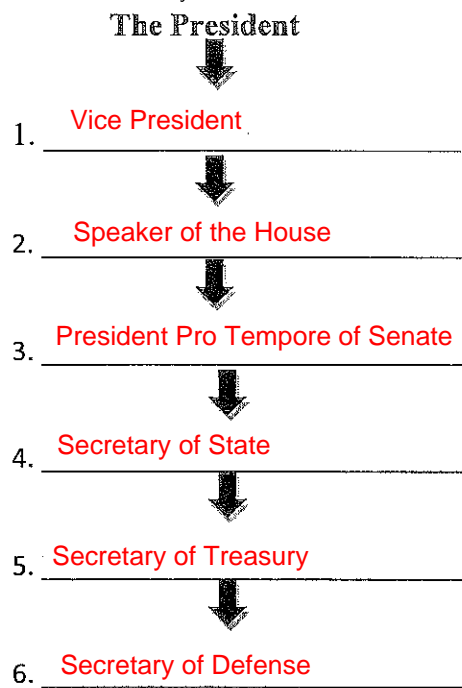


Chapter 13, Section 2: The Vice Presidency

Name _____

1. List the formal qualifications for the Vice President. **Same as President 35, Natural Born Citizen 14 year Resident**
2. How many of the Presidents were former Vice Presidents? 14
3. Define Presidential Succession- **The scheme by which a Presidential vacancy is filled.**
4. Fill in the chart below to show the order of Succession to the Presidency.



5. What area of uncertainty in presidential succession was cleared up by the 25th Amendment?
Determined what to do if President is disabled.
6. What are the only two official duties of the VP spelled out in the Constitution?
+ Preside over the Senate. (Vote to Break Tie)
+ Help decide question of Presidential Disability
- 7a. What did John Adams say about the importance of the Office of VP?
The most insignificant office that ever the invention of man contrived or of his imagination ever conceived.
- b. Why do you think he said this?
The position does virtually nothing but sit and wait.
8. Explain what former VP Theodore Roosevelt did concerning the VP's office.
Sent an annoying chandelier to the Vice Presidential office to keep the Vice President awake. It is still there today.

9. Who decides who the VP candidate will be? The Presidential Nominee

10a. What is usually the biggest factor that goes into picking a Presidential running mate? Explain.

Balance the ticket, pick someone who will gain votes for the President.

Usually comes from an important state or population sub-group.

b. Why might this method listed above be a poor reason to pick a running mate? Explain.

Because you want someone qualified to be President, not just a vote getter.

WANT-AD FOR VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

In the space below, create a want-ad for Vice President of the United States. Refer to your notes for information to include. YOU MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- Identify the job being offered (VICE PRESIDENT OF THE US)
- State BOTH the FORMAL and INFORMAL qualifications for the job (you can be creative on the informal ones)
- List RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES of the job
- Cite the BENEFITS AND SALARY for the job
- State whom to contact (your name at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington DC)
- DON'T USE COLOR IN YOUR WANT-AD

SAMPLE ADS TO HELP YOU GET STARTED

BRANCH SALES MANAGER
43 yr old Foodservice Equipment Company looking for a manager that has high energy, self-starter, highly motivated, with outside sales experience. Salary, override, car insurance and 401K. Call (512) 302-0161 or fax resume to (512) 302-0875.

Texas Allied Therapists
Join our growing team of independent home health rehab professionals and receive excellent pay and a flexible schedule. We are now hiring for the following positions in the hill country, Georgetown, and surrounding areas:
SLP / PT / PTA / OT / COTA
Fax resume to (512) 258-8219 or email to texasalliedtherapists@yahoo.com

Dental
Front Desk / Administrative Assistant
1-2 exp. preferred. Busy NW dental practice w/ fast paced environment searching for a dedicated, flexible individual who can multi-task, be extremely organized, productive under pressure & a team player. Please fax resume to 345-9754.

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