



# Government: Local and State

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Grade: Grade 3

## Part A: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ works with the city council to run the city government.
2. Citizens have the right and responsibility to \_\_\_\_\_ in elections.
3. State \_\_\_\_\_ pay for highways, state parks, and public universities.
4. The governor can veto, or reject, a \_\_\_\_\_ passed by the legislature.
5. Firefighters and \_\_\_\_\_ workers are paid by local government.
6. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a written proposal for a new law.
7. The city council holds \_\_\_\_\_ to hear what community members think.
8. Every state in the United States has its own \_\_\_\_\_.
9. Following \_\_\_\_\_ is a responsibility shared by all citizens.

## Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

1. Match each item to its correct answer.

Governor	→		Helps the mayor govern the city
Mayor	→		Writes laws for the state
State legislature	→		Leads a city or town
City council	→		Leads the state government

**Part A: Fill in the Blank**

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Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The mayor works with the city council to run the city government.
2. Citizens have the right and responsibility to vote in elections.
3. State taxes pay for highways, state parks, and public universities.
4. The governor can veto, or reject, a bill passed by the legislature.
5. Firefighters and sanitation workers are paid by local government.
6. A bill is a written proposal for a new law.
7. The city council holds meetings to hear what community members think.
8. Every state in the United States has its own governor.
9. Following laws is a responsibility shared by all citizens.

**Part B: Matching**

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Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

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Governor	→	<u>Leads the state government</u>	Helps the mayor govern the city
Mayor	→	<u>Leads a city or town</u>	Writes laws for the state
State legislature	→	<u>Writes laws for the state</u>	Leads a city or town
City council	→	<u>Helps the mayor govern the city</u>	Leads the state government