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Socials - B.C. Election

Go to the website: <http://www.cbc.ca/canada/bcvotes2009/>

Click on the section called Know Your Electoral District.

Find the electoral district for the town of _____.

1. What is the name of our electoral district?
2. What date is the General Voting Day?
3. List the four candidates in our electoral district and their party affiliation.

Now click on Voter toolkit.

4. How old do you have to be to vote in this election?
5. How long do you have to be a resident of B.C. in order to vote in this election?
6. What is one other requirement to be eligible to vote in this election?
7. List the three main political parties running in this election and list their leaders.
8. Click on the section called Tag Clouds and choose 5 common words other than names that have been used by each of the three main parties.

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Click on the Other Parties Section

9. List 5 other political parties running in this election.

Click on the section called Past Election – BC Votes 2005

9. How many MLA's did the Liberal Party elect in the 2005 election?

10. How many MLA's did the NDP elect?

11. What percentage of the vote did the Green Party get?

12. Under the District Profiles in this section select Powell River-Sunshine Coast.
Who was elected in this electoral district in the last election and what party does he represent? What party came second? Third?

13. Find out the following information on the leaders of the 3 main political parties.

- a. A picture of each leader
- b. Underneath or beside their picture write how long they have been the leader, their experience related to being a political leader and two other facts about them.

14. For the four candidates running in our electoral district, find a picture of each candidate and write three facts about them.