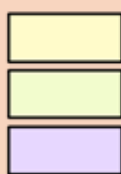




# General Election Dictionary



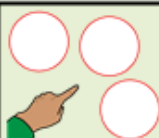
Word  
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Phrase



Definition



vote



Making and indicating a choice.



election



A time when people choose a candidate to represent them in politics.



candidate



The person nominated for people to vote for them based on their ideas or political party..



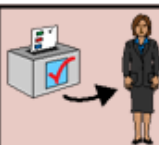
Parliament



The place where the government make and debate decisions.



MP



A person elected in a General Election.



campaign



Candidates meet with people to encourage them to vote for the candidate by sharing their ideas and what they hope to do in Parliament.



manifesto



A written statement where a political party share their ideas and aims.



constituency



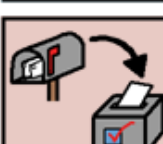
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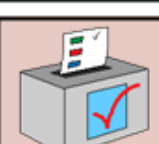
Proxy vote



If a voter cannot attend the polling station, they can choose someone to vote for them.



postal vote



A postal voter, votes by mailing their vote in a pre-approved envelope.

