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## Choosing a Supreme Court Nominee

1. Brainstorm – What qualities should a Supreme Court justice have?
2. Look at your list of qualities above, circle those you believe are required by the Constitution.
3. Read Article III of the Constitution. What are the constitutional requirements for Supreme Court Justice?
4. Considering your answers to the above questions, what other factors do you think go into selecting a nominee?
5. Do you think it is more important to possess the characteristics in #2 or to have an ideology similar to the administration in office at the time of the nomination?