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**WEBQUEST: Canadian Federal Political Parties**

Tip: This is a good time to use Wikipedia, but also check each party’s official website

1. The parties:

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| Main Political Party | Leader(s)  2011/2015/2019 | When/How was party established? | # seats  2006 | # seats  2008 | #seats  2011 | # seats  2015 |
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2. Name 4 or 5 other political parties that exist in Canada:

4. Name the 3 federal ridings (also called seats or constituencies) in Greater Victoria, the MPs (and party) currently elected in each:

5. Which of these ridings do you live in? Who are the candidates for the 2019 Election in this riding (name and party affiliation)?

6. Find out some details of the main political platforms or key ideas that are supported by the main parties:

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| PARTY | Economy (e.g. govt’s role) | Social Programs | Environment & Resources | International Role | Other (you choose topic) |
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7. With what you know about the Political Spectrum in Canada, place the names of the main political parties on a spectrum:

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