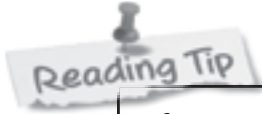




GUIDED READING ACTIVITY 6-4

How a Bill Becomes a Law



If you come across an unfamiliar word as you read, continue to read to the end of the sentence or paragraph. Try to determine the word's meaning from the context.

Directions: Answer the questions below in the space provided. Use the information in your textbook to answer the questions.

1. Explaining What happens to a bill after it has been introduced by a member of Congress?

2. Describing In what five ways can a standing committee treat a bill?

3. Explaining How does the Rules Committee control legislation in the House?

4. Describing What happens to a bill after it passes in one house?

5. Specifying What is the purpose of a conference committee?

6. Explaining What is the difference between a veto and a pocket veto?

7. Describing How can Congress overturn a veto?
