

YOUR RIGHTS in a nutshell:

Expression in any form

Owning property

Fairness in Court

Self-Determination

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO

- 1. Say whatever you want, whenever you want**
- 2. Meet with whoever you want, whenever you want**
- 3. Protest the government whenever you want, for whatever reason you want**
- 4. Practice whatever religion you want, whenever you want**

* as long as you do not physically damage someone or something

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO:

- 1. Property**
- 2. Own guns and any type of weapons**
- 3. Privacy**
- 4. Due process**
- 5. A fair, speedy trial**
- 6. Vote**
- 7. Citizenship**
- 8. FREEDOM**

WHAT DO THESE RIGHTS ACTUALLY MEAN?

you can:

- **say yes to whatever you want**
- **say no to whatever you want**
- **make decisions that YOU want to make**
- **buy whatever you want**
- **sell whatever you want**
- **own whatever you want**
- **be individualistic**
- **create anything**
- **solve problems**

WHAT WOULD AMERICA LOOK LIKE WITHOUT THESE RIGHTS?

YOU CANNOT:

- own anything : the government owns everything
- buy, sell, or decide for yourself: the government decides everything
- create anything: the government decides what is created
- have money : the government takes your money
- practice religion : the government prohibits religion
- vote : the government decides who has power
- be free : the government STOPS freedom

<https://constitutioncenter.org/learn/educational-resources/historical-documents/bill-of-rights>

How long does the average constitution last?

17 years

How old is the American Constitution?

232 years and counting

<https://www.law.uchicago.edu/news/lifespan-written-constitutions>