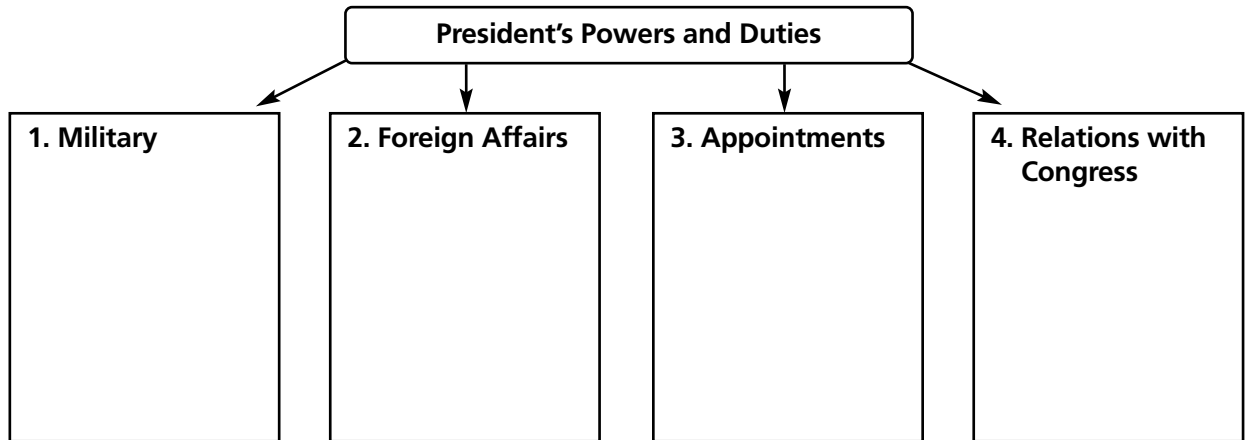


Guided Reading

A. Summarizing As you read Article 2, fill in the diagram with examples of the president's powers and duties.



B. Finding Main Ideas As you read Article 3, fill out the chart below with important information about the judicial branch of government.

1. What courts make up the judicial branch of government?
2. What is the term of office for a Supreme Court judge?
3. What is judicial power? Give two examples.
4. What "check," or control, does the Supreme Court have on Congress? Explain.
5. How does the Constitution define <i>treason</i>? What must happen before a person is convicted of treason?