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The Legislative Branch - Vocab Cards

chamber]>

a legislative, administrative, or judicial body.

The United States Congress is composed of two _chambers_: The House and the Senate.

Synonyms: legislature, assembly, council



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

citizen]>

a person who is a legal member of a country and is entitled to the rights and protections of that country.

My parents were born in South Korea, but they became _citizens_ of the United States later in life.

Synonyms: national, resident, taxpayer

Antonyms: alien, foreigner

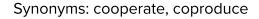


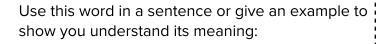
Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

collaborate]>

to work together, especially on a piece of work or art.

None of us had a good idea on our own, so we decided to _collaborate_ to come up with the best idea.







Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

commerce]>

the exchanging of goods and services on a large scale.

With the factory closed, _commerce_ in the town slowed down considerably.

Synonyms: trade, business, exchange



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Congress]>

the group of people who are elected to make laws in the United States. It is made up of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

If you meet a member of _Congress_, he or she will either be a Senator or a member of the House of Representatives.



Synonyms: legislative branch

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Make a connection between this word and another word or idea:

constitution]>

the document that describes the principles and laws of a country, state, or organization.

When questions arise, the Supreme Court is tasked with interpreting the US _Constitution_ and determining what the basic laws of the country express.



Synonyms: charter, legislation

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

federal]>

of or relating to the national government.

The _federal_ government--not the state government--is in control of the postal service.

Synonyms: national Antonyms: local



Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

Draw this vocab word or an example of it:

legislative branch]>

the branch of government that makes laws.

Andre dreams of becoming a congressman so he can work in the _legislative branch_ of government and create laws that will help people.



Synonyms: Congress

Use this word in a sentence or give an example to show you understand its meaning:

regulate]>

to set an official rule to control something.

The city _regulates_ building codes to make sure all apartments have fire escapes.

Synonyms: control, govern, manage Antonyms: disorganize, mismanage



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