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**Article 2
The Executive Branch**

Directions: Read Chapter 4 Section 2 and the Constitution to complete the following questions.

- 1. What is the title of the person who is given executive power in the United States government?**
- 2. What does the Executive Branch do?**
- 3. What is the term of office for the President of the United States?**
- 4. List the five roles the President plays in government.**
- 5. What does the Constitution say about the President's military powers?**
- 6. At the Constitutional Convention they decided to give some military power to the President and some military power to Congress. Why do you think they didn't give all of the military power to just one branch?**
- 7. As Chief Diplomat the president has the power to make _____.**
- 8. Making treaties is a very important power. How did the founding fathers limit (check) this power?**
- 9. As the Legislative Leader what power does the President have?**
- 10. In Article 1 legislative powers the President is given the power to veto a bill that he doesn't like. What does veto mean?**
- 11. How can Congress override (cancel) a Presidential veto?**
- 12. The President has the power to _____ ambassadors, Supreme Court Justices and other U.S. officials.**
- 13. The power to appoint is a strong power. How did the founding fathers limit (check) this power?**
- 14. The President cannot enforce (carry out) all the laws by himself! That would be impossible. He has a group of people who help him to do that. They are called the _____. (You won't find it in the Constitution.)**