



CITIZENSHIP TUTOR STUDY GUIDE SESSION 18

SAMPLE SMALL TALK QUESTIONS

How are you today?

Have you been studying for the citizenship test?

What are you most looking forward to as a citizen?

What is your favorite thing about living in the United States?

READING PRACTICE

1. Who can vote?
2. Why do people want to be citizens?
3. When is Thanksgiving?

Do not show students the next 2 sections (Spelling Words and Writing Practice) until after they have practiced writing. Dictate the words and sentences and share your screen when they are done writing so that THEY can check their work. Discuss any spelling mistakes that they made.

SPELLING WORDS

1. citizens
2. vote
3. they
4. want
5. Thanksgiving
6. November



WRITING PRACTICE

1. Citizens can vote.
2. They want to vote.
3. Thanksgiving is in November.

TEST QUESTIONS (New questions are highlighted in orange, altered questions are in green)

What is one part of the judicial branch?

What is the highest court in the United States?

Who appoints federal judges?

How many seats are on the Supreme Court?

Who is the Chief Justice of the United States now?

How many Supreme Court justices are usually needed to decide a case?

How long do Supreme Court justices serve?

Supreme Court justices serve for life. Why?



ANSWER KEY

What is one part of the judicial branch?

Supreme Court

What is the highest court in the United States?

Supreme Court

Who appoints federal judges?

the President

How many seats are on the Supreme Court?

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Who is the Chief Justice of the United States now?

John Roberts

How many Supreme Court justices are usually needed to decide a case?

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How long do Supreme Court justices serve?

for life

Supreme Court justices serve for life. Why?

to be independent of politics