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Ans. In common usage the word 'government' refers to government departments and various ministers who head them.

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Ans. All the MLAs who gather together (assemble) in the legislative assembly are called the Legislature.

Q3. What does coalition government mean?

Ans. At times, the ruling party may not be a single party but a group of parties working together. This is called a coalition.

Q4. Name some political parties of India.

Ans. The Indian National Congress, Bharatiya Janata Party, Nationalist Congress Party, Communist Party of India etc.

Q5. When did Telangana become an official state?

Ans. Telangana became the 29th State of India on the 2nd June 2014, after the reorganisation of the State of Andhra Pradesh.

Q6. What is the role of opposition parties in the government?

Ans. Opposition parties play the role of questioning government decisions and actions as well as raise new issues for consideration in the Assembly.