ALASKA UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT · UNIT 2 · 25 QUESTIONS

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How many members serve in the United States House of Representatives?



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2 **Members of the House of Representatives serve terms of**

A 2 years

B 4 years

C 6 years

D 8 years

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3 **Each state elects how many United States senators?**

ANSWER _____

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4 **United States senators serve terms of**

A 2 years

B 4 years

C 6 years

D life

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5 **The president of the Senate is the**



A Speaker of the House

B Senate majority leader

C Chief Justice

D Vice President of the United States

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6 **A bill becomes a law only after it is passed by both houses of Congress and**

- A approved by the Supreme Court
- B signed by the president
- C approved by every governor
- D voted on by the people

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7 **Congress can override a presidential veto with a vote of**

- A a simple majority in each house
- B three fourths in each house
- C unanimous consent
- D two thirds in each house

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8 **The House of Representatives has the sole power to**

A try impeachments

B confirm Supreme Court justices

C bring charges of impeachment

D ratify treaties

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9 **The Senate has the sole power to**

A introduce revenue bills

B try impeachments

C elect the Speaker

D choose the president when no candidate wins a majority

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10 **The president serves a term of**

A 2 years

B 6 years

C 8 years

D 4 years

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11 **The Twenty Second Amendment limits a president to**

A one term

B three terms

C four terms

D two terms

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12 **If the president dies in office, the next person to become president is the**

A Secretary of State

B Speaker of the House

C Vice President

D Chief Justice

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13 **The president may grant pardons for offenses against the**

A states only

B foreign nations only

C District of Columbia only

D United States

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14 **Federal judges serve during**

A good behavior, effectively for life

B four year terms

C six year terms

D terms set by the president

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15 **How many justices serve on the Supreme Court of the United States?**



ANSWER

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16 **The Electoral College has how many electors in total?**

A 435

B 535

C 538

D 550

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17 **A candidate needs how many electoral votes to win the presidency?**

ANSWER _____

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18 **Alaska has how many electoral votes?**



A 2

B 3

C 4

D 5

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19 **How many members serve in the Alaska House of Representatives?**

ANSWER _____

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20 **How many members serve in the Alaska Senate?**

A 10

B 20

C 30

D 40

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21 **Members of the Alaska House serve terms of**

A 2 years

B 4 years

C 6 years

D 1 year

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22 **The governor of Alaska serves a term of**

A 2 years

B 6 years

C 8 years

D 4 years

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23 **The governor of Alaska has the power of line item veto, which means the governor can**

A veto single items in an appropriations bill

B veto any court decision

C remove a legislator from office

D call a federal election

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24 **In Alaska, state elections for most state and federal offices now begin with a top four primary, in which the**



A top two candidates advance

B top four candidates advance to the general election

C winner takes office at once

D parties choose one candidate each

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In an Alaska general election using ranked choice voting, if no candidate wins a majority of first choice votes, then

A the candidate with the most first choice votes wins

B the legislature chooses the winner

C the last place candidate is eliminated and those ballots are counted for the next choice

D a new election is held the next day

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ANSWER KEY

1. 435
2. A
3. 2
4. C
5. D
6. B
7. D
8. C
9. B
10. D
11. D
12. C
13. D
14. A
15. 9
16. C
17. 270
18. B
19. 40
20. B
21. A
22. D
23. A
24. B
25. C

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