How to Become a US Citizen: The Complete Guide for Children

Are you a child who is interested in becoming a US citizen? Or do you know a child who is? This book is for you!



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This book will teach you everything you need to know about the process of becoming a US citizen. You will learn about the different ways to become a citizen, the rights and responsibilities of citizenship, and the steps you need to take to become a citizen.

This book is written in a clear and easy-to-understand style. It is perfect for children of all ages. It is also a great resource for parents and teachers who want to help children learn about US citizenship.

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Chapter 1: What is US Citizenship?

US citizenship is a legal status that gives a person the right to live and work in the United States. US citizens also have the right to vote, hold public office, and receive government benefits.

There are two main ways to become a US citizen: by birth or by naturalization.

- US citizens by birth are people who were born in the United States, or who were born to US citizen parents.
- US citizens by naturalization are people who were not born in the United States, but who have gone through the process of becoming a US citizen.

Chapter 2: The Different Ways to Become a US Citizen

There are several different ways to become a US citizen by naturalization. The most common way is to apply for citizenship through the US Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS).

To apply for citizenship through the USCIS, you must meet the following requirements:

- You must be at least 18 years old.
- You must have been a permanent resident of the United States for at least 5 years.

- You must be able to read, write, and speak English.
- You must have a good moral character.
- You must pass a civics test.

If you meet all of these requirements, you can apply for citizenship by submitting Form N-400 to the USCIS.

There are some other ways to become a US citizen by naturalization. These include:

- Marrying a US citizen
- Serving in the US military
- Working for the US government

Chapter 3: The Rights and Responsibilities of US Citizenship

US citizens have a number of rights and responsibilities. These rights include:

- The right to vote
- The right to hold public office
- The right to receive government benefits
- The right to travel freely within the United States
- The right to work in the United States

US citizens also have a number of responsibilities. These responsibilities include:

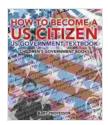
- The responsibility to obey the law
- The responsibility to pay taxes
- The responsibility to serve on juries
- The responsibility to defend the country

Chapter 4: The Steps to Becoming a US Citizen

The process of becoming a US citizen can be long and complex. However, it is also a rewarding experience. If you are interested in becoming a US citizen, here are the steps you need to take:

- 1. **Apply for a green card.** A green card is a permanent resident card that allows you to live and work in the United States.
- 2. Live in the United States for at least 5 years. You must be a permanent resident for at least 5 years before you can apply for citizenship.
- Apply for citizenship. Once you have been a permanent resident for 5 years, you can apply for citizenship by submitting Form N-400 to the USCIS.
- 4. **Pass the civics test and the English test.** You must pass a civics test and an English test in Free Download to become a US citizen.
- 5. **Take the oath of citizenship.** Once you have passed the civics test and the English test, you will be scheduled to take the oath of citizenship. The oath of citizenship is a

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