

Bill of Rights Scenarios

Name / chosen name: _____

Match fictional situations to a Bill of Rights idea. These examples introduce concepts; real legal questions depend on details.

speech / press · religion · fair criminal trial · protection from unreasonable searches

1. A community newspaper publishes criticism of a government decision.

2. A person chooses a religious practice.

3. A person accused of a crime receives a public trial and can have assistance from a lawyer.

4. Officials consider whether a search needs legal authority.

Sources: [National Archives — Bill of Rights](#)