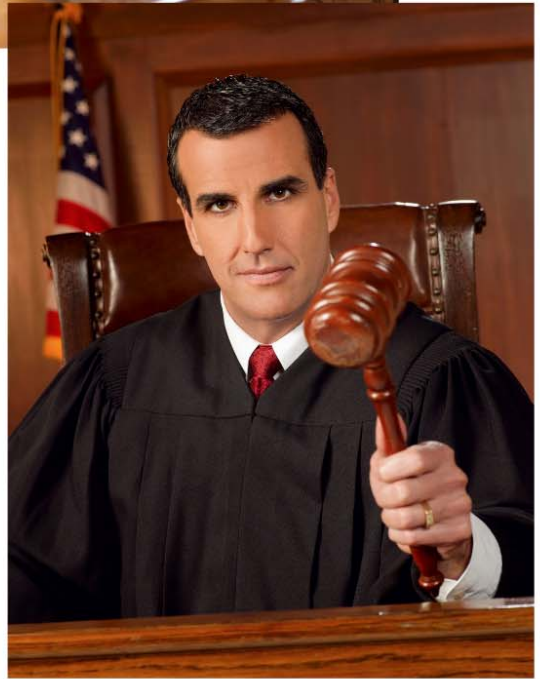
Rule for life term - does this mean they can NEVER be fired from their job?

State Courts



Only sees "Appealed" cases - what does "appeal" mean?

Local Courts



Let first interpret one of your laws...



Then we will look at some other REAL court cases...

Check for Understanding...

Which court system hears most court cases?

Local courts, State Courts, or the Supreme Court?

Define Appeal

