

Chapter – 3
HOW THE STATE GOVERNMENT WORKS
Worksheet - 1

Choose the correct option:

1. MLA stands for _____.

- a) Political Members
- b) Member of Legislative Assembly
- c) Political Department
- d) Government Members

2. Every state is divided into:

- a) Constituencies
- b) District
- c) City
- d) Town

3. Each state is divided into different areas or _____.

- a) MLAs
- b) Constituencies
- c) Health
- d) None of these

4. The word 'government' in common usage refers to-

- a) Various ministers heading the government departments
- b) Governor
- c) Chief Minister
- d) None of these

5. The overall head of the government in a state is the-

- a) Prime Minister
- b) Governor
- c) Chief Minister
- d) President

6.appoints the Chief Minister and other ministers.

- a) President
- b) Former Chief Minister
- c) Prime Minister

d) Governor

7. Where are laws for the entire country made?

- a) Supreme Court
- b) Parliament
- c) High Court
- d) None of these

8. This is a situation where more than half the members of a group support a decision or idea.

- a) Majority
- b) Cabinet
- c) Constituency
- d) Government Departments

9. In a _____, people organize meetings to voice their opinions and protest against the government.

- a) Village
- b) Democracy
- c) City
- d) Local

10. _____ is the gathering of journalists from the media who are invited to hear about and ask questions on a particular issue.

- a) Press conference
- b) Public conference
- c) T.V. conference
- d) Conference

Answer the following Questions.

- 11.** How do people who are MLAs become ministers or chief minister? Explain.
- 12.** What is a Coalition?
- 13.** What is the purpose of a press conference? How does the press conference help you get information on what the government is doing?
- 14.** What is the difference between the work that MLAs do in the Assembly and the work done by government departments?

15. What is a press conference? What is the significance?
16. What is the role of a Governor of the State?
17. Describe how the state government works.
18. Which is the place where all the MLAs, whether from the ruling party or from the opposition meet to discuss various things?
19. Where are the laws made?
20. Who becomes a Chief Minister? What is his/her role in a state?

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