

# Our Three Branches



## Part I

The first three Articles of the Constitution detail each of the three branches of government—Legislative, Executive, and Judicial. The Articles establish how officials are chosen for each branch. In the table below, describe how each branch’s officials are chosen. Use a copy of the Constitution, or other resources to help you complete the table.

### How they are chosen

Legislative	Executive	Judicial

## Part II

**Answer the questions below on the back of this sheet.**

1. Which branch of the government represents individual states?
2. Which government officials are elected every four years?
3. According to the Constitution, what are the requirements for being elected to the House of Representatives? How are these requirements similar to or different from those of the Senate?
4. Who acts as president of the Senate? What power do they have?
5. How are Supreme Court members placed on the court?