

# The Constitution and the Bill of Rights

Important Documents .....	3
A Better System .....	4-5
Three Equal Parts .....	6-7
We the People .....	8-9
Chosen to Make Laws .....	10-11
Extra Duties .....	12-13
Commander in Chief .....	14-15
The National Court System .....	16-17
The Supreme Court .....	18-19
Changing the Constitution .....	20-21
The Rights of All People .....	22-23
Glossary .....	24
Index .....	25

## Important Documents

The Constitution of the United States was written to explain how the country works. The government has three parts. Each part has a different job but the same amount of power. This protects the people in the country. People feel safe knowing that no part of the government can take over.

The Bill of Rights was added to the Constitution. These additions to the Constitution protect personal freedoms. Both **documents** were written more than 200 years ago and still make Americans free today.

