**Extend the Resources**

The 2020 Election: Part 1 - The Primary Season Begins

Below are a list of ideas and ways you might use the resources provided on this Classroom Law Project resource page to extend learning and civic engagement for your students:

***Start with Choice & Inquiry:***

Each of the sections on this Current Event Resource Page connect to this topic. There are maps and timelines, and discussion of how primaries and caucuses work, and the current contenders for President of the United States. There is an avenue into the topic that will reach any student’s interest. Give students the opportunity to choose a topic or connection of interest and start with that.

**Extensions with the Articles/Editorials:**

* News Analysis worksheets (handout on current event page)
* Further News Research (Research Tips handout on current event page)
* Annotated summaries of some of the articles provided
* Policy Proposals for how the primary season should best be conducted to help candidates for President compete fairly for the nomination.

**Extensions with the Maps & Timelines:**

There is a lot of data available, including Timelines and interactive maps about the 2020 presidential election season. Students could use Classroom Law Project’s Elections Materials to look at other elections issues including:

* Voter access and voter rights
* How Oregon’s voting differs from the rest of the country
* When is Oregon’s primary and does it give Oregonians enough of a voice?
* What other issues need to be considered by voters in a presidential election year besides the candidates running for election?