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## **Diagram of Branch Powers**

**This activity requires you to do two things:**

- 1. Place each Keyword under the the appropriate branch of government (worth 1 point)**
  - a. Attempt to place related concepts next to each other**  
**Note: an example has been done below**
  
- 2. Define and/or describe each keyword (worth 1 point)**
  - a. Definitions/Descriptions can be in regards to the impact on the branch, the framers intentions, or the its current utilization**

### **KEYWORDS**

President	Senate
Cabinet	Write the budget
House of Representatives	Makes Laws
Makes treaties with other nations	Approves budgets and Treaties
Supreme Court	
Interprets laws	Carries out laws
May over-rule other branches on the basis of constitutionality	Appoints judges in the Judicial Branch for a life term
Vetoes Congress' bills passes if he disagrees	Can impeach a President or Judge
Must approve Presidents choice of Judges	Can override a President's veto by 2/3 Vote

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**Legislative Branch**

Term: Makes the Laws

Definition:

**Executive Branch**

T: Carries out the Laws

D:

**Judicial Branch**

T: Interprets laws

D: