

Grade- VII

SOCIAL SCIENCE

- 1) An MLA is a member of the Legislative Assembly. They are elected by the people of their constituency. The MLAs represent the people in their constituency in the Legislative Assembly.
- 2) Some MLAs become ministers when their party wins more than half the number of constituencies in a state and thus is in majority. The party which is in majority then makes a cabinet whose members are called ministers.
- 3) Decisions taken by the chief minister and other ministers should be debated in the Legislative Assembly because these decisions have to be approved by the members of the legislative assembly. The MLAs are collectively responsible for the work that the government does.
- 4) MLAs make and debate decisions in the assembly. The government departments implement the decisions made by the Legislative Assembly.
- 5) To provide healthcare for all, the government can provide appropriate facilities such as health centers, hospitals, laboratories for testing, ambulance services, blood banks etc. In addition to this, resources such as doctors, nurses, technicians as well as equipment need to be properly channeled.

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| Facility | Cost of services | Availability of services |
|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Private | High | Easily available |
| Public | Low | Available with difficulty |