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What Is a Government? - Vocab Cards

community]>

a group of people who live in the same area and/or share common characteristics or interests.

My _community_ has thrown a Fourth of July party every summer since I was born, so I know everyone there.

Synonyms: group, society



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fair]>

when you treat everyone the same and make the right decisions.

The teacher was _fair_. She always listened to what the students were thinking before she made a decision.

Synonyms: just

Antonyms: unfair



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government]>

the group of people responsible for making decisions for a city, state, country, etc.

We petitioned the _government_ to improve the subway system. We knew it would really benefit the city!

Synonyms: administration, authority, management



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law]>

a rule or system of rules usually made by a government.

The union fought for years to make small changes to state labor _laws_.



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right]>

something a person is allowed or should be allowed to have or do.

The right to free speech gives US citizens the ability to express their beliefs and opinions.

Synonyms: power, privilege, freedom



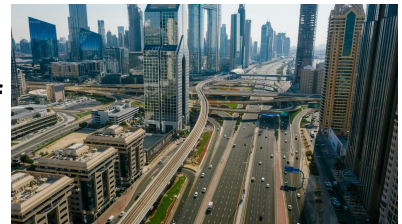
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service]>

things usually provided by the government to help meet the needs of citizens, like schools, hospitals, and public transportation.

The government provided services, like libraries and postal offices for everyone to use.



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