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## Marbury v. Madison Vocabulary Answer Key

1. C - Writ of Mandamus
2. B - Precedent
3. A - Judicial Review
4. D - Constitutional Interpretation
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7. B or A accepted with explanation (most likely A - Judicial Review, as it checks unconstitutional laws)
8. D - Constitutional Interpretation

### Teacher's Guide

- Review each term briefly before students begin.
- Emphasize the connection between judicial review (A) and the Court's role as a constitutional check.
- Clarify why the writ of mandamus was central to the case's conflict.

### Differentiation

- Support: Provide example sentence starters for each term.
- Challenge: Have students write their own original examples of each term on the back.
- English Learners: Pair work and a mini-word bank with simplified definitions.

### Extension Activities

- Students identify a recent Supreme Court case that set a new precedent.
- Write a short reflection explaining why judicial review protects citizens' rights.