

CHOOSING A GOVERNMENT



Symbols of different political parties in The Bahamas

- A. In The Bahamas, General Elections are held every _____ years. [1]
- B. Name **THREE** groups of people who are **NOT** allowed to vote in our country. [3]
- _____
- _____
- C. What was the name of the first formal political party in The Bahamas **AND** in what year was it formed? _____
- _____ [2]
- D. Define the term “preliminary return”. [1]
- _____
- _____
- E. During a General Election, voters are allowed to cast only one vote. Explain **two** precaution taken to ensure that a voter only votes once. [2]
- _____
- _____
- _____

F. The acronym **F.N.M.** stands for:

_____ [1]

G. In 1958, the UBP was formed. However, this political group is no longer active. The acronym **U.B.P.** stands for:

_____ [1]

H. How many days is Parliament dissolved **before** a General Election? [1]

I. Name **two** things that candidates do on Nomination Day? [2]

J. List the steps leading up to a General Election in order. [5]

Election Day	Campaign	Government Dissolved
Election Announced	Nomination Day	

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____