

## Classroom Activities

### Educational Activities

The United States Courts provides realistic simulations and interactive approaches through classroom ready resources.

### Literature-Based Mock Trials

The Rendell Center for Civics & Civic Engagement provides tools to bring together literature, history, and civic literacy through a mock trial.



## Outside of the Classroom



Courthouse visits are a great way to engage students in the federal court system. [Naturalization Ceremonies](#), annual observances, and heritage months also provide another way for students to observe and participate in civic events. Visit our [courthouse directory](#) to schedule a courthouse tour or to participate in one of the many court events held throughout the year.

## Interactive Resources

### DocsTeach

Provide your students with hands on access to primary documents from the National Archives through interactive activities.

### iCivics

Expand your student's civic skills and knowledge with playable games.

### The Interactive Constitution

Allow your students to engage with the text of the Constitution and explore different perspectives from experts on the history and meaning of the Constitution.





## Videos

### [Annenberg Classroom](#)

Explore constitutional concepts and landmark Supreme Court cases and hear conversations on the Constitution between Supreme Court justices and students.

### [Constitution 101](#)

Gain a basic understanding of the Constitution's text, history, structure and case law through the video series from the National Constitution Center.

### [Federal Courts Civics Education and Courtroom Programs](#)

Learn more about the federal courts through this short video series from the United States Courts.

### [Pathways to the Bench](#)

Listen to judges share challenges they faced during their life that helped prepare them to serve on the bench.

### [The Constitution EXPLAINED](#)

Discover more about the text, history, and relevance of the United States Constitution, Bill of Rights, and amendments through this video series created by the Center for Civic Education in partnership with iCivics.

