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How the STATE GOVERNMENT WORKS?

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* Who is MLA?

- Ans i) MLA is a member of legislative assembly.
ii) MLA is elected to represent of people.
iii) MLA's form the government.

* What is a constituency?

Ans Constituency → It is an area formed on basis of population to conduct the election.

* What is legislative assembly?

Ans Legislative assembly belongs to state. Each state has a legislative assembly. State legislative known as the legislative assembly.

* What are the levels of government?

- Ans There are three levels of government:-
i) Local Government.
ii) State Government.
iii) National Government / Union Government.

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- After the elections, it is the governor of the state who appoints the chief minister and other ministers.
- A political party whose MLAs have won more than half of the constituencies in a state is said to be 'Majority'.
- The political party that has the majority is called the ruling party and all other members are called 'Opposition'.
- Whatever decisions are being taken have to be approved by the members of the assembly. In a democracy, these members can ask questions, debate on important topics, decide where money should be spent.

- All the MLA's who gather together in the legislative assembly are called the Legislature.
- It may make it compulsory for municipal corporation to ensure that there are adequate ~~toilet~~ toilets in every urban areas.
- A wallpaper is an interesting activity through which ~~research~~ can be done on particular topics of interests.

EXERCISES !

Q1 Use the term 'Constituency' and Representative to explain who an mla and how is the person elected?

Ans i) An mla is the person affiliated to a political party or independent who represent a constituency (An area).

ii) The person is elected in the following manner:-
• A specific area is called a constituency.

- All the adult above 18 years are the voters.
- They vote for the candidates of their choice.
- The person who gets the maximum number of votes is declared elected.
- The elected representative is called mla.

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Q2 How did some mla become ministers? Explain.

→ The party which is elected in the majority for the Legislative Assembly forms the government. As per constitutional provisions the ruling party elects its leader who is called the chief minister as the head of the government. The chief minister, in consultation with the Governor, constitutes a cabinet which includes members of his/her party as ministers. The mla who become ministers are allotted with a ~~part~~ portfolio.

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Q3 Why should decisions are taken by the chief ministers and other ministers be debated in the Legislative Assembly?

→ The decisions taken by the chief minister and other ministers should be debated in the Legislative Assembly because of the following reasons:-

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- 1) The decisions, it is not necessary, taken by the chief ministers are beneficial to one of all.
- 2) All the ministers / MLA should know about them
- 3) Important suggestions may be incorporated in the final decision.
- 4) Adversely affecting points are deleted after the debate.
- 5) The decisions of all the members and hence the people.

Q4. What was the problem in Patalpuram? What action were taken by the following?

Public meeting	Condemned the government and showed Protest Put their demand to Govt.
Legislative assembly	Dismissed the issue to and decided the course of action.
Press	The health minister presented the plan of action initiated by Govt.
Conference	Visited the village announced compensation to the affected family and
Chief minister	clarified the future action to solve the problem.

Q5. What is the difference ~~is~~ between the works of MLA as in the assembly and the work done by the government department?

→ The difference between the work that MLA do in the assembly and the work done by Govt. Department is that every department is headed by the minister who is also an MLA. The minister approves any work done by the department. The department is responsible for the projections. And completion of the work whereas MLA's or ministers coordinates between the assembly and the department.