Social Studies

Term 2 , Test 2

Section A: TRUE OR FALSE: Based on your answer, place either TRUE OR FALSE on the space provided. **Spelling is essential.**

1. The objective of a government is to remain in power.

2. Although democracy is the ideal form of government, in some countries, the democracy is not really followed and thus corruption becomes rampant.

3. The voting age in Belize is 16 years.

4. If you are a foreign national residing in Belize, you must be a resident of the country for at least 1 year.

5. Everyone has a right to become a candidate aspiring to be an area representative.

6. Citizens have the right to raise questions about the electoral process.

7. San Pedro and Caye Caulker are a part of Caribbean shores constituency.

8. There are 2 districts with the least number of constituencies.

9. All candidates should have equal opportunities to campaign and recruit votes

10. If you changed address and moved to a new constituency, you cannot re-register until after 1 year.

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11. The main objective of the electoral process is to have rallies and parade through the streets in great fun.

12. A constituency is being a voting member of a community or organization and having the power to appoint or elect.

13. Cayo is the district with the most constituencies.

14. Belize City has 31 constituencies.

15. There should only be 2 political parties in a country.

Section B: Fill in the Blank: Based on your answer, place the appropriate response in the space provided. **Spelling is essential.**

Use the word bank to fill in the blank. All terms may not be used and a term may be only used once:

- **Electorate**
- **Democratic**
- **Candidate**
- **Sixteen**
- **Constituent**
- **Eighteen**
- **Election**
- **Five**
- **Autocratic**
- **Register**
- **Ten**
- **Early election**
- **Representatives**
- **Ministers**
- **Constituency**

Belize has a _____ system of government. Free and fair elections are held every _____ and citizens have the right and freedom to participate. However, leaders may be able to call _____ before their time is up. In Belize, the voting age is

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_____ years and one must _____ to participate. Each _____ must think rationally for the betterment of his/her _____. The _____ elected have a very huge task to provide improvement for the community and the country at large. The results of an _____ is the rresponsibility of the entire _____.

2. Name the constituencies in the following districts.

Corozal	Cayo	Belize

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Section C. Drag and Drop.

1. **Using the word bank, Drag the terms in the appropriate blank space per the order in the voting process.**

- Presiding officer verifies voter's identification
- Voter instructed by officer on how to cast vote
- Presiding officer verifies voter has not voted before
- Voter's name is checked against voter's list
- Voter folds ballot paper as instructed and shows the presiding officer
- Voter proceeds to booth and casts vote
- Eligible voter gives name to poll clerk
- Voter places ballot paper in ballot box

The Voting Process
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