



## **What is Constitution Day & Citizenship Day?**

Constitution Day & Citizenship Day, held annually on September 17 (observed this year on Monday, September 18), is a national day set aside to commemorate the September 17, 1787 signing of the United States Constitution. The celebration provides an opportunity to discuss the civic privileges and responsibilities granted to both native-born and naturalized U.S. citizens.

### **This year's challenge is:**

#### **The Civics Test**

### **What does that mean?**

People who move to the U.S. and apply to become citizens must fulfill numerous requirements in order to naturalize. The Civics Test is one of those requirements. Applicants must answer 6 out of 10 questions correctly to pass, demonstrating a knowledge and understanding of the fundamentals of the history, principles, and form of government of the United States.

Test your knowledge by entering the Federal Judges Association Civics Challenge! High school students who score 100% on the Civics Test, as determined by their teacher, will receive an "Excellent Citizen" certificate, and may be invited to attend a federal court naturalization ceremony before a federal judge! See the FJA announcement for details.

