Chapter 3 – The Meaning of Citizenship Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What Is Civics?

* The study of what it means to be an American \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* A citizen is a person with certain \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ under a government.

You Are an American Citizen if:

* You’re \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the U.S. or one of its territories.
* At least one of your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was a US citizen when you were born.
* You have been \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Naturalized – you have gone through the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of becoming a citizen.

Naturalization

* Apply🡪Examination🡪Final Hearing
* Applicants must prove:
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; legal resident for 5+ years, in state for 3+ months.
  + Good moral \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Loyalty to principles in US \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Read, write & speak \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Knowledge of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ & form of government of the US.

Why Become Naturalized?

* If you are not a citizen, you cannot \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or hold government office.
* You would be considered an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Alien – a citizen of one country who lives in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + If you have children under 18, they will \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ become citizens.

Naturalized Citizens

* Have all the rights and duties of citizens by birth EXCEPT the right to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or Vice-President.
* You will remain a citizen unless:
  + You decide to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_citizenship.
  + You are convicted of trying to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the US government by force.

The Office of the Citizen

* We have a government “of the people, by the people, (and) for the people.” – A. Lincoln
* Our government is based on concept of “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”.
* Citizens have the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what the government will and will not do.
* Imagine if each citizen had a true say-so in governmental decisions.
  + What problems could arise?
* Instead, we elect \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Representatives – people who are chosen to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for their fellow citizens in government.

Rights of Citizens

* American citizens have the right to:
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and hold elected office.
  + Say what they think in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Practice their own \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Right to a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* Our rights are based on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Americans share: equal respect, freedom, equality, and justice.
  + Guaranteed to us by our Constitution and protected by our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Can Your Rights Ever Be Denied?

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* Korematsu v. United States (1944)
* Issue: Does the government have the right to limit the civil rights of certain Americans during \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_?
  + What does the Supreme Court decide?

Duties of Citizens

* Duties are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ include:
  + Obeying the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the nation.
  + Serving on a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or as a witness in court.
  + Paying \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Attending \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ – concept of government of laws.
  + No individual is above the law.
  + Officials must base their opinion on law, not personal opinion.

Serving on a Jury

* Our Constitution guarantees that anyone accused of a crime may have the case decided by a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Jury of Peers – a group of ordinary citizens who hear the case and decide whether the accused person is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + The judge will then handle the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ based on the jury’s decision.

Responsibilities of Citizens

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* As citizens, we should:
  + Work toward the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + We should contribute to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of all members of society.
  + Vote.
  + Hold government \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Participate in election \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
  + Influence the government.
  + Serve the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Our Other Roles in Society

* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_– roles people play in real life.
* Seven social roles:
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Citizen
  + Family member
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Social group member
  + Friend
* Why do we play these roles?
  + We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ them, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ play them or are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ into them.

Roles as Expected Behaviors

* What determines how you behave in these roles?
  + How you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to play the role;
  + what other people \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_; and
  + the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_you are.

The Citizen Role

* Active \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + How can students be active citizens?
* Contributing to the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + The contributions of adults and teenagers may differ.
  + How can teens contribute to the common good?
* Setting \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for Citizenship
  + Is being an active citizen a priority for you?