Social Studies, Grade 4

Unit IV: Lesson A2 Bulletin Board: Three Branches of Government

Research and become acquainted with your state's legislature, governor, and courts.

Demonstrate your understanding of the three areas of state government by designing a bulletin board that you divide into three sections labeled, The Legislature, The Governor, and The Courts. Invite other students to assist you in bringing in pictures, news clippings, and stories to be included on the bulletin board. Analyze the materials and designate the section under which each item should be categorized. Write definitions for each of the three sections in your display.

After your bulletin board is completed, explain the three sections to classmates, answering any questions they may have regarding its contents.

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