

Bill of Rights Scavenger Hunt

1. [The Constitution is Born!](#)

_____ Here's a timeline. In what year was the Constitution completed at the Constitutional Convention at Philadelphia?

2. [It's About Time!](#)

_____ According to the timeline, on what day were the first 10 amendments to the Constitution - the Bill of Rights - officially approved (ratified)?

3. [In the Original Words](#)

_____ The original language of the Bill of Rights is not hard to understand. Which amendment prohibits excessive bails?

4. [A Student's Right to Free Speech](#)

_____ (Read the section on Mary Beth Tinker) In 1969, the Supreme Court ruled that students had the right to free speech in schools. What war was Tinker protesting?

5. [Isn't the Press Free Everywhere?](#)

_____ (Click on "10 worst places") The First Amendment guarantees freedom of the press to Americans. Name one country on this map where journalists do not enjoy that freedom.

6. [I Know My Rights!](#)

_____ Let's review what you've learned so far. Take this 1st Amendment quiz. How many of the first ten questions did you get right?

7. [The Right to Bear Arms](#)

_____ Here's a different point of view. The National Rifle Association (NRA) claims that only a small percentage of accidental deaths are caused by guns? What percentage?