

CIVICS AND CITIZENSHIP

GLOSSARY TERMS

Match the term with the correct definition

COMPULSORY	a way of governing where the people have a say in how things are run
DEMOCRACY	a special event where people vote to choose their representatives
ELECTION	a way of voting where you write your choice down privately
ELECTOR	something that you must do
FREEDOM	It's how you make your voice heard in a democracy.
GOVERNMENT	a person who is allowed to vote in an election
HUMAN RIGHTS	a way of voting where you rank your choices in order of preference
PARLIAMENT	important beliefs and ideas that guide how people behave and make decisions
PREFERENTIAL VOTING	someone who is chosen to speak or make decisions on behalf of a group of people
REPRESENTATIVE	having the ability to make choices and express yourself without unfair restrictions
RULE OF LAW	everyone must follow the law, no matter who they are
SECRET BALLOT	basic rights and freedoms that everyone should have
VALUES	the group of people who make decisions for the state
VOTING	elected representatives meet to discuss and make laws