



Government / Civics

Activities:

- Explain the purpose and various levels of government.
- Recognize local, state, tribal and federal governments and identify representative leaders at these levels (e.g., mayor, governor, chairperson, president).
- Identify the major responsibilities of local, state, tribal and federal government.
- Explain how governments provide for needs and wants of people by establishing order and security and managing conflict.
- Identify and explain the individual's responsibilities to family, peers and the community, including the need for civility, respect for diversity and the rights of others.
- Describe factors that cause conflict and contribute to cooperation among individuals and groups (e.g., playground issues, misunderstandings, listening skills, taking turns).
- Explore the role of communication networks, transportation networks, information processing, or other areas that contribute to, or help, government resolve problems.