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| Class Notes / PowerPoint Presentation / Textbook Notes  Mr. Kay’s  American Government Class  Name:  Class:  Period:  Date:  Chapter 10 Section 3: | |
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| *Questions/Main Ideas:* |  |
| *Objectives* | * Compare the size of the Senate to the size of the House of Representatives. * Describe how senators are elected. * Explain how and why a senator’s term differs from a representative’s term. * Describe the qualifications for election to the Senate. |
| Key Terms/People |  |
| • **continuous body:** | * a political body in which all of the seats are never up for election at the same time |
| **• constituency:** | * the people and interests represented by a politician |
| **Introduction** | * How does the Senate differ from the House?   + The Senate has only **100 members**, two from each state.   Members are elected to **six-year terms**.   * + Senators must be at least **30 years old**, have been a **U.S. citizen** for at least nine years, and **reside in the state** they represent.   + Senators are often seen as less subject to public pressure and more concerned about national issues than members of the House. |
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| Review  Summary, Reflection, Analysis | * Now that you have learned how the Senate differs from the House, go back and answer the Chapter Essential Question.   Whose views should members of Congress represent when voting? |