

# Ceremonial Head of State



American Government

# What do we do in our homes when entertain a guest?



What duties and responsibilities  
are tied to the President's role as  
Ceremonial Head of State?

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# Group Digital Presentation Activity: Research

- Conduct a search to discover an example of President Clinton visiting another nation as the Ceremonial Head of State:
  - Jimmy Carter: Visit to West Germany, July 14-17, 1978
  - Ronald Reagan: Visit to the Soviet Union, May 29-June 3, 1988
  - George H.W. Bush: Visit to Czechoslovakia, November 17, 1990
  - Bill Clinton: Visit to South Africa, March 25-29, 1998
  - George W. Bush: Visit to France, June 5-6, 2004
  - Barack Obama: Visit to Japan, May 25-27, 2017
  - Donald Trump: Visit to China, November 8-10, 2017
- Learn about the example by reading archived news stories, archival records, or other reputable sources found online.

# Create a Presentation

- Create a digital presentation in the medium of your choice that includes the following:
  - A map of nation visited (or where the visitor came from) in relation to the United States
  - A map of where the visit took place (city by city)
  - Who attended the meeting?
  - Why did the meeting take place?
  - In what way(s) did President Clinton show himself to be the Ceremonial Head of State? Why was this significant to the event?

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are tied to the President's role as  
Ceremonial Head of State?**

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