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| **Questions/Main Ideas:** | **Notes:**  Define Bicameral:  What are the three reasons we have a bicameral legislature?  How long do terms last?  What amendment changed the start date of Congressional terms?  What is a session?  Define adjourn:  Define prorogue:  Define special session:  How large is tHoR?  What is each state guaranteed?  Term length:  Term limits:  How do we elect our Representatives:  When are congressional elections held?  Off-year elections:  Define apportion:  Define reapportionment:  What is the permanent size of the House?  Can they change it?  Who decides how many seats each state has? | |
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