Vocabulary Words to Know:

<u>executive power</u> - the power of the president

legislative process - the steps a bill takes to become a law

<u>judicial review</u> - the power of court to decide the validity of acts of the branches of government based on constitutional law

<u>checks and balances</u> - a system which limits the power of others; so that no one branch becomes too powerful

veto - when the president rejects a law passed by Congress