



Understanding the Supreme Court

1. There are _____ justices on the Supreme Court; eight _____ Justices and one _____ Justice.
2. The Supreme Court is the _____ court of law in our nation.
3. The Supreme Court decides whether _____ and _____ laws are in keeping with the "true _____" of the Constitution.
4. _____ laws apply to everyone in the country. _____ laws only apply to the people in a particular state.
5. Most cases are settled in _____ courts.
6. Supreme Court Justices are given the right to state their opinions _____ on any subject, and hold their jobs for _____. Their salaries cannot be _____.
7. When a Supreme Court Justice retires, resigns, or dies, the _____ chooses a new one, but the _____ has to approve the person picked.
8. Each part of our government has a job in watching over the other parts. This is known as the system of " _____ " and " _____."