

Local Government 101: Decisions In Your Daily Life

OBJECTIVES

Participants will:

- Learn about how activities in our daily lives are subject to local government decisions
- Identify areas in daily life where we can take action

AUDIENCE

- Age: Young adult learners (including High School students) or adult learners
- Political knowledge: No prior knowledge necessary
- Language: Beginner-intermediate English

MATERIALS

- “Draw A Typical Day” worksheet
- A Kid's Guide to Local Government e-book

INSTRUCTIONS



Step 1

Using the “Draw A Typical Day” worksheet, draw the journey that you take on a typical day. This may include your journey to school, to work, to a friend’s house, etc.



Step 2

Using the kid's guide, identify where and how your local government has a role to play in your typical day. You may choose to group them broadly, or identify specific initiatives such as those identified on the fact sheets.

Whistler's Local Government Awareness Series:

<https://www.whistler.ca/municipal-gov/council/local-government-awareness-week>

Content adapted from The City of Vancouver Civics Toolbox designed for interested individuals, groups, and organizations wanting to know more about their city, and how to get involved.