

# GOVERNMENT TYPES

Local Government		State Government		Federal Government	
<b>Mayor</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Executive Branch</p> <p>Oversees city laws and ordinances</p>	<b>Governor</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Executive Branch</p> <p>Responsible for the enforcement of laws</p> <p>May veto bills</p> <p>Commander in Chief</p>	<b>President</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Executive Branch</p> <p>May veto bills</p> <p>Commander in Chief</p> <p>Elected to a 4-year term, no more than 2 terms (8 years)</p>
<b>Council Member</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Legislative Branch</p> <p>Passes local taxes</p> <p>Creates laws and ordinances</p>	<b>Senator</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Legislative Branch</p> <p>Term set by each state</p> <p>Creates laws</p> <p>Passes taxes</p>	<b>Senator</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Legislative Branch</p> <p>Serves 6 years</p> <p>Creates laws</p> <p>Passes taxes</p>
<b>School Board</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Legislative Branch</p> <p>Provide local, citizen governance and oversight of education</p>	<b>Representative</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Legislative Branch</p> <p>Term set by each state</p> <p>Creates laws</p> <p>Passes taxes</p>	<b>Representative</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Legislative Branch</p> <p>Serves 2 years</p> <p>Creates laws</p> <p>Passes taxes</p>
<b>Judges</b>	<p>Elected by the people</p> <p>Judicial Branch</p> <p>Jurisdiction of all criminal and civil matters</p>	<b>State Judges</b>	<p>Elected by the people OR Appointment for a given number of years OR Appointment for life</p> <p>Judicial Branch</p> <p>Jurisdiction for all civil and criminal matters</p>	<b>Supreme Court Justices</b>	<p>Nominated by the President of the United States and approved by the United States Senate</p> <p>Judicial Branch</p> <p>Lifetime appointment</p> <p>Jurisdiction for all civil and criminal matters</p>