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Reading: Constitutional Powers and Jurisdictions of Courts

Benchmark Clarification 3: Students will recognize that the powers and jurisdiction of the state and federal courts are derived from their respective constitutions.

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?	
What are the powers and jurisdictions given to the different levels of courts according to their constitutions?	The powers and jurisdictions given to the different levels of courts according to their constitutions are: