READING #1

The Founding Fathers were responsible for [illegible]rt of the United States. Their focus at [illegible]e Co[illegible]titut[illegible]l Convention in [illegible]adelp[illegible] w[illegible] on [illegible]overnment with [illegible]ited p[illegible]wer[illegible]hat sti[illegible]rovi[illegible]uaranteed [illegible]berties (fre[illegible]oms) t[illegible]he [illegible]zens.

There [illegible] [illegible] different sections [illegible] government i[illegible]he Unite[illegible]tates. These different [illegible]ecti[illegible]s are r[illegible]e[illegible]to as branch[illegible]. Eac[illegible]ranch[illegible]as a different purpose and fu[illegible]ction[illegible]he branches w[illegible]k together in many for[illegible]t the pow[illegible] each branch is separated from the p[illegible]r's of the other branches. This is to prev[illegible]t one branch of government from becoming too powerful and is known as checks and balances. The three branches of government are the Legislative, Executive, and Judicial.

The role of each branch is outlined in the U.S. Constitution in Articles I, II, and III.



DECODER

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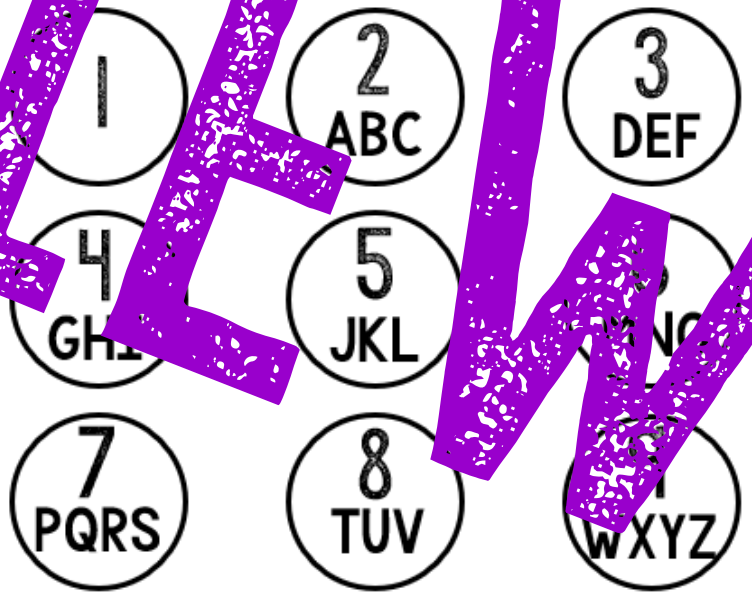
The Legislative Branch, or Article I, includes the Senate and the House of Representatives. It is considered bicameral, which means it has two houses or parts. Both the Senate and the House of Representatives together are called Congress. The main purpose of this branch is to write or create bills that become laws. This branch also restricts the power of the president, if needed. If the president vetoes, or rejects, a bill, Congress can override it with ⅔ vote of to make it a law.

The Senate has 100 members and is referred to as the "Upper House." Each state has two senators who represent the interests of that particular state in the Senate.

The House of Representatives has 435 members and is referred to as the "Lower House." The number of representatives of each state is based on the population.



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The Executive Branch, or Article II, includes the President of the United States. The President is the leader of the Executive Branch with the title Head of State. The Executive Branch also includes the Vice President, and a group of advisors called the Cabinet. The members of the Cabinet are appointed (picked or chosen) by the President and voted on by Congress. The Cabinet helps the President make informed decisions across a variety of issues, including military operations.

The Executive Branch enforces laws. It can also make treaties and appoint judges. The President can also pardon federal offenders. To pardon someone means to set aside the punishment for a federal crime. Presidents may serve two terms. Each term is four years. The citizens of the United States vote for both the President and Vice President on election day in November.



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RECORDING SHEET

Read each passage and answer the questions below. Next, use the decoder to solve the puzzle phrase.

READING 1

1. Where was the Constitution Convention?

A. Boston
B. Philadelphia
C. [illegible]
D. Pittsburgh

2. Which is NOT a U.S. branch of government?

A. Legislative
B. Judicial
C. Political
D. Executive

The U.S. Constitution has a...





READING 2

3. How many Senators does each state have?

A. 2
B. 10
C. 25
D. Based on population

4. Congress can override a presidential _____ veto.

A. One-fourth
B. One-half
C. Two-thirds
D. Three-fourths

The first [illegible] Senator to later become President...

9-[illegible]7777[illegible]6-33-7777

6-66[illegible]66-777-[illegible]66-33

READING 3

5. What word means 'to make changes'?

A. Ratify
B. Delegate
C. Amend
D. Repeal

6. What is the term of a Senator?

A. 2 years
B. 4 years
C. 6 years
D. 8 years

The [illegible] House of Representatives [illegible].

2-2,1-10,1-3,2-1,2-8,[illegible],2-4

1-5,2-6,1-3 2-6,1-9,1-7,2-2,1-3

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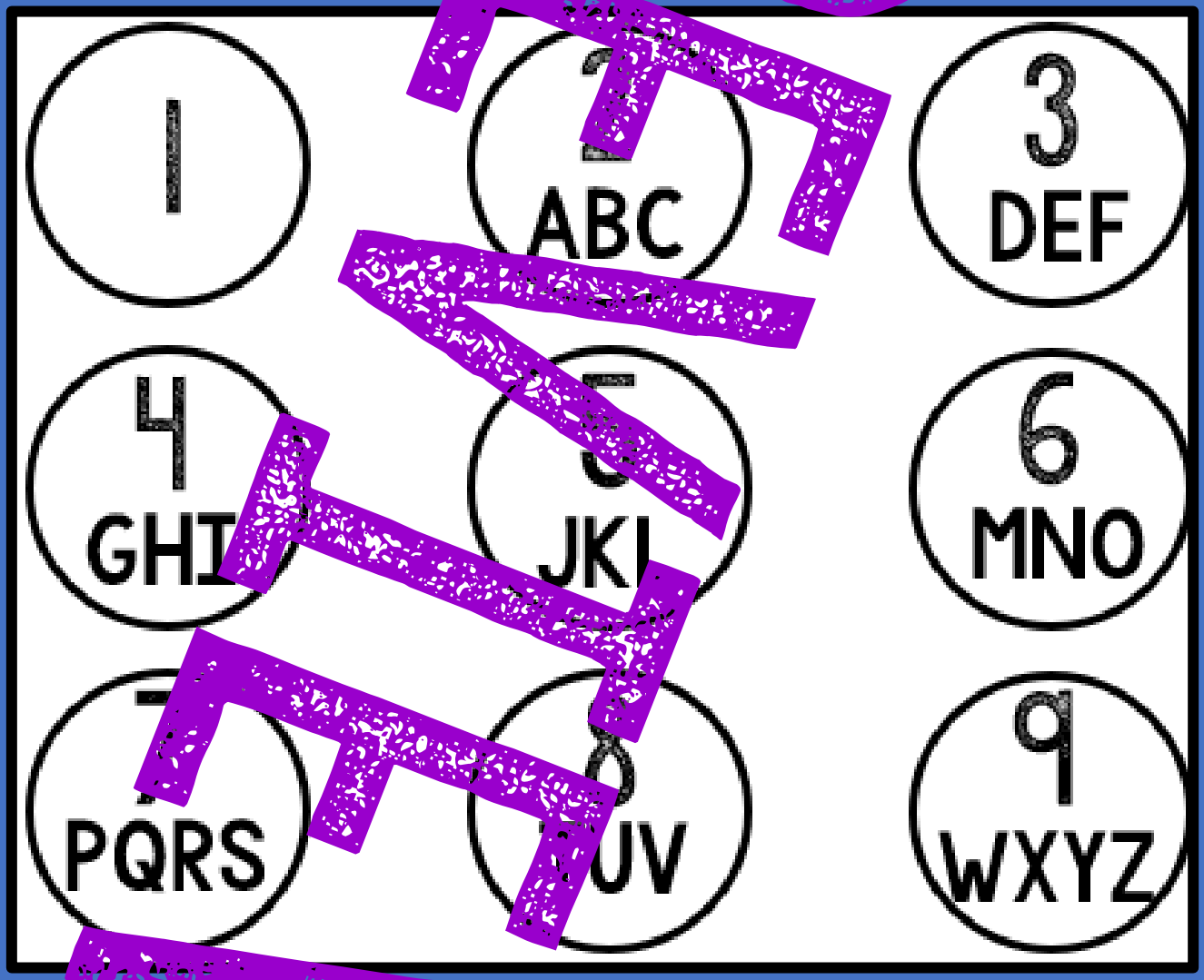
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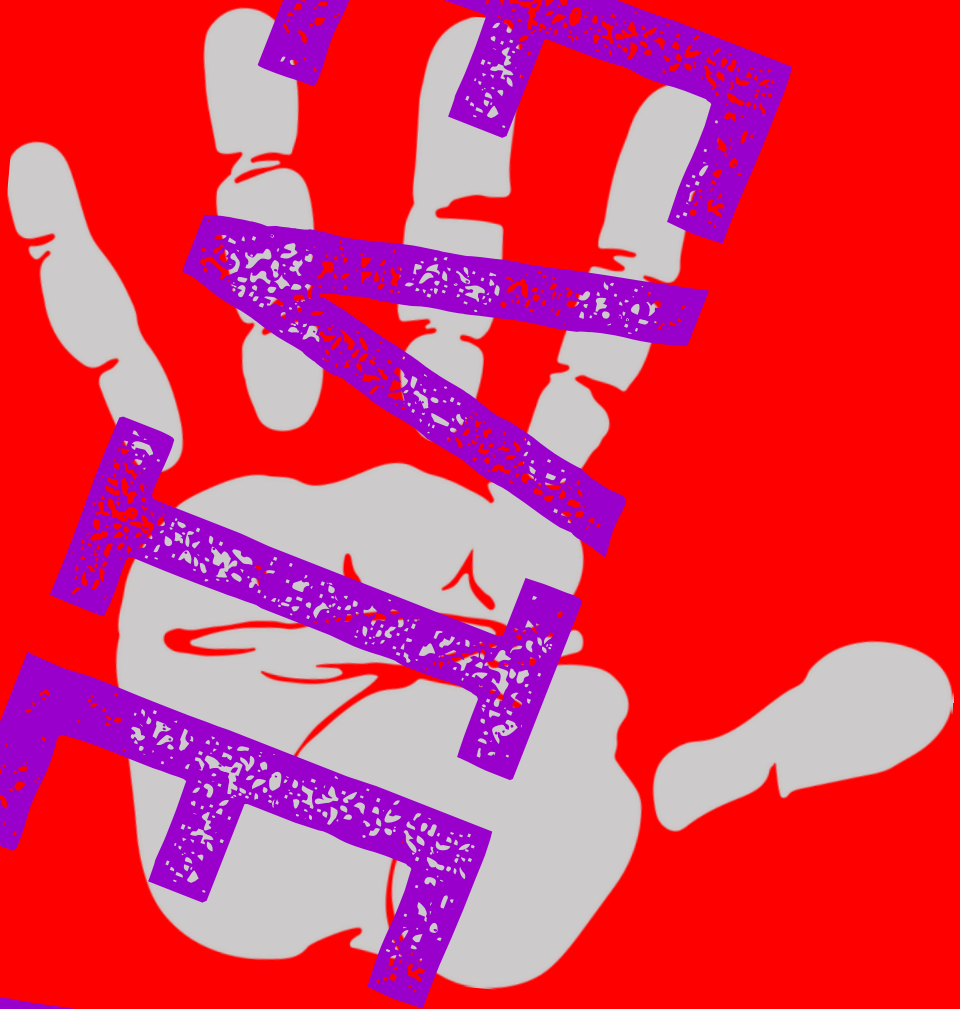
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