



Constitutional Principles and Structures: SS.7.CG.3.5
The Amendment Process
READING GUIDE #3

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Reading: The Importance of the Amendment Process

Benchmark Clarification 3: Students will identify the importance of a formal amendment process.

Reading Task	Response
What ideas are presented in the reading?	
What is the central idea of the reading?	
Select two words or phrases that support the central idea.	
How might this reading connect to your own experience or something you have seen, read, or learned before?	
Why did the Founding Fathers create a formal amendment process for the U.S. Constitution?	A formal amendment process for the U.S. Constitution was created because: