

## Parliaments of Different Countries

A parliament is a legislative, elected body of government. A modern parliament has three functions: representing the electorate, making laws, and overseeing the government. A legislative body is called as a Parliament, National Assembly, Congress, etc., by different countries. Some Islamic countries call their legislative bodies as Shora or Majlis. This article contains the list of all the countries and their legislative bodies. So, read the list and help yourself score better in exams.

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| Country             | Type                           | Name of house(s)                  |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Afghanistan         | National Assembly              | House of the People               |
|                     |                                | House of Elders                   |
| Albania             |                                | Parliament                        |
| Algeria             | Parliament                     | People's National Assembly        |
|                     |                                | Council of the Nation             |
| Andorra             |                                | General Council                   |
| Angola              |                                | National Assembly                 |
| Antigua and Barbuda | Parliament                     | House of Representatives          |
|                     |                                | Senate                            |
| Argentina           | National Congress of Argentina | Chamber of Deputies of the Nation |
|                     |                                | Senate of the Nation              |
| Armenia             |                                | National Assembly                 |
| Australia           | Parliament of Australia        | House of Representatives          |
|                     |                                | Senate                            |
| Austria             | Austrian Parliament            | National Council                  |
|                     |                                | Federal Council                   |

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|------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Azerbaijan             |                                    | National Assembly          |
| Bahamas, The           | Parliament                         | House of Assembly          |
|                        |                                    | Senate                     |
| Bahrain                | National Assembly                  | Council of Representatives |
|                        |                                    | Consultative Council       |
| Bangladesh             |                                    | National Parliament        |
| Barbados               | Parliament                         | House of Assembly          |
|                        |                                    | Senate                     |
| Belarus                | National Assembly                  | House of Representatives   |
|                        |                                    | Council of the Republic    |
| Belgium                | Federal Parliament                 | Chamber of Representatives |
|                        |                                    | Senate                     |
| Belize                 | National Assembly                  | House of Representatives   |
|                        |                                    | Senate                     |
| Bhutan                 | Parliament of Bhutan               | National Assembly          |
|                        |                                    | National Council           |
| Bolivia                | Plurinational Legislative Assembly | Chamber of Deputies        |
|                        |                                    | Chamber of Senators        |
| Bosnia and Herzegovina | Parliamentary Assembly             | House of Representatives   |
|                        |                                    | House of Peoples           |
| Botswana               | Parliament of Botswana             | National Assembly          |
| Brazil                 | National Congress                  | Chamber of Deputies        |
|                        |                                    | Federal Senate             |
| Brunei                 |                                    | Legislative Council        |
| Bulgaria               |                                    | National Assembly          |
| Burkina Faso           |                                    | National Assembly          |
| Burundi                | Parliament                         | National Assembly          |
|                        |                                    | Senate                     |

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| Cambodia                          | Parliament                       | National Assembly                   |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Cameroon                          | Parliament                       | National Assembly                   |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Canada                            | Parliament                       | House of Commons                    |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Cape Verde                        |                                  | National Assembly                   |
| Central African Republic          |                                  | National Assembly                   |
| Chad                              |                                  | National Assembly                   |
| Chile                             | National Congress                | Chamber of Deputies                 |
|                                   |                                  | Senate of the Republic              |
| People's Republic of China        |                                  | National People's Congress          |
| Colombia                          | Congress                         | Chamber of Representatives          |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Comoros                           |                                  | Assembly of the Union               |
| Congo, Democratic Republic of the | Parliament                       | National Assembly                   |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Congo, Republic of the            | Parliament                       | National Assembly                   |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Costa Rica                        |                                  | Legislative Assembly                |
| Croatia                           |                                  | Croatian Assembly                   |
| Cuba                              |                                  | National Assembly of People's Power |
| Cyprus                            |                                  | House of Representatives            |
| Czech Republic                    | Parliament of the Czech Republic | Chamber of Deputies                 |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Denmark                           |                                  | Parliament                          |
| Djibouti                          |                                  | National Assembly                   |
| Dominica                          |                                  | House of Assembly                   |
| Dominican Republic                | National Congress                | Chamber of Deputies                 |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| East Timor                        |                                  | National Parliament                 |
| Ecuador                           |                                  | National Assembly                   |
| Egypt                             | Parliament                       | House of Representatives            |
| El Salvador                       |                                  | Legislative Assembly                |
| Equatorial Guinea                 | Parliament of Equatorial Guinea  | Chamber of Deputies                 |
|                                   |                                  | Senate                              |
| Eritrea                           |                                  | National Assembly                   |
| Estonia                           |                                  | State Assembly                      |

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| Ethiopia                       | Parliament                     | House of Peoples' Representatives   |
|                                |                                | House of Federation                 |
| Federated States of Micronesia |                                | Congress                            |
| Fiji                           |                                | Parliament                          |
| Finland                        |                                | Parliament                          |
| France                         | Parliament                     | National Assembly                   |
|                                |                                | Senate                              |
| Gabon                          | Parliament                     | National Assembly                   |
|                                |                                | Senate                              |
| Gambia                         |                                | National Assembly                   |
| Georgia                        |                                | Parliament of Georgia               |
| Germany                        |                                | Federal Diet                        |
|                                |                                | Federal Council                     |
| Ghana                          |                                | Parliament                          |
| Greece                         |                                | Hellenic Parliament                 |
| Grenada                        | Parliament                     | House of Representatives            |
|                                |                                | Senate                              |
| Guatemala                      |                                | Congress of the Republic            |
| Guinea                         |                                | National Assembly                   |
| Guinea-Bissau                  |                                | National People's Assembly          |
| Guyana                         |                                | National Assembly                   |
| Haiti                          | National Assembly              | Chamber of Deputies                 |
|                                |                                | Senate                              |
| Honduras                       |                                | National Congress                   |
| Hungary                        |                                | National Assembly                   |
| Iceland                        |                                | Assembly of All                     |
| India                          | Parliament                     | House of the People                 |
|                                |                                | Council of States                   |
| Indonesia                      | People's Consultative Assembly | People's Representative Council     |
|                                |                                | Regional Representative Council     |
| Iran                           |                                | Islamic Consultative Assembly       |
| Iraq                           |                                | Council of Representatives of Iraq  |
| Ireland                        | Parliament                     | House of Representatives of Ireland |
|                                |                                | Senate of Ireland                   |
| Israel                         |                                | Assembly                            |
| Italy                          | Parliament                     | Chamber of Deputies                 |

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|                        |                         | Senate of the Republic           |
| Ivory Coast            | Parliament              | National Assembly                |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
|                        |                         |                                  |
| Jamaica                | Parliament              | House of Representatives         |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Japan                  | Diet                    | House of Representatives         |
|                        |                         | House of Councillors             |
| Jordan                 | Parliament              | Assembly of Deputies             |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Kazakhstan             | Parliament              | Assembly                         |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Kenya                  | Parliament              | National Assembly                |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Kiribati               |                         | House of Assembly                |
| Korea, North           |                         | Supreme People's Assembly        |
| Korea, South           |                         | National Assembly                |
| Kuwait                 |                         | National Assembly                |
| Kyrgyzstan             |                         | Supreme Council                  |
| Laos                   |                         | National Assembly                |
| Latvia                 |                         | Parliament                       |
| Lebanon                | Parliament              | Chamber of Deputies              |
| Lesotho                | Parliament              | National Assembly                |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Liberia                | Legislature             | House of Representatives         |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Libya                  |                         | House of Representatives         |
| Liechtenstein          |                         | Diet                             |
| Lithuania              |                         | Parliament                       |
| Luxembourg             |                         | Chamber of Deputies <sup>1</sup> |
| Macedonia, Republic of |                         | Assembly                         |
| Madagascar             | Parliament <sup>1</sup> | National Assembly                |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Malawi                 |                         | National Assembly                |
| Malaysia               | Parliament              | House of Representatives         |
|                        |                         | Senate                           |
| Maldives               |                         | Assembly                         |
| Mali                   |                         | National Assembly                |
| Malta                  |                         | House of Representatives         |
| Marshall Islands       |                         | Legislature                      |

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| Mauritania         | Parliament             | National Assembly                     |
| Mauritius          |                        | National Assembly                     |
| Mexico             | Congress of the Union  | Chamber of Deputies                   |
|                    |                        | Chamber of Senators                   |
| Moldova            |                        | Parliament                            |
| Monaco             |                        | National Council                      |
| Mongolia           |                        | State Great Assembly                  |
| Montenegro         |                        | Assembly                              |
| Morocco            | Parliament             | House of Representatives              |
|                    |                        | House of Councillors                  |
| Mozambique         |                        | Assembly of the Republic              |
| Myanmar(Burma)     | Assembly of the Union  | House of Representatives              |
|                    |                        | House of Nationalities                |
| Namibia            | Parliament             | National Assembly                     |
|                    |                        | National Council                      |
| Nauru              |                        | Parliament                            |
| Nepal              |                        | Parliament                            |
| Netherlands        | States General         | House of Representatives              |
|                    |                        | Senate                                |
| New Zealand        | Parliament             | House of Representatives              |
| Nicaragua          |                        | National Assembly                     |
| Niger              |                        | National Assembly                     |
| Nigeria            | National Assembly      | House of Representatives              |
|                    |                        | Senate                                |
| Norway             |                        | Great Assembly                        |
| Oman               | Council of Oman        | <i>Consultative Assembly</i>          |
|                    |                        | <i>Assembly of State</i> <sup>l</sup> |
| Pakistan           | Parliament of Pakistan | National Assembly                     |
|                    |                        | Senate                                |
| Palau              | National Congress      | House of Delegates                    |
|                    |                        | Senate                                |
| State of Palestine |                        | Legislative Council                   |
| Panama             |                        | National Assembly                     |
| Papua New Guinea   |                        | National Parliament                   |
| Paraguay           | Congress               | Chamber of Deputies                   |
|                    |                        | Chamber of Senators                   |
| Peru               |                        | Congress of the Republic              |
| Philippines        | Congress               | House of Representatives              |
|                    |                        | Senate                                |

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| Poland                           | Parliament of Poland<br>National Assembly | Sejm                          |
|                                  |   | Senate                        |
| Portugal                         |   | Assembly of the Republic      |
| Qatar                            |   | <i>Consultative Assembly</i>  |
| Romania                          | Parliament                                | Chamber of Deputies           |
|                                  |   | Senate                        |
| Russia                           | Federal Assembly                          | State Duma                    |
|                                  |   | Federation Council            |
| Rwanda                           | Parliament                                | Chamber of Deputies           |
|                                  |   | Senate                        |
| Saint Kitts and Nevis            |   | National Assembly             |
| Saint Lucia                      | Parliament                                | House of Assembly             |
|                                  |   | Senate                        |
| Saint Vincent and the Grenadines |   | House of Assembly             |
| Samoa                            |   | Legislative Assembly          |
| San Marino                       |   | Grand and General Council     |
| São Tomé and Príncipe            |   | National Assembly             |
| Senegal                          | Parliament                                | National Assembly             |
| Serbia                           |   | National Assembly             |
| Seychelles                       |   | National Assembly             |
| Sierra Leone                     |   | Parliament                    |
| Singapore                        |   | Parliament                    |
| Slovakia                         |   | National Council              |
| Slovenia                         | Parliament                                | National Assembly             |
|                                  |   | National Council              |
| Solomon Islands                  |   | National Parliament           |
| Somalia                          | Federal Parliament                        | House of the People           |
|                                  |   | Senate                        |
| South Africa                     | Parliament                                | National Assembly             |
|                                  |   | National Council of Provinces |
| South Sudan                      | National Legislature                      | National Legislature Assembly |
|                                  |   | Council of States             |
| Spain                            | General Courts                            | Congress of Deputies          |
|                                  |   | Senate                        |
| Sri Lanka                        |   | Parliament                    |
| Sudan                            | National Legislature                      | National Assembly             |
|                                  |   | Council of States             |
| Suriname                         |   | National Assembly             |

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| Swaziland            | Parliament        | House of Assembly                             |
|                      |                   | Senate  |
| Sweden               |                   | The Riksdag                                   |
| Syria                |                   | People's Assembly                             |
| Switzerland          | Federal Assembly  | National Council                              |
|                      |                   | Council of States                             |
| Tajikistan           | Supreme Assembly  | Assembly of Representatives                   |
|                      |                   | National Assembly                             |
| Tanzania             |                   | National Assembly                             |
| Thailand             | National Assembly | National Legislative Assembly                 |
| Togo                 |                   | National Assembly                             |
| Tonga                |                   | Legislative Assembly                          |
| Trinidad and Tobago  | Parliament        | House of Representatives                      |
|                      |                   | Senate  |
| Tunisia              |                   | Assembly of the Representatives of the People |
| Turkey               |                   | Grand National Assembly of Turkey             |
| Turkmenistan         |                   | Assembly                                      |
| Tuvalu               |                   | Parliament                                    |
| Uganda               |                   | Parliament                                    |
| Ukraine              |                   | Supreme Council                               |
| United Arab Emirates |                   | Federal National Assembly                     |
| United Kingdom       | Parliament        | House of Commons                              |
|                      |                   | House of Lords                                |
| United States        | Congress          | House of Representatives                      |
|                      |                   | Senate  |
| Uruguay              | General Assembly  | Chamber of Representatives                    |
|                      |                   | Chamber of Senators                           |
| Uzbekistan           | Supreme Assembly  | Legislative Chamber                           |
|                      |                   | Senate  |
| Vanuatu              |                   | Parliament                                    |
| Vatican City         |                   | Pontifical Commission                         |
| Venezuela            |                   | National Assembly                             |
| Vietnam              |                   | National Assembly                             |
| Yemen                |                   | House of Representatives                      |
| Zambia               |                   | National Assembly                             |
| Zimbabwe             | Parliament        | House of Assembly                             |
|                      |                   | Senate  |



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