



Civic Conversation Organizer

Conversation Topic: Electoral College

Inquiry Question: Do we still need the Electoral College?

Before the Civic Conversation

My personal goal for this civic conversation is the following (circle your goal):

- To speak at least three times
- To refer to the text
- To ask a question

- To speak out of uncertainty
- To build on others' comments
- Other _____

Our class goal for this civic conversation is the following (circle the class goal):

- Focus on ideas and values embedded in the text
- Invite everyone to share their ideas
- Remember that one person speaks at a time
- Keep an open mind
- Use each others' names
 - Other _____

During Civic Conversation

Use this space to record your ideas and wonderings as you listen to and participate in our civil dialogue.



After the Civic Conversation

Consider your experience with the civic-conversation activity we just completed. Rate yourself and our class on our success in accomplishing our goals using the following scale:

3 = Nailed It!	2 = Getting Th	ere	1 = A Goal for Next Time
Goals for Inquiry Learning	Your Rating	Your Reasoning	
My personal goal:	#	I gave this ranking because	
Our class goal:	#	I gave this ranking because	

What else do you think?

One positive outcome of today's civic conversation is...

One way to improve for our next civic conversation is to...

New ideas that my classmates and I now have include...

Things I still wonder about include...