

## What is in our Constitution?

### *Preamble*

***We the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.***

Directions: Under each article write the answer for the questions accompanied by the section where the answer was found.

		<i>Article I</i>	<i>Article II</i>	<i>Article III</i>
1.	What is the required age to be President?			
2.	How long is a term for a member of the House of Representatives?			
3.	How long is a term for a member of the Senate?			
4.	Is a specific gender (male or female) required if running for President?			
5.	How long is a term for a U.S. Supreme Court Justice?			
6.	Citizenship requirement for the President:			
7.	What is the required age for a member of the House of Representatives?			
8.	List one power of Congress:			
9.	List one power of the President:			
10.	What is the required age for a member of the Senate?			
11.	What is the required age for a Supreme Court Justice?			

1. According to **Article IV**, the states have a responsibility to each other. What responsibility does the federal government have to the states? How does this article relate to the Northwest Ordinance of 1787?
2. According to **Article V**, what fraction is needed in the Senate/House of Representatives or state conventions to propose an amendment? What fraction is needed in state conventions or Congress to ratify the proposed amendment to the Constitution?
3. According to **Article VI**, the Constitution is the \_\_\_\_\_ law of the \_\_\_\_\_.
4. According to **Article VII**, how many states are needed to ratify the Constitution?