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## Understanding the Roman Republic - Content Check

Read each question. Then, write your answers in complete sentences.

1. Which of these is not one of the branches of government in the Roman Republic

Senate

Assemblies

Judges

2. Why is it important to have a system of checks and balances in a government?

3. Name one way that the United States government is similar to the Roman Republic?

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Answers may vary.

**1. Roman consul's had the most power of anyone in Roman Republic. Roman consuls are similar to what group of people in the current United States government? Circle the correct answer.**

Senate

Assemblies

Judges

**2. Why is it important to have a system of checks and balances in a government?**

- So one person or group of people does not have control over the government and which laws are put in place.

**3. Name one way that the United States government is similar to the Roman Republic?**

- 3 branches of government
- System of checks and balances
- Use a Constitution
- Allow people to vote on government officials