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- **a.** U.S. Federal Court of Appeals **b.** the Senate

c. Supreme Court

- d. the Cabinet
- 2. How many justices serve on the U.S. Supreme Court?
 - **a**. 9

b. 11

c. 13

- **d**. 15
- 3. What is **NOT** a power of the Judicial Branch?
 - **a.** interpret laws
 - **b.** appoint justices to the Supreme Court
 - c. review court decisions
 - **d.** settle cases between two or more states
- 4. How long is the term of service for a Supreme Court Justice?
 - a. 2 years

b. 4 years

c. 8 years

- **d.** for life or until resignation
- 5. How does the Judicial Branch check the powers of the other two branches? (Circle two answers.)
 - a. declare laws unconstitutional
 - **b.** approve Presidential appointments
 - c. veto laws
 - d. declare executive actions unconstitutional
- What is the duty of the Judicial Branch? 6.
 - a. sign/veto laws

b. write laws

c. interpret laws

- **d.** negotiate treaties
- 7. The Supreme Court uses the interpretation of what document as a guide in court decisions?
 - **a.** Social Security Act

- **b.** U.S. Constitution
- **c.** Declaration of Independence **d.** Articles of Confederation
- 8. What is the title for the head of the Supreme Court?
 - **a.** Associate Justice

b. Senior Judge

c. magistrate

d. Chief Justice

ANSWER KEY

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