

Levels of Government

which level?



Local

Local councils manage local community needs, such as local roads, parks, waste management, libraries, town planning, and community services. There are over 500 local government areas across Australia.

State

The South Australian state government handles matters specific to South Australia. This includes responsibilities like education, health, transport, infrastructure, policing, and emergency services.

Federal

This is the national government of Australia. It is responsible for issues that affect the entire country, such as defense, foreign affairs, trade, immigration, and taxation.

Ways to Play: 1:1

1. Shuffle deck and put back into packet to keep the backs of the cards covered.
2. Player 1 draws the top card from the packet and shows player 2 the responsibility on the card.
3. Player 2 must guess if Local, State or Federal.
4. Player 1 reveals the answer. Player 2 earns 1 point for a correct answer.
5. Swap turns.
6. Play until one player reaches 15 points.

which level?

Parliament of South Australia

How to Play: Whole Class

1. Designate areas within the classroom with a sign:
 - a. Left of classroom = Local
 - b. Back of classroom = State
 - c. Right of classroom = Federal
2. Hand out one card per student – answer must remain covered (you can cover them up with sticky notes).
3. Ask students to move into the area of the classroom that corresponds to the responsibility on their card.
4. Go through each section and check everyone is with the right level of government – ask students to tell everyone which level they are and flip their card over to see if they are correct. If incorrect, identify where they should be and relocate.

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How to Play: Groups

1. Form groups of up to 5 students.
2. Give each group a deck of cards with the answers covered (you can cover them up with sticky notes).
3. Ask the students to work together to sort the cards into 3 piles:
 - a. Local
 - b. State
 - c. Federal
4. Once the deck is sorted, check the answers. Groups earn a point for each correct answer.
5. The group with the highest score wins.

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Flashcard Formative Assessment Ideas

Show the students a card as they go to leave the door from your lesson and see if they can correctly identify the level of government.

Plan for a class reward.

Show the students cards randomly over the course of a few lessons and ask them to determine the level of government. The class receives the reward once all 52 cards have been answered correctly.

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Parliament of South Australia

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Banking

Parliament of South Australia

which level?



Local
Specific to the Community



State
Specific to the State



Federal
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Federal

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Building Permits

Parliament of South Australia

which level?



Local
Specific to the Community



State
Specific to the State



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Car Parking

Parliament of South Australia

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Local
Specific to the Community



State
Specific to the State



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Child Protection

Parliament of South Australia

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Local
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State
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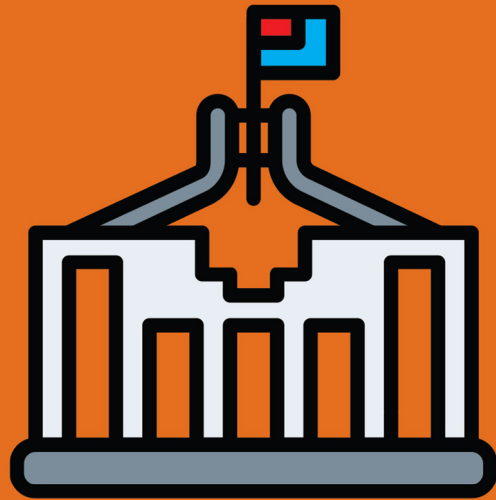


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Citizenship

Parliament of South Australia

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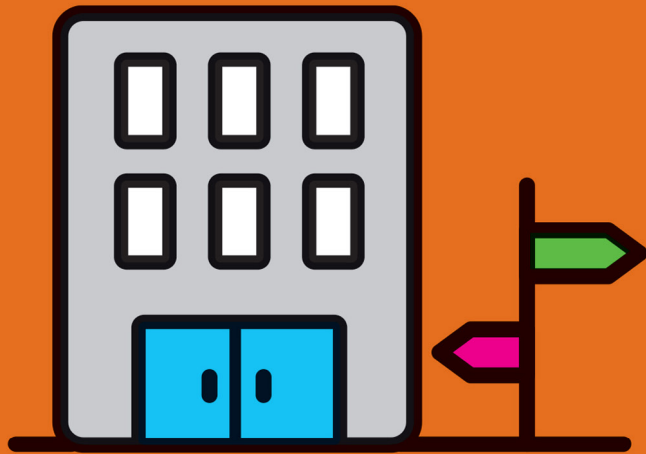
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Community Hall Hire

Parliament of South Australia

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Corporations

Parliament of South Australia

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Currency

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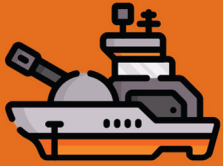
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Defence

Parliament of South Australia

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Education

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Emergency Services

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Energy

Parliament of South Australia

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Environment

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Farming & Agriculture

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Foreign Affairs

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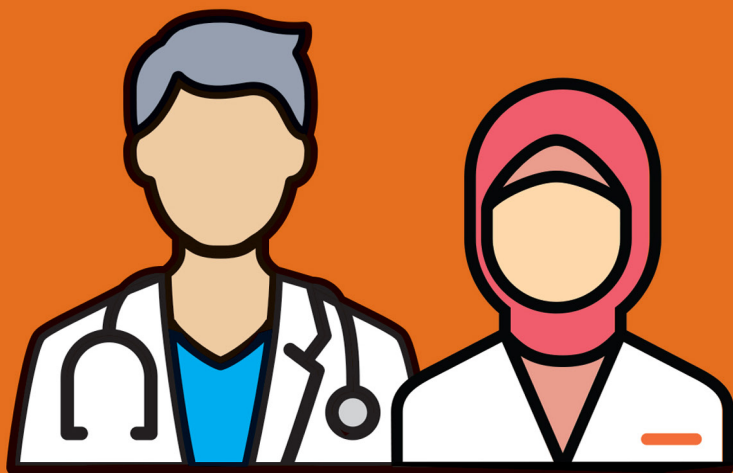
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Health

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Immigration

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Internet

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Libraries

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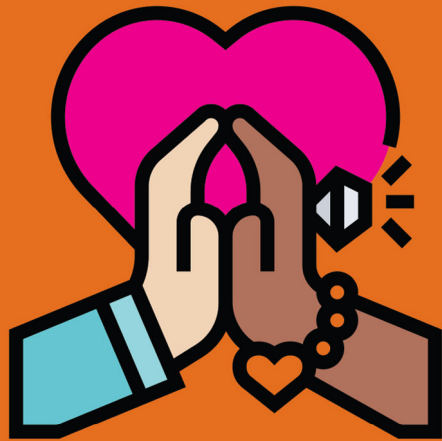


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Marriage

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Mining

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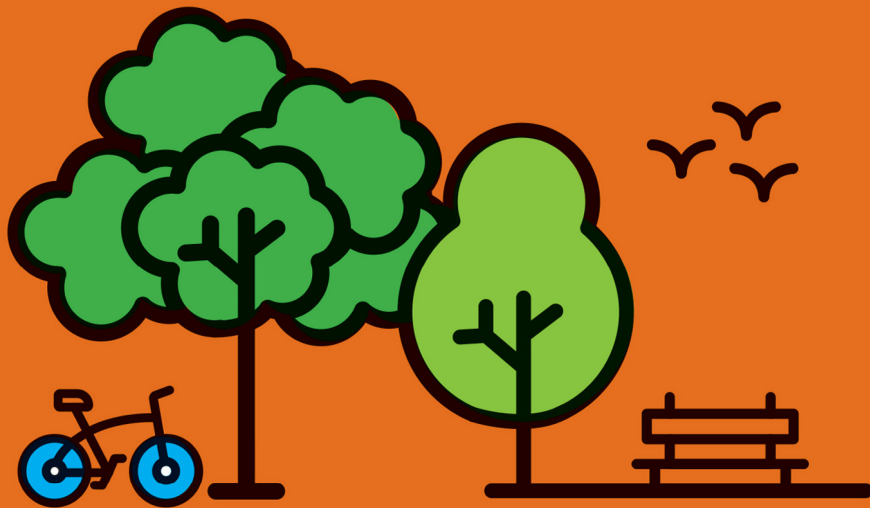
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Parks

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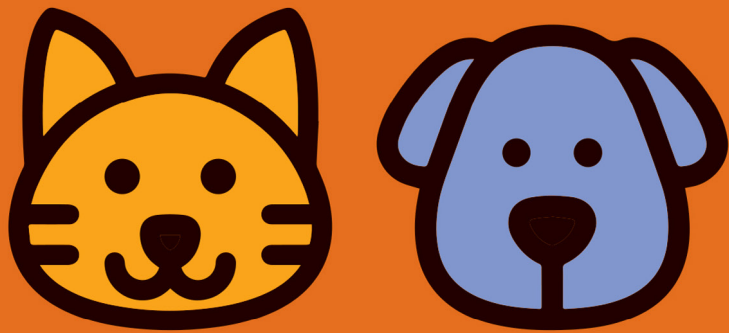
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Pet Registration

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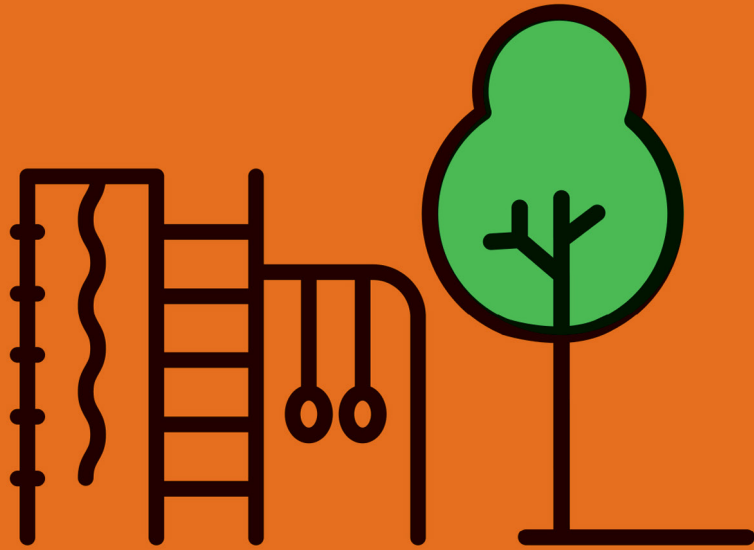


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Playgrounds

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Postal Services

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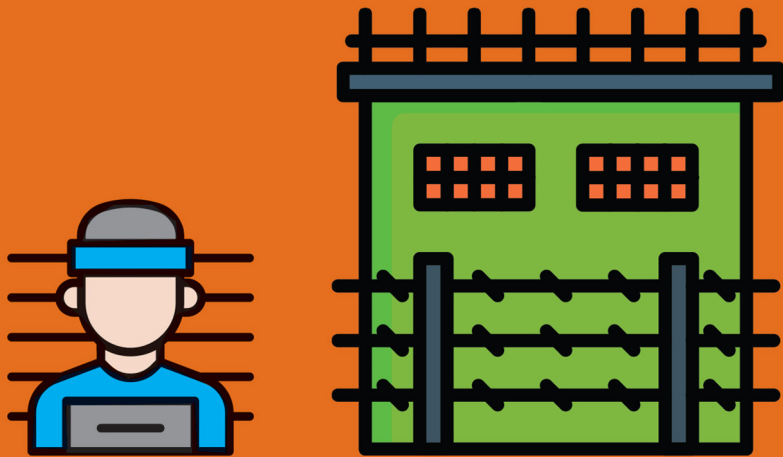


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Prisons

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Public Transport

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Recycling

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Regional Matters

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Rubbish Collection

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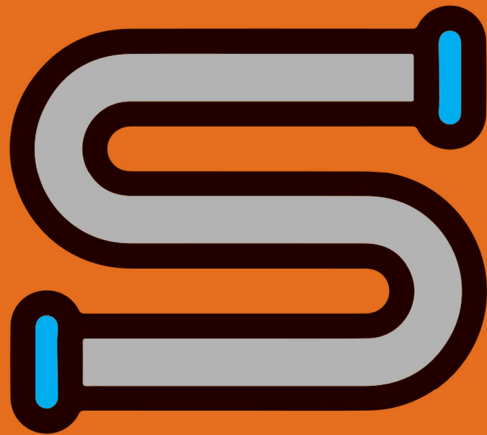


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Sewerage

Parliament of South Australia

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Statistics

Parliament of South Australia

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Street Lighting

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Tax

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Town Planning

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Water Supply

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