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Three Branches of Government Quiz

Read each question and circle the correct answer.

1. The Legislative Branch is made up of _____.
 - a. the President
 - b. Judges
 - c. the Senate & House of Representatives
 - d. the Cabinet Members

2. Who is responsible for enforcing or carrying out the laws?
 - a. Judicial
 - b. Executive
 - c. Legislative
 - d. All answers above

3. A judge of the Supreme Court serves for _____.
 - a. 5 years
 - b. 2 years
 - c. life
 - d. 6 years

4. A law can be declared unconstitutional by the _____ Branch.
 - a. Legislative
 - b. Executive
 - c. Judicial

5. The President is also the _____ of the military.
 - a. commander-in-chief
 - b. general
 - c. judge
 - d. representative

6. Congress members are _____.
 - a. chosen by the president
 - b. approved or confirmed by the Supreme Court
 - c. elected by the people
 - d. confirmed by the Senate

7. If a President does not agree with a bill that has been proposed by Congress he can _____ the bill.
 - a. sign
 - b. veto
 - c. confirm
 - d. ignore

8. Which branch can impeach a President?
 - a. Legislative
 - b. Executive
 - c. Judicial

9. A member of the House of Representatives serves for _____.
 - a. 2 years
 - b. 5 years
 - c. life
 - d. 6 years

10. A member of the Senate serves for _____.
 - a. 2 years
 - b. 5 years
 - c. life
 - d. 6 years

11. The people vote for the President, but the _____ makes the final decision.

- Supreme Court
- Cabinet
- Congress
- Electoral College

12. The way our government keeps any one branch from having too much power is called _____.

- checks and balances
- monarchy
- federalism
- patriotism

13. Which Branch is responsible for making the laws?

- Legislative
- Executive
- Judicial

14. Which Branch is responsible for interpreting the laws?

- Legislative
- Executive
- Judicial

15. Which Branch can declare war?

- Legislative
- Executive
- Judicial

16. The President is apart of which branch?

- Legislative
- Executive
- Judicial

17. The highest level of court is the _____.

- Congress
- Supreme Court
- State Court
- Senate

18. The President is given advice by his or her _____.

- Senate
- House of Representatives
- Supreme Court Judge
- Cabinet members

19. Which branch can sign treaties?

- Legislative
- Executive
- Judicial

20. Supreme Court judges are _____ by the Senate.

- appointed
- confirmed
- appealed
- proposed