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**Civics Definition Depot – Chapter 5: The US Constitution**

*Directions: Use the internet or your textbook to define the words below. Then, use a thesaurus, your brain, or help from a parent ot identify a synonym for each term* ***OR*** *write a sentence using the term that demonstrates your understanding of the word* ***OR*** *provide an illustration that shows that you understand the meaning of the term.*

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| **Word** | **Definition** | **Illustration** |
| Preamblep.130 |  |  |
| PopularSovereignty / (“We the People”)p. 54 |  | http://theconstitutionuchishiba11.weebly.com/uploads/1/3/8/2/13821207/2178618_orig.jpg |
| Limited governmentp.86 |  |  |
| Separation of Powersp. 138 |  |  |
| Checks and Balancesp. 139 |  |  |
| Federalists p. 127 |  | http://factfile.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/Facts-about-Anti-Federalists.jpg |
| Antifederalistsp. 129 |  |
| Ratification (ratify)p. 118 |  | https://www.bcitfsa.ca/wp-content/uploads/2015/09/stamp-afscme.jpg |
| Federalismp. 127 |  |  |
| Enumerated/Expressed/Delegated powers p. 203 |  | http://lawgovpol.com/wp-content/uploads/usfederalism.jpg |
| Reserved powersp. 140 |  |
| Concurrent powers p. 140 |  |
| Supremacy Clause | The **clause**, or section,of Article 6 of the US Constitution that states that the Constitution is the “supreme law of the land.” |  |
| Representative democracy/republicp. 85 |  | http://s3.amazonaws.com/com.theciviccommons.production/images/6/normal/18_moulthrop.jpg |
| *Federalist Papers* | A collection of articles written in support of the Constitution as it was written at the time. | https://encrypted-tbn1.gstatic.com/images?q=tbn:ANd9GcQDhRL35XRVAOIHy7kN6wtmmmxYFTOcYzL2tRoavStS7nFYoBeC |
| *Antifederalist Papers* | A collection of articles written in opposition to the ratification of the US Constitution. It led to the inclusion of the Bill of Rights (your civil liberties!). | http://constitutionliberty.com/img/cl_antifedpapers.gif |