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## 2020 GENERAL ELECTION ACTIVITY BOOKLET

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PREPARE, PRACTICE \& BECOME INFORMED

Prepare for the 2020 Kids Voting General Election by practicing to vote below! First, research and learn as much as you can about each candidate. Then select the ONE candidate below you would like to serve as the President of the United States of America for the next 4 years. Fill in the circle for the candidate you have selected. Know the facts and make an informed decision!

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Kids Voting USA Presidential Election President and Vice President


CONGRATULATIONS!
You are now prepared to vote in the Kids Voting USA
General Election!
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## KEEP TALKING

## THE CONSTITUTION \& VOTING

## ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES TO DO WITH YOUR FAMILY!

1 Sign up for a library card at your local library. You can check out books about past Presidents and learn the roles they have played in shaping history.

2 Watch the debates as a family and talk with your families about both sides of the issues.

3 Volunteer for a campaign.
4 Contact a candidate if you have questions.
5
Ask a family member to take you with them to the poll when they go to vote. Or, if they vote by mail, sit with them while they vote.

6 Watch the live election results on the day of the election and color in a map to keep track of the electoral college votes.

7 Watch the Presidential Inauguration Speech.


Participate in the 2020 Kids Voting General Election.
Visit KidsVotingUSA.org to learn more.

The Constitution and changes to the Constitution, called Amendments, is what provides Americans the right to vote.
Use the clues below (pictures) that represent the Constitution's impact on voting to complete the puzzle.


Why is voting important? $\qquad$

## WHAT IT TAKES TO BE PRESIDENT

## VOTING FOR CONGRESS

The Constitution of the United States provides the basic requirements to serve as the President.
Use the "Key to the Code" at the bottom of the page to match the letters to the numbers to find the answer and learn what it takes to be th President of the United States.

Country the President must be a natural born citizen of?

| 21 | 14 | 9 | 20 | 5 | 4 | 19 | 20 | 1 | 20 | 5 | 19 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Years required to live in the U.S. to become President?

| 6 | 15 | 21 | 18 | 20 | 5 | 5 | 14 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Age a person must be to become President?

| 20 | 8 | 9 | 18 | 20 | 25 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |${ }^{-}$| 6 | 9 | 22 | 5 |
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The one way the people choose the President?


What qualities do you think a President should have?

The United States Congress has two parts, the Senate and the House of Representatives. Every General Election, each state will also vote on at least one U.S. Senator or one U.S. Representative.
Unscramble the Words to Learn More!


SONGSCER $\qquad$
Two Parts
345
\# of U.S. Representatives/ Congressional Districts
S.U. EGMOTNENVR

Executive, Judicial \& Legislative Branch

## FAMILY CORNER

With your family, look up your U.S. Congressional District, U.S. Representative \& U.S. Senator.
What is your Congressional District? $\qquad$
Who is your Representative in Congress? $\qquad$
Who is your U.S. Senator? $\qquad$

## EVERY VOTE COUNTS

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It is very important to VOTE and one single vote can make all the difference. Laws are passed based on votes and a small number can make a big difference.
The faces below voted on a new law to decide whether all kids must now attend school online. One of the funny. faces is missing a vote, help him vote by writing in "YES" or "NO"! Then count all of the votes below!


With an adult, look up the address of your polling place online to make sure your family's vote counts this election!

Color in the symbols: $\Delta$ Red Blue


## FAMILY CORNER

To vote, you must be $\qquad$ years old.
How many more years until you can vote? $\qquad$
Is anyone in your home able to vote? $\qquad$
If yes, how long have they been able to vote? $\qquad$

## WAYS TO VOTE

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There are three ways to vote in an election:
1.Mail-in-Ballot;
2. Voting in person at a polling location (voting booth); or
3. Mailing in an absentee ballot.*

An example of someone who would need an absentee ballot is a citizen who lives oversees, like a soldier.


Is everyone in your family registered to vote? $\qquad$
If not, tell them to register today! And ask your family to take you with them the next time they go to vote.

The Electoral College, a chosen group of citizens, makes the final vote for President. Each state is assigned a certain number of votes based on the number of people who live in a state. There are a total of 538 electors and a Presidential Candidate must win 270 of these votes.

1) Find your state on this map and color it in.
2) Once you have figured out where your state is located, find out how many Electoral College votes your state receives. 3) Research the Presidential Candidate the Electoral College voted for during the 2016 Election for your state.


## FAMILY CORNER

1.What state do you live in? $\qquad$
2. How many Electoral College Votes does your state receive? $\qquad$
3. Who did the Electoral College vote for during the 2016

Election? $\qquad$
4. Based on what you have learned about the Electoral College, how do you think they will vote during this election? $\qquad$

