



EXTEND THE RESOURCES

Below is 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 connects to the various types of electoral systems, used in both the United States and in other democracies. There should be a topic on electoral systems, the various options, and their intentions that should reach any student's interest. Give students the opportunity to choose a case or topic centered within a case of interest and start with that.

Extensions:

- Have students engage students in a Socratic Seminar centered on which electoral system would yield the best results in your state's elections.
- Have students engage in a Structured Academic Controversy on the topic of adopting a new electoral system as a country.
- Hold elections with your students, about the same topic/subject matter, but hold those elections in a variety of electoral systems. Then have students debrief what they observed, especially the changes to the outcomes and what those changes may mean for the stakeholders involved.