



Governmental Powers

Sorting Activity Answer Key

Concurrent

- Lay and Collect Taxes
- Borrow Money
- Establish Courts
- Define Crimes and Punishments
- Eminent Domain

Delegated

- Presidential Power (II, 2 and 3)
- Judicial Power (III, 1)
- Regulate Interstate Commerce
- Enter into Treaties
- Raise an Army
- Provide a Navy
- Declare War
- Fix Weights and Measures
- Protect Patents and Copyright
- Coin Money
- Establish Naturalization Rules
- Ensure Uniform Bankruptcy Laws
- Establish Postal System

Reserved

- Police Power
- Licensing (ex. Marriage, Employment, Driving, Liquor)
- Implement Welfare
- Educate the Public
- Administer Elections
- Regulate Intrastate Commerce

Denied to Both

- Pass Bills of Attainder
- Suspend Writ of Habeas Corpus
- Grant Titles of Nobility
- Pass Ex Post Facto Laws
- Deny Bill of Rights (Incorporation)

Federal Denied

- State Reserved Powers (10th Amendment)
- Favor One State over Another
- Tax Exports
- Change State Boundaries
- Appropriate Money without Law

State Denied

- Enter into a Treaty, Alliance, or Confederation
- Emit Bills of Credit
- Pass Laws Impairing the Obligation of Contracts
- Maintain Troops in Time of Peace
- Lay Duties on Imports or Exports