

Civic Literacy Study Guide

As of Jan, 2022

Supreme Court Cases:

Brown v. Board of Education
McCullouch v. Maryland
Gibbons v. Ogden
Hazelwood
Gideon v. Wainright
Marbury v Madison
Plessy v Ferguson
Schenck v. United States
US v. Nixon
District of Columbia v. Heller
Roe v Wade

Please see the following for summaries of these cases:

<https://www.oyez.org/cases/2021>

History

Northwest Ordinance (pre-Constitution)
Alien and Sedition Acts
Judiciary Act of 1789
Land Act of 1800
Judiciary Act of 1801
Indian Removal Act
Missouri Compromise
Kansas Nebraska Act
Compromise of 1850
Homestead Act
Civil Rights Act of 1866
Chinese Exclusion Act
Selective Service Act
Espionage Act
Sedition Act
New Deal legislation
Neutrality Acts

Lend Lease Act
Great Society Legislation
Civil Rights Act of 1964
Voting Rights Act of 1965
Tonkin Gulf Resolution
Affordable Care Act

Executive Actions

Monroe Doctrine
National Bank veto
Adams-Onis Treaty
Lincoln's suspension of habeas corpus
Emancipation Proclamation
Gentleman's Agreement of 1907
New Deal advocacy
Executive Order 9066 (Japanese Internment)
Executive Order 9981 (Truman's Desegregation of the Army)
Executive Order 10730 (Eisenhower using the National Guard to support desegregation)
Executive Orders 10925/11256 (Affirmative Action)
Great Society advocacy
Use of war powers at various times

For more on these, please see the following:

<https://create.kahoot.it/share/3f40bbd5-1879-4e6b-ac54-cb450d2a10ce>

<https://liberalstudies.fsu.edu/students-advisors/civic-literacy-requirement>

The U.S. Constitution can be found here:

https://www.senate.gov/civics/constitution_item/constitution.htm

Make note of the following:

Article 1-7,

Amendments 1-10. 13-15, 19, 21 and 22