

CIVICS FOUR CORNERS

Name: _____ Date: _____

Place the A, B, C and D signs in four classroom corners. Read one question card at a time. Learners move to their answer, or point/use an A–D card from a seat.



A

B

C

D

How to check

Ask one learner to explain the chosen answer. The educator checks the separate answer sheet. Keep routes clear and offer the seated option.

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1. Who usually manages council rubbish collection?

- A. Federal
- B. State/Territory
- C. Local
- D. Judiciary

2. Which House has senators?

- A. Council
- B. Senate
- C. Court
- D. Executive

3. What provides the federal framework?

- A. Constitution
- B. Local timetable
- C. Bill list
- D. Court diary

4. A referendum votes on what?

- A. A sporting winner
- B. A new council worker
- C. Constitutional change
- D. House candidates

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5. Which role belongs to courts?

- A. Campaigning
- B. Voting on bills
- C. Running a council library
- D. Applying law in cases

6. Public schools are mainly managed by which level?

- A. State/Territory
- B. Federal
- C. Local
- D. Judiciary

7. Which is a proposed law?

- A. Electorate
- B. Bill
- C. Jury
- D. State

8. Which test is generally needed for a referendum?

- A. Most territories only
- B. One YES state
- C. Double majority
- D. Three YES states only

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9. Where do territory votes count in the double-majority test?

- A. State count only
- B. Neither count
- C. As extra states
- D. National count

10. A national YES vote of exactly 50% is what?

- A. Not a national majority
- B. A national majority
- C. Always a pass
- D. Four states

11. Who represents a federal electorate in the House?

- A. Judge
- B. Member
- C. Premier
- D. Mayor

12. Who administers government programs?

- A. Court
- B. Jury
- C. Executive
- D. Witness

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13. Who debates and passes legislation?

- A. Witness
- B. Public servant
- C. Jury
- D. Parliament

14. When did the Commonwealth begin?

- A. 1 January 1901
- B. 1 January 2001
- C. 9 May 2000
- D. 1 January 1801

15. After Federation, the former colonies became what?

- A. Electorates
- B. States
- C. Courts
- D. Local councils

16. What do House voters usually write in every candidate box?

- A. YES only
- B. A tick only
- C. Consecutive preference numbers
- D. A name only

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17. Both Houses normally agree to what before Royal Assent?

- A. Different texts
- B. Any newspaper story
- C. A jury verdict
- D. Identical bill text

18. Which is civic participation?

- A. Writing a reasoned letter to a representative
- B. Hiding a ballot
- C. Inventing a secret rule
- D. Choosing a lunch flavour

19. Who must act lawfully under the rule of law?

- A. Only children
- B. Government as well as people
- C. Only judges
- D. Only voters

20. How many YES states are generally needed?

- A. Two
- B. Three
- C. At least four of six
- D. All territories only