

ROLES OF



THE
PRESIDENT



FULL READING & EXPLANATIONS!

- ★ 7 ROLES OF THE PRESIDENT
- ★ DETAILED SUMMARIES OF EACH
- ★ REAL LIFE EXAMPLES
- ★ EASY TO READ
- ★ STUDENT FRIENDLY



ECONOMIC CHIEF: While in office, the

PARTY CHIEF: Being the highest office in the nation.



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The President of the United States may have the most important job in the world, but what does the President do anyway? What does a day-in-the-life of the Presidency look like? One way to better understand all the responsibilities of this important job, is to look at the various roles that the President plays throughout the day. Let's take a closer look at 7 of these important leadership roles!

CHIEF EXECUTIVE: Imagine being the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of a large corporation. You would have to meet with advisors and employees for the purpose of making quality decisions to lead your organization. Like a CEO, the President is in charge of the entire nation and must meet with advisors, attend meetings, and make decisions as the head of the country.



- ★ Meet with advisors and leaders of each department.
- ★ Appoint federal workers such as judges, and cabinet members
- ★ Direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to give an update regarding the status of our nations' safety.



CHIEF DIPLOMAT: The President does the best job possible in keeping the peace with other countries to maintain friendly relationships. When it comes to diplomacy, treaties, and relations with other nations, you can see the President playing the role of Chief Diplomat. Though the Senate must approve a war, but the President manages the war, but the President manages the war.

COMMANDER IN CHIEF: The President is the top leader of the armed forces. All generals and other head officials must take orders from and answer to the President. Though the President makes decisions regarding the military, he cannot declare war. Only Congress can declare war, but the President manages the war.



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OPTION FOR SKITS INCLUDED!

STUDENT ASSIGNMENT FOR COMPLETION & DISCUSSION!

- ★ A DAY IN THE LIFE READING
- ★ STORY WITH REAL LIFE SCENARIOS
- ★ STUDENTS CHOOSE WHICH ROLE
- ★ CLASS DISCUSSION + SKITS



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ROLES OF THE PRESIDENT:

The President has many different roles and duties throughout the day. Each underlined activity in the story below represents a Presidential role being played. Use the "Roles of the President" reading to help you correctly label each role in the blanks below.

Early before sunrise, the 1 President meets with some of his advisors and cabinet members to get an update regarding the news around the world and to determine the agenda for the day. After being briefed on the news, the President receives an urgent call from the King of Saudi Arabia to 2 discuss plans for the upcoming peace summit involving many Middle Eastern countries. Before the phone call even ends, the President is summoned by the Secretary of Defense who is in 3 dire need of military support. The President 4 agrees to send 1,000 military base in Af

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