

## ACTIVITY 2.3: What does government have to do with me?

How does government influence my life? Which level of government has the most impact in my life?

### ASSIGNMENT:

For each level of government, identify three issues or areas of responsibility and explain how it relates to the activities in your life.

- Select a relevant article or picture to represent each issue or area of responsibility. You can take your own pictures or find a current article or social media story that shows how the issue is affecting your life. You should have a total of nine pictures, articles or posts.
- For each picture, article or post, write a caption to identify which level of government is involved.
- In one or two more sentences, explain the impact of the issue or area of responsibility on your life. Use "I" statements to personalize your captions.
- Write an overall concluding statement to answer the following question: Which level of government has the most impact in my life, and why?

### EVALUATION CHECKBRIC

**1**  
= limited

**2**  
= somewhat

**3**  
= correct

**4**  
= exceeds expectations

Correctly identifies the level of government and area of responsibility.

**1**

**2**

**3**

**4**

Selects a relevant picture or news story to represent the issue.

**1**

**2**

**3**

**4**

Explains the impact that each level of government has on their lives.

**1**

**2**

**3**

**4**