

# Express Citizenship with Luba<sup>TM</sup>

## LESSON 5

### Civics Test:

#### U.S. Government: Executive Branch and Judicial Branch

1. Read "The Citizenship Test":

[The Citizenship Test by Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc. - issue](#)

Unit 10, 11 p.p. 71-81;

2. Study 100 questions:

<https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/questions-and-answers/100q.pdf>

#15, 26-40, 45, 46.

15. Who is in charge of the executive branch?
  - *the President*
26. We elect a President for how many years?
  - *four* (4)
27. In what month do we vote for President?\*- *November*
28. What is the name of the President of the United States now?\*- Visit [uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates](https://www.uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates) for the name of the President of the United States.
29. What is the name of the Vice President of the United States now?
  - Visit [uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates](https://www.uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates) for the name of the Vice President of the United States.
30. If the President can no longer serve, who becomes President?
  - *the Vice President*

31. If both the President and the Vice President can no longer serve, who becomes President?  
▪ *the Speaker of the House*
32. Who is the Commander in Chief of the military?  
▪ *the President*
33. Who signs bills to become laws?  
▪ *the President*
34. Who vetoes bills?  
▪ *the President*
35. What does the President's Cabinet do?  
▪ *advises the President*
36. What are **two** Cabinet-level positions?  
▪ *Secretary of Agriculture*  
▪ *Secretary of Commerce*  
▪ *Secretary of Defense*  
▪ *Secretary of Education*  
▪ *Secretary of Energy*  
▪ *Secretary of Health and Human Services*  
▪ *Secretary of Homeland Security*  
▪ *Secretary of Housing and Urban Development*  
▪ *Secretary of the Interior*  
▪ *Secretary of Labor*  
▪ *Secretary of State*  
▪ *Secretary of Transportation*  
▪ *Secretary of the Treasury*  
▪ *Secretary of Veterans Affairs*  
▪ *Attorney General*  
▪ *Vice President*
37. What does the judicial branch do?  
▪ *reviews laws*  
▪ *explains laws*  
▪ *resolves disputes (disagreements)*  
▪ *decides if a law goes against the Constitution*
38. What is the highest court in the United States?  
▪ *the Supreme Court*
39. How many justices are on the Supreme Court?  
▪ Visit [uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates](https://uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates) for the number of justices on the Supreme Court.

40. Who is the Chief Justice of the United States now?
  - Visit [uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates](https://uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates) for the name of the Chief Justice of the United States.
45. What are the two major political parties in the United States?
  - **Democratic and Republican**
46. What is the political party of the President now?
  - Visit [uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates](https://uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates) for the political party of the President.

## English Test:

### 3. Practice Reading/Writing Sentences: #28-34;

SAMPLE SENTENCES for READING	SAMPLE SENTENCES for WRITING
28. What country is south of the United States? 29. What City was the first capital? 30. Who lived in the White House? 31. When is Presidents' Day? 32. Who has the right to vote? 33. Are people in the United States free? 34. Where does the President live?	28. Mexico is south of the United States. 29. New York City was the first capital. 30. President Adams lived in the White House. 31. Presidents' Day is in February. 32. Citizens have the right to vote. 33. People in the United States are free. 34. The President lives in Washington, D.C.

### 4. Understand N400 Part 12 # 22-32;

[Application for Naturalization \(uscis.gov\)](https://uscis.gov)

**If any of Item Numbers 22. - 28. apply to you, you must answer "Yes" even if your records have been sealed, expunged, or otherwise cleared. You must disclose this information even if someone, including a judge, law enforcement officer, or attorney, told you that it no longer constitutes a record or told you that you do not have to disclose the information.**

22. Have you EVER committed, assisted in committing, or attempted to commit, a crime or offense for which you were NOT arrested?  Yes  No
23. Have you EVER been arrested, cited, or detained by any law enforcement officer (including any immigration official or any official of the U.S. armed forces) for any reason?  Yes  No
24. Have you EVER been charged with committing, attempting to commit, or assisting in committing a crime or offense?  Yes  No
25. Have you EVER been convicted of a crime or offense?  Yes  No
26. Have you EVER been placed in an alternative sentencing or a rehabilitative program (for example, diversion, deferred prosecution, withheld adjudication, deferred adjudication)?  Yes  No
27. A. Have you EVER received a suspended sentence, been placed on probation, or been paroled?  Yes  No  
 B. If you answered "Yes," have you completed the probation or parole?  Yes  No

28. A. Have you EVER been in jail or prison?  Yes  No
- B. If you answered "Yes," how long were you in jail or prison? Years  Months  Days

29. If you answered "No" to ALL questions in Item Numbers 23. - 28., then skip this item and go to Item Number 30.

If you answered "Yes" to any question in Item Numbers 23. - 28., then complete this table. If you need extra space, use additional sheets of paper and provide any evidence to support your answers.

Why were you arrested, cited, detained, or charged?	Date arrested, cited, detained, or charged. (mm/dd/yyyy)	Where were you arrested, cited, detained, or charged? (City or Town, State, Country)	Outcome or disposition of the arrest, citation, detention, or charge (no charges filed, charges dismissed, jail, probation, etc.)

Answer Item Numbers 30. - 46. If you answer "Yes" to any of these questions, except Item Numbers 37. and 38., include a typed or printed explanation on additional sheets of paper and provide any evidence to support your answers.

30. Have you EVER:
- A. Been a habitual drunkard?  Yes  No
  - B. Been a prostitute, or procured anyone for prostitution?  Yes  No
  - C. Sold or smuggled controlled substances, illegal drugs, or narcotics?  Yes  No
  - D. Been married to more than one person at the same time?  Yes  No
  - E. Married someone in order to obtain an immigration benefit?  Yes  No
  - F. Helped anyone to enter, or try to enter, the United States illegally?  Yes  No
  - G. Gambled illegally or received income from illegal gambling?  Yes  No
  - H. Failed to support your dependents or to pay alimony?  Yes  No
  - I. Made any misrepresentation to obtain any public benefit in the United States?  Yes  No
31. Have you EVER given any U.S. Government officials any information or documentation that was false, fraudulent, or misleading?  Yes  No
32. Have you EVER lied to any U.S. Government officials to gain entry or admission into the United States or to gain immigration benefits while in the United States?  Yes  No

**Commit a crime or offense** – break law by doing something illegal;

**attempted** - tried;

**cite/citation** – ticket, or a note to go to court;

**detain** – keep you in jail;

**charge** – accuse of something;

**convict** – court decides you are guilty;

**alternative sentencing** – days or hours to do community work;  
**rehabilitative program** – a rehab for alcoholics or drug addicts;  
**suspended sentence** – shortened time in prison;  
**probation** – test/tryout;  
**parole** – conditional release from prison;  
**outcome or disposition** – decision/result (example: fine, jail time, probation, traffic school, charges dismissed, etc.).  
**habitual drunkard** – alcoholic;  
**procure for prostitution** – buy sex for money;  
**smuggle** – bring them illegally or secretly;  
**controlled substances** – medications, drugs;  
**illegal drugs** – medicine sold without prescription;  
**obtain** – get;  
**immigration benefit** – get a “green card”, or a Lawful Permanent Resident status;  
**illegal gambling** – play illegal games for money;  
**dependents** – children, spouse, parents;  
**alimony** – money you pay to your ex-spouse;  
**misrepresentation** – lie;  
**public benefit** – food stamps, cash aid, SSI;  
**official** - Government/state/county worker;  
**fraudulent or misleading** – wrong, lying;  
**gain** – get;  
**admission** – entrance/ right to enter;

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