

Ben's Crossword Puzzle Key



Across

- 2. The President's Office is this shape **oval**
- 4. 'I pledge allegiance to the **flag**'
- 6. **Ben's** Guide to the U.S. Government
- 8. The national bird of the United States **baldeagle**
- 9. The U.S. Government has **three** branches

Down

- 1. The American Flag has 50 white **stars**
- 3. Citizens **vote** during an election
- 4. The Statue of Liberty was a gift from this country **France**
- 5. The Star-**Spangled** Banner
- 7. 'O say can you **see**'



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- 2. The **Judicial** branch interprets laws
- 3. Battle where Lincoln gave historic speech **Gettysburg**
- 6. Officials take an **oath** before serving the U.S. Government
- 8. The shape of the Washington Monument **Obelisk**
- 10. The President is in the **Executive** branch
- 12. This president wrote the Gettysburg Address **Lincoln**

Down

- 1. M.L. **King** gave the 'I Have a Dream' speech
- 4. Mt. **Rushmore** shows four Presidents
- 5. The **Legislative** branch makes laws
- 7. The 19th **Amendment** gave women the right to vote
- 9. Francis Scott **Key** wrote our national anthem
- 11. The Emancipation Proclamation was issued during this war **Civil**



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3. An election that decides which candidates are on the ballot **Primary**
4. Branch established by Article II **Executive**
6. A **Bill** may eventually become a law
9. Site of historic Lincoln speech **Gettysburg**
12. Article I establishes this branch, which makes laws **Legislative**
13. This Amendment protects against seizure of property **Fifth**

Down

1. Article III establishes this branch, which interprets laws **Judicial**
2. Signed the Declaration of Independence with a large, bold script **Hancock**
3. You must be at least 35 years old and a natural born citizen to hold this office **President**
5. The **Electoral** College is an indirect vote
7. This Amendment guarantees freedom of speech **First**
8. This Amendment Guarantees trial by jury **Seventh**
10. Wrote the first draft of the Declaration of Independence **Jefferson**
11. Eyeglasses invented by Franklin **Bifocals**



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