



Government: Local and State

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 3

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- B) the governor
- C) the president
- D) the city council

2. Who would you contact about fixing a broken streetlight in your neighborhood?

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- A) to punish all people
- B) to keep people safe and maintain order
- C) to collect money from citizens
- D) to help only government leaders

4. Which of these is a responsibility of citizenship?

- A) making laws alone
- B) voting in elections
- C) running a business
- D) building highways

Part B: Fill in the Blank

Write the correct answer on each line.

1. The governor signs bills into _____ for the state.
2. Local government uses tax money to pay for public _____ like schools and roads.
3. Citizens can attend town _____ meetings to share their opinions with local leaders.
4. State _____ are officials that voters elect to represent them in the state capital.
5. The _____ branch of government is responsible for making laws.

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