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Social Studies

Enforcing the Law in The Bahamas



Law enforcement agencies found in The Bahamas include:

- ✓ The Royal Bahamas Police Force (RBPF)
- ✓ The Royal Bahamas Defence Force (RBDF)
- ✓ The Bahamas Customs Department
- ✓ The Bahamas Immigration Department
- ✓ The K-9 Unit is one division of the R.B.P.F.



1. Who are law enforcers? _____

2. What happen to people who break the law?

3. Give the definition of these words:

a) poachers = _____

b) confiscate = _____

c) fine = _____

d) repatriate = _____

4. List the ranks of the Police Force in order from lowest rank to highest.

Superintendent	Commissioner	Constable
Inspector	Corporal	Sergeant

i. _____

ii. _____

iii. _____

iv. _____

v. _____

vi. _____

5. Give the name of the present Commissioner of Police in The Bahamas.

6. Give the name of the present Defence Force Commodore in The Bahamas.

7. List the highest and lowest ranks of The Royal Bahamas Police & Defence Force under the correct heading. (drag and drop)

Commodore	Force Chief Petty Officer	Commissioner
Constable	Midshipman	Marine/Able Seaman

Ranks	The Royal Bahamas Police Force	The Royal Bahamas Defence Force (Enlisted)	The Royal Bahamas Defence Force (Officer)
lowest			
highest			

8. State **two (2)** aims of the Royal Bahamas Defence Force.

i. _____

ii. _____

9. Write the **motto** of each law enforcement agency below:

a) The Royal Bahamas Police Force = _____

b) The Royal Bahamas Defence Force = _____

10.



Who should you call?

a) Early in the morning while out fishing, you see a group of men in a boat acting very suspiciously. Who should you call? _____

b) You come home after a family vacation to find that your home has been burglarized. Who should you call? _____

11. What is the job of the Customs Department?

12. What is the job of the Immigration Department?

13. Complete the table below with the correct information.

ASPECT	THE ROYAL BAHAMAS POLICE FORCE	THE ROYAL BAHAMAS DEFENCE FORCE
Year established		
Territory		
Leader's title		
Dress (describe the uniform)		