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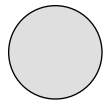| Branches of Government and Their Members	Why Their Jobs Are Important	What would happen if this branch did not exist?

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Branches of Government	Why Their Jobs Are Important	Members of Each Branch

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Directions: Read about the three branches of government. Then, complete the table below. Use the Word Bank at the bottom of the page to help you. Finally, tell your teacher why each job is important.

Branches of Government	The Jobs of Each Branch	Members of Each Branch

Word Bank

president   legislative branch

judicial branch   House of Representatives

enforces laws   interprets laws

makes laws   executive branch

Congress   senators

cabinet   Supreme Court

nine justices