Judicial Branch

Answer the following questions as you view the Power Point.

1. Explain the main aspects of how the Supreme Court developed up until the Civil War

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1. What were some of the main issues the Supreme Court dealt with from the Civil War to the 1930’s?

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1. What is packing the Court and why did FDR want to pack the court?
2. What are some of the issues that the modern court has dealt with?
3. What were some of the main aspects of the Warren Court?
4. What were some of the main aspects of the Burger Court?
5. What were some of the main aspects of the Rehnquist Court?
6. What has and will happen during the Roberts Court?
7. Define the following
8. Jurisdiction:
9. Original Jurisdiction:
10. Appellate Jurisdiction:
11. What falls under Federal Jurisdiction?
12. What type of jurisdiction does the Supreme Court have?
13. Give some examples of the Legislative Courts?
14. What is an Amicus Curiae Brief?
15. Define the following
16. Civil Case:
17. Criminal Case:
18. Plea Bargain:
19. Adjudication:
20. How do cases reach the Supreme Court?
21. What is a Writ of Certiorari?
22. What is the Rule of Four?
23. What is Senatorial Courtesy?
24. What are the most important qualities of a Supreme Court Justice?
25. How does the Supreme Court impact Public Policy?
26. What is the difference between activist and restraintist?
27. How is the Judicial Branch checked?
28. What is Stare Decisis?
29. Should public opinion be important when considering judicial appointments?
30. What are some of the criminal rights that are protected by the Constitution?