

Supreme Law of the Land - Quiz

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Q1. What is the supreme law of the land in the United States?

- A. The Declaration of Independence
- B. The Articles of Confederation
- C. The Constitution and its amendments
- D. Federal statutes

Q2. Who is known as the Father of the Constitution?

- A. George Washington
- B. Thomas Jefferson
- C. James Madison
- D. Benjamin Franklin

Q3. Which branch of government is responsible for creating federal laws?

- A. Executive branch
- B. Judicial branch
- C. Legislative branch
- D. Military branch

Q4. What is the main purpose of the Bill of Rights?

- A. To outline the structure of the government
- B. To guarantee specific rights to citizens
- C. To establish the military
- D. To define state boundaries

Q5. Which amendment protects the right to free speech?

- A. 1st Amendment
- B. 2nd Amendment
- C. 5th Amendment
- D. 10th Amendment

Q6. What concept is the U.S. Constitution built around to prevent any one branch from gaining too much power?

- A. Federalism
- B. Checks and balances
- C. Popular sovereignty
- D. Separation of powers

Q7. Which part of the legislative branch has representation based on state population?

- A. The Senate
- B. The House of Representatives
- C. The Supreme Court
- D. The Cabinet

Q8. What is the highest court in the United States?

- A. District Court
- B. Appeals Court
- C. Supreme Court
- D. Circuit Court

Q9. Which amendment prohibits unreasonable searches and seizures?

- A. 3rd Amendment
- B. 4th Amendment
- C. 6th Amendment
- D. 8th Amendment

Q10. What does the 10th Amendment primarily address?

- A. Freedom of religion
- B. Right to bear arms
- C. Powers reserved to the states or people
- D. Right to a speedy trial

Answer Key

- 1. Q1: C
- 2. Q2: C
- 3. Q3: C
- 4. Q4: B
- 5. Q5: A
- 6. Q6: B
- 7. Q7: B
- 8. Q8: C
- 9. Q9: B
- 10. Q10: C