

Ch 5 Sec 2

1) Congress is purposely organized a certain way to help _____ the workload.

- increase
- decrease
- divide

2) Which of the following doesn't go with a congressional term?

- starts on Jan 3
- a term begins every odd-numbered year
- a term lasts for two years
- starts on Nov 3

3) How many "sessions" occur per year?

- one
- two
- three
- four

4) When would a "special session" be called?

- to approve a new Vice-President
- when a new political party is formed
- under usual circumstances
- only in times of peace

5) The State of the Union address would result in a " _____ " session being called.

- divided
- single
- joint
- presidential

6) Party leaders within each house choose their leaders in _____.

- caucuses
- committees
- private meetings
- both a and c

7) The political party that has the most members in each house is known as the _____ party.

- congressional
- minority
- third
- majority

8) Which of the following doesn't go with Senate leadership?

- the Vice-President is the leader of the Senate
- the most experienced minority leader of the Senate fills in for the Vice-President when needed
- the president pro tempore is the Vice-President's substitute