

Australian Senate Information Sheet — Answers

Years 5–6 | Ages 8–13 with support | 20 minutes

Teacher / parent guide · Check reasoning as well as answers.

senator → elected Senate representative

bill → proposed law

scrutinise → examine closely

Senators represent states and territories and take part in federal law-making.

RUN THE ACTIVITY

Compare state or territory representation with the electorate representation explained on the House sheet.

Allow pointing, oral answers or a partner scribe. Keep colour optional. Use fictional examples and invite explanations without asking about family voting choices.