

Unit 4 Standard Level Online Test Review

1. Define commander-in-chief
2. Define platform
3. Define presidential succession
4. Define keynote address
5. Define electorate
6. Define Electoral College
7. Define progressive tax
8. Define entitlement
9. Define estate tax
10. Define continuing resolution
11. Know the provisions of the 25th Amendment
12. Know the qualifications to be President
13. Why did the electoral system breakdown during the Election of 1800?
14. Who chooses the electors in each state?
15. How many years can the President serve?
16. Who follows the Vice President in the line of succession?
17. What is the least number of electors that a state may have?
18. What other duty does the Vice President of the United States have?
19. What is a major flaw in the Electoral College system?
20. According to the Framers, who was to elect the President?
21. What is the importance of the 12th Amendment?
22. Can the President remove the people he appoints without talking to Congress?
23. The President's military powers are shared with whom?
24. What is the difference between a treaty and an executive agreement?
25. What are the actions the President can take when he receives a bill?
26. Who appoints cabinet members, and who must approve them?
27. When can the President use the armed forces abroad?
28. The title "department" is reserved for what?
29. What event caused the establishment of the civil service system?
30. The civil service insures that employees are promoted on what basis?
31. What is the main purpose of the Executive Office of the President?
32. What is the spoils system?
33. What is the main purpose of the National Security Council?
34. What is the largest source of federal tax income?
35. Define excise tax
36. What are the implied limits to taxation?
37. Name a group that the President cannot tax.
38. What is deficit financing?
39. Is the current public debt measured in terms of millions, billions, or trillions of dollars?
40. What are the top 3 categories of public spending?
41. What is the key role of the Secretary of State?
42. Why does the US not have a military alliance in the Middle East?
43. What is the main purpose of giving foreign aid to countries?
44. Following the end of the Cold War, what new awareness has come to our foreign policy?
45. Who is the Security Council?
46. What was the main reason for the establishment of the United Nations?
- 47-49. These questions require you to read a map.
50. Can't miss this one.