

LEARNING RESOURCES ELECTIONS & U.S. GOVERNMENT

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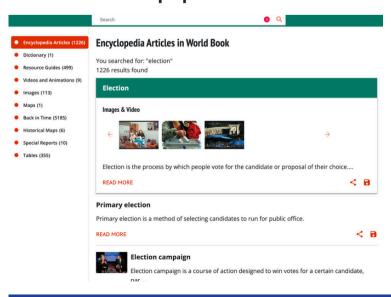
RESEARCH & LEARN

Kids can search relevant terms to learn about a variety of topics in age-appropriate environments. Look up key figures in **Important People** (*Kids*) or the **Biography Center** (*Student*).

ANALYZE & DISCUSS

- Start the discussion with an article from **Behind the Headlines** in Student. Build background knowledge with links to relevant concepts.
- Focus on global perspective with World Newspapers in Advanced.





THINK CRITICALLY

- Organize thoughts with graphic organizers found in *Student*.
- Multiple source types allow students to think critically about the electoral process over time: Back in Time Articles, historical maps, special reports, and primary sources.

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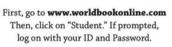
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Elections and Voting

I ever wanted to be the leader of your country? countries, you would need to be elected by your scitizens in order to have that power. Elections are ifferent times of the year all around the world. untries hold elections to choose the officials who esent them in the government. Use this webquest to re about the election process and voting.





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Vorld Book Advanced search tool to find the answers to the questions below. Since this activitions, it is recommended you start by searching the key word "election." Sometimes "hints" est other articles.

answers on the lines provided or below the question.

election is the process by which people _______ for the ______ of their choice.

at types of organizations hold nongovernmental elections?

TIMELINES

at system of governmental holds free, fair, and competitive elections?

Students can add events to existing timelines or start from scratch and create their own. Project idea: Create a timeline following the 2024 primary elections - use a different color to represent each party for a comparative study.



WEBQUESTS

Looking for a pre-created activity to kick off the unit? Try the Elections & Voting WebQuest found in *Student*, and *Advanced*.

Project Idea: Get inspired and have students create their own WebQuest on a civics topic to lead a classmate through relevant World Book content.



EBOOKS

Share a digital text. Our World Book original <u>Destination:</u>
<u>Pennsylvania Avenue</u> is a special volume that takes an in-depth look at the process behind electing someone to the highest office in the United States government.