

The Marshall Court

Multiple Choice:

1. Who was Chief Justice of the Supreme Court from 1801 to 1835?
 - a. John Adams
 - b. John Marshall
 - c. Roger Brooke
2. What did the case of McCulloch Vs. Maryland in 1819 established about the federal government?
 - a. It had supremacy (power) over the state
 - b. State had power over Federal government
 - c. Federal government was at the bottom
3. What did the Marbury Vs. Madison case in 1803 establish?
 - a. Power of the Executive Branch
 - b. Supreme Court had all the power
 - c. Power of Judicial Review
4. In the Gibbons Vs. Ogden case in 1824, what did the court rule about the federal government?
 - a. It could regulate interstate trade
 - b. It would make the final decisions over the House of Representatives
 - c. It could regulate regional trade
5. What was the job of the Supreme Court?
 - a. To make the laws
 - b. It established the supremacy of the federal government, and to interpret national laws
 - c. To carry out the laws
6. What was the common theme of all 3 cases under the leadership of John Marshall?
 - a. The Supreme Court made the decision on the President
 - b. The Federal Courts had to get permission from the state
 - c. The Supreme Court reinforced the supremacy of the federal government
7. By serving as Chief Justice what did John Marshall do for the Supreme Court?
 - a. Supreme Court was made executor of all branches
 - b. Supreme Court was established as an equal third branch of the government
 - c. He made sure that the Supreme Court had no true power
8. What was the job of the Supreme Court?
 - a. To decide if the laws were legal according to the Constitution
 - b. To make the laws
 - c. To carry out the laws of the Constitution