

The Structure of the Presidency	
Directions: Match the letter in the RIGHT column from the U.S. Constitution (A-F) with the correct description of the Structure of the Presidency in the left column (numbers 1-6)	
<p>1. The President is the head of the Executive Branch</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Letter_____ best matches</p>	<p>A. Article II, Section 1: "He shall hold his Office during the Term of four Years, and, together with the Vice President, chosen for the same Term, be elected..."</p>
<p>2. The President is elected to a 4 year term with the Vice President</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Letter_____ best matches</p>	<p>B. Amendment XXV (25), Section 2: "Whenever there is a vacancy in the office of the Vice President, the President shall nominate a Vice President who shall take office upon confirmation by a majority vote of both Houses of Congress."</p>
<p>3. The President must be a natural born citizen, 35 years old, and has lived in the U.S. for at least 14 years.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Letter_____ best matches</p>	<p>C. Amendment XXV (25), Section 1: "In case of the removal of the President from office or of his death or resignation, the Vice President shall become President." Presidential Succession Act of 1947: "If...there is neither a President nor Vice President to discharge the powers and duties of the office of President, then the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall act as President. If...there is no Speaker...then the President pro tempore of the Senate shall act as President. If...there is no President pro tempore to act as President...then the officer of the United States who is highest on the following list...shall act as President: Secretary of State..."</p>
<p>4. The President can only be elected to serve TWO terms.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Letter_____ best matches</p>	<p>D. Article II, Section 1: "No Person except a natural born Citizen, or a Citizen of the United States, at the time of the Adoption of this Constitution, shall be eligible to the Office of President; neither shall any person be eligible to that Office who shall not have attained to the Age of thirty five Years, and been fourteen Years a Resident within the United States."</p>
<p>5. If the President is removed from office (impeached), dies, or quits, then the Vice President takes over. This is the order of who becomes President after that: the Speaker of the House, President pro tempore of the Senate, Secretary of State.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Letter_____ best matches</p>	<p>E. Amendment XXII (22), Section 1: "<u>No person shall be elected to the office of the President more than twice</u>, and no person who has held the office of President, or acted as President, for more than two years of a term to which some other person was elected President shall be elected to the office of President more than once."</p>
<p>6. If a Vice President becomes President, then they have to nominate a new Vice President who must be approved by the House and Senate. (checks and balances)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Letter_____ best matches</p>	<p>F. Article II, Section 1: "The executive Power shall be vested in a President of the United States of America."</p>