

# Canadian Citizenship Study Questions & Answers For the City of New Westminster

Current as of February 18, 2023

Who is the Head of State for Canada?

**King Charles III**

What is the name of the Governor General of Canada?

**Mary Simon**

## Federal Politics

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Name the federal political parties represented in the House of Commons and name their Leaders.

<b>Liberal Party</b>	<b>Justin Trudeau</b>
<b>Conservative Party</b>	<b>Pierre Poilievre</b>
<b>Bloc Québécois</b>	<b>Yves-Francois Blanchet</b>
<b>New Democratic Party</b>	<b>Jagmeet Singh</b>
<b>Green Party</b>	<b>Elizabeth May</b>

Which federal political party is in power?

**The Liberal Party is in power federally.**

What is the name of the Prime Minister of Canada and his/her party?

**Justin Trudeau of the Liberal Party is the Prime Minister of Canada.**

Which party is the Official Opposition at the federal level?

**The Conservative Party is the Official Opposition at the federal level.**

Name the federal electoral district in New Westminster, British Columbia.

**New Westminster is in the New Westminster-Burnaby electoral district.**

Name the Members of Parliament for New Westminster and the parties they belong to.

**The Member of Parliament (MP) for New Westminster-Burnaby is Peter Julian of the New Democratic Party (NDP)**

Find out who your MP is by entering your postal code on the Our Commons website:

<https://www.ourcommons.ca/Members/en/search>

## Provincial Politics

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What is the name of the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia?

**The Honourable Janet Austin is the Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia**

Which political party is in power in British Columbia?

**The New Democratic Party of British Columbia is in power in B.C.**

What is the name of the Premier of British Columbia?

**David Eby (New Democratic Party) is the Premier of B.C.**

What is the name of the leader of the opposition in British Columbia?

**Kevin Falcon (BC Liberals) is the Leader of the Opposition in B.C.**

Who is the leader of the Provincial Green Party?

**Sonia Furstenau**

Name the Members of the Legislative Assembly (MLA) for New Westminister?

**Jennifer Whiteside (NDP) is the MLA for New Westminister.**

Find who your MLA is by entering your postal code on the Members of the Legislative Assembly website <https://www.leg.bc.ca/learn-about-us/members>

## Municipal Politics

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Who is the Mayor of your municipality - New Westminister, British Columbia?

**Mayor Patrick Johnstone**

Name the city councillors for New Westminister?

**There are six New Westminister Councillors:**

**Ruby Campbell**

**Daniel Fontaine**

**Jaimie McEvoy**

**Nadine Nakagawa**

**Tasha Henderson**

**Paul Minhas**

**The Voting age in Federal, Provincial and Municipal Elections is 18 years or older.**