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Judiciary Study Guide

Stare decisis

Free exercise clause

Establishment clause

*Engel v. Vitale*

*New York Times Co. v. US*

*Tinker v. Des Moines*

*Wisconsin v. Yoder*

*Gideon v. Wainwright*

*Miranda v. Arizona*

4th Amendment

5th Amendment

6th Amendment

7th Amendment

8th Amendment

14th Amendment

selective incorporation

judicial restraint

judicial activism

*Roe* v. *Wade*

*Protect speech*

*Unprotected speech*

*Marbury v. Madison*

Article dealing with the Judiciary

Qualifications for justices

Purpose of appellate court

Purpose of SCOTUS

Litmus test (in terms of the court)

Role of Attorney General

Role of Solicitor General

Criminal law

Civil law

Litigation

How many justices?

Majority opinion

Concurring opinion

Dissenting opinion

Rule of four

Docket

President checks SCOTUS

Congress checks SCOTUS

SCOTUS checks POTUS

SCOTUS check Congress

*Snyder v. Phelps*

*National Socialist Party of America v. Village of Skokie*

*Brown v. the Board of Education*

*Plessy v. Ferguson*

Mens rea

Actus rea

Standard of proof

First degree murder

Second degree murder

Manslaughter

Involuntary manslaughter

Unlawful manslaughter

Battery

Assault

Extortion

Embezzlement

Larceny

Robbery

Types of crimes against persons (felonies vs misdemeanors)