Amendments 11-27

How can we remember?

1. (1795) If someone sues a State, the case stays in that state – not in the Federal Court system. Suits against states stay in states 11. If 1 person sues 1 state – stays in the state.
2. (1804) Each elector in the Electoral College receives 1 vote instead of 2. After 12th Grade – go to college
3. (1865) Abolishes slavery. 13 original colonies – all had slaves at one time – now, none of them do
4. (1868) 1. If you’re born in the US, you’re automatically a citizen of the US **and** the state where you live. 2. No state can violate the rights found in the US Constitution (Due Process – Equal Protection under the Law)
5. (1870) Can’t stop people from voting because of their race, color, previous condition of servitude.
6. (1913) Income Taxes are legalized. 16 income taxing
7. (1913) Direct election of Senators. Seventeen Senators Seem Super Popular
8. (1919) Prohibits Alcohol. Amendment 18, no drinking. Even though you’re 18 you still can’t drink.
9. (1920) Can’t stop someone from voting because of gender. Women can choose (vote) to go on an LDS mission at 19.
10. (1933) Presidential term. Jan 20th at Noon. (20)
11. (1933) Repeals the 18th Amendment. Don’t be a Bum, legally drink at 21
12. (1951) President can only serve 2 term or 10 years max. We give 2 the President 2 Terms
13. (1961) Gives Washington DC electoral votes for President. Amendment 23, voting rights for DC
14. (1964) Outlaws Poll Tax. Amendment 24, Poll Taxes no more.
15. (1967) Presidential disability & Succession. VP becomes Pres if the Pres. Dies or is disabled. VP & Cabinet can take power from Pres and give to VP
16. (1971) 18 can vote
17. (1992) Congress can raise their salary, but they don’t get it until after the next election.