

Why the Electoral College is Important

Test Your Knowledge: Answer the questions based on the video and information sheet, "Why the Electoral College is Important."

1. Which document enshrines the Electoral College into US law?

- a) The Declaration of Independence
- b) The Constitution
- c) The Bill of Rights

2. How many electors are in the Electoral College?

- a) 538
- b) 270
- c) 50

3. The Electoral College is used to elect...

- a) The President
- b) Members of Congress
- c) Governors

4. Every state has the same number of electors.

True / False

5. A candidate needs at least 270 electoral votes to win the presidency.

True / False

6. What are three reasons to use the Electoral College system?

7. What are three reasons against using the Electoral College system?

