

QUIZ QUESTIONS



THE PARLIAMENTARY PROCESS

1. What are the four main functions of Parliament?
2. Who are the two leaders in the House of Representatives?
3. What does Parliament do when it is 'sitting'?
4. What is the role of the Serjeant-at-Arms?
5. What is the MACE?
6. What is a coalition party - and why do they exist?
7. What is the House of Representatives also known as?
8. What is the Senate also known as?
9. How many members make up the House of Representatives and how long do they hold their seat?
10. How many electorates are there in Australia?
11. Approx how many citizens do each of the House of Representatives members represent in parliament?

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12. What is the Cabinet?
13. Who are the Ministers and how are they granted their role?
14. Who are Shadow Ministers?
15. Name 4 main Australian political parties
16. How is the Prime Minister elected to office?
17. When does Parliament usually meet?
18. What is a bill?
19. When does a bill become an Act of Parliament?
20. Who are Senators?
21. What are frontbenchers and backbenchers?
22. What does it mean when someone 'crosses the floor'?
23. What happens in Question Time?
24. What is Hansard?
25. How can a citizen petition solve an issue?