

Class 11 ,

Political Science

Chapter 7

Very Short Answer Type Questions

Questions 1.

What do you mean by local government?

Answer:

The local government gives a strength to the democratic setup in a country to ensure participation of local people at the level of villages and towns.

Questions 2.

Name the Viceroy who created the local bodies in British India.

Answer:

Lord Ripon (1882).

Questions 3.

Name the states to have local government during 1960s and 1970s.

Answer:

Maharashtra, Gujarat, Andhra Pradesh and Rajasthan.

Questions 4.

Mention the sources of income of local bodies.

Answer:

- Different taxes.
- Income for passing the building plans of citizens.
- Grants from state government.
- Income from entertainment taxes imposed on fares, circus, etc.

Questions 5.

Name the main local self governing bodies.

Answer:

- Gram Panchayat to function in villages.
- Municipal committees in small towns.
- Municipal corporation in big cities