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U.S. Constitution Article III: The Judiciary

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The Constitution

2. What created the rest of the federal courts?

Congress

3. For how long does a Supreme Court Justice serve on the bench?

A term of good behavior

4. What cannot happen to a justice's salary?

cannot be diminished while on the bench

5. Over what types of cases do Federal Courts have jurisdiction?

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- 1. Any claim under federal, constitutional law or treaties
- 2. All cases involving ambassadors and other public ministers
- 3. Admiralty and maritime actions
- 4. Controversies in which United States are a party
- 5. Controversies between two or more states
- 6. Controversies between a state and citizens of another state
- 7. Controversies between citizens of different states
- 8. Matters of one state's citizens claiming land in another state
- 9. matters between a state or citizens of a state and foreign states or citizens of a foreign state

6. What is the only crime listed in Article III?

Treason

7. What is required to be convicted of treason?

two witnesses or a confession in open court

8. Does Article III provide the number of justices?

No

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