

Supreme Court Week One

Assignments to Complete:

- 1) More Perfect Podcast Questions Sheet
- 2) More Perfect Podcast Quiz (Wed/Thurs in class)
- 3) Supreme Court Justice Biography

Monday/Tuesday

- 1) Listen to the More Perfect Podcast episode “Kittens Kick The Giggly Blue Robot All Summer.....maybe Goddamn” (36 minutes)
- 2) Complete the questions sheet while listening to the podcast - Due by the end of the period (HOM grade)
 - a) Be sure to answer the Extra Research Question

Wednesday/Thursday

- 1) Take the More Perfect Podcast quiz (Content Grade)
 - a) The quiz will consist of SIX of the questions from the sheet you already completed
- 2) Complete your Supreme Court Biography by the end of the period (HOM grade)

- 8) What was the brilliance of John Marshall's decision in the Marbury v. Madison case?
(think Jedi mind trick)
 - a) Why is Marbury v. Madison significant?

- 9) How is the Trail of Tears connected with the Supreme Court?

- 10) How does John Marshall's argument with Andrew Jackson show the Supreme Court's lack of power?

- 11) Contrast Andrew Jackson's and Eisenhower/Kennedy's reactions to a Supreme Court Ruling? How is it different?

- 12) Does the Supreme Court hold power?

- 13) Kitten kick the giggly blue robot all summer goddamn

Extra Research Question:

- 1) Merrick Garland was not appointed to the court. Why? Who was appointed instead?

Supreme Court Biography

Due by the end of class Wednesday/Thursday on turnitin.com

In paragraph form, write a biography of your Supreme Court Justice using the following ideas:

- 1) Background
 - a) Upbringing and Education
- 2) Positions held before being appointed to the court
- 3) Date appointed to the court
- 4) Which President appointed them to the court
- 5) Left leaning or Right leaning justice
- 6) Voting record on major cases while a Supreme Court Justice**
 - a) This should take up the most amount of space