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**The Senate**

Use Chapter 10, Section 3 (pages 245-247) to answer the questions.

1. What is the nickname to the Senate?
2. Why do you think it is given this nickname?
3. How many senators for each state? So there are how many total?
4. How long are their terms?
5. What does a continuous body mean?
6. Why do we have 1/3 of all senators up for election every 2 years? In other words, why do we not have all senators up for reelection the same year?
7. What is one good thing about a longer term?
8. What is one bad thing about a longer term?
9. Why are Senators more likely than House members to be focused on the “big picture” of national interests?
10. What are 3 qualifications to be in the Senate?