

LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT

**This assignment is a constructed response graded for accuracy (see rubric below)

Directions: Answer the following questions with at least one specific example. You may choose your examples from:

- the speakers we heard
- the websites you visited
- the preamble
- your parent interviews

Write in complete sentences, include details, and be sure you are accurate.

- 1) What is **local** government?
What kinds of things does it do?

- 2) What is **state** government?
What kinds of things does it do?

- 3) What is **federal** government?
What kinds of things does it do?

| <i>Informative Response</i> | Below, Near, Meets, Exceeds | | |
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| | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 |
| Organization/Clarity: clear topic sentence, logical organization | 0 1 2 * | 0 1 2 * | 0 1 2 * |
| Specifics: , evidence cited is specific and detailed | 0 1 2 * | 0 1 2 * | 0 1 2 * |

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| Content: evidence is accurate | 0 1 2 * | 0 1 2 * | 0 1 2 * |
| Conventions: punctuation/spelling rules followed; school formal | 0 1 2 | | |
| total | /20 | | |