

Name _____



Lesson 3 Government of the Land

Please circle the correct answers below and check using the QR Code on the right.

1. The United States has a _____ democracy.
 - a. Direct
 - b. Authoritarian
 - c. Representative
 - d. Greek
2. The Constitutional Convention was held in _____ 1787
 - a. New Your City
 - b. Washington D. C.
 - c. Annapolis
 - d. Philadelphia
3. Freedom to practice your religion is guaranteed by the _____ Amendment.
 - a. First
 - b. Second
 - c. Fifth
 - d. Tenth
4. A congress that has two parts, or house, is referred to as a _____.
 - a. Unicameral legislature
 - b. Bicameral legislature
 - c. Two party system
 - d. Parliament
5. The minimum age for a senator is _____ years old.
 - a. 25
 - b. 30
 - c. 35
 - d. 40
6. The legislative process is designed to be _____.
 - a. Slow and deliberate
 - b. Efficient
 - c. Quick and easy
 - d. So complicated that no one can understand it.
7. Many Americans wanted to create a strong presidency because they wanted someone who could _____.
 - a. Balance the power of Congress
 - b. Enforce the laws passed by Congress
 - c. Represent them with foreign governments
 - d. Do all of the above
8. In the United states we settle our disputes peacefully in _____.
 - a. Auditoriums
 - b. Courts
 - c. Restaurants
 - d. Schools

9. The Supreme court has the authority to determine which of the following are unconstitutional?
- A federal law enacted by congress
 - The decision of a state supreme court
 - An action of the president
 - All of the above
10. Women achieved the right to vote with the passage of the _____ Amendment.
- Twenty-Sixth
 - Fifteenth
 - Thirteenth
 - Nineteenth
11. If no presidential candidate earns a majority of electoral votes, the _____ chooses among the top three candidates.
- Senate
 - Electoral College
 - House of Representatives
 - Supreme Court
12. All national elections in the United States use the _____ system.
- Plurality vote
 - Majorit vote
 - Electoral college
 - “picking names out of a hat”