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Grade 6 Social Studies Worksheet: What is Government?

Section A: Choose the letter of the correct answer.

1. A group of people working together to get something done is a/ an _____.
A. election B. organization C. nomination D. naturalization
2. Which TWO of the following describe reasons why we need government?
A. The need to get things done B. The need to import and export new vehicles
C. To have laws to live by D. To have holidays and special events on the calendar
3. Each area of government is the responsibility of a special department called a _____.
A. law B. organization C. ministry D. community

Section B: Choose the official that goes with the description. Use the word bank below.

President

Vice-President

Secretary

Treasurer

4. He/she keeps notes and sends out all written communications _____
5. He/she assists the President with running the organization _____
6. He/she ensures that the organization's finances are in order _____
7. He/she is the leader of the organization _____

Section C: Write true or false.

8. The Bahamas Red Cross is a **national** organization. _____
9. Walter Parker Primary School is a **community** organization. _____
10. Royal Bahamas Defence Force is a **community** organization. _____

Section D: Match the ministers below with the correct portfolio.

The Hon. Chester Cooper

The Hon. Ginger Moxey

The Most Hon. Philip Brave Davis

The Hon. Zane Lightbourne

The Hon. Glenys Hanna - Martin

11. Minister for Grand Bahama _____
12. Prime Minister & Minister of Finance _____
13. Minister of Education & T. & V.T. _____
14. Minister of State for Education & T. & V.T. _____
15. Deputy Prime Minister _____