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ELECTION TERMS: ELECTROCAL POLICY, CANDIDATE, VOTER AND CAMPAIGN

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DEFINITIONS



1. ELECTIONS



• An election is a formal group process by which a population chooses an individual to hold public office by accepting or rejecting a political proposition by voting.

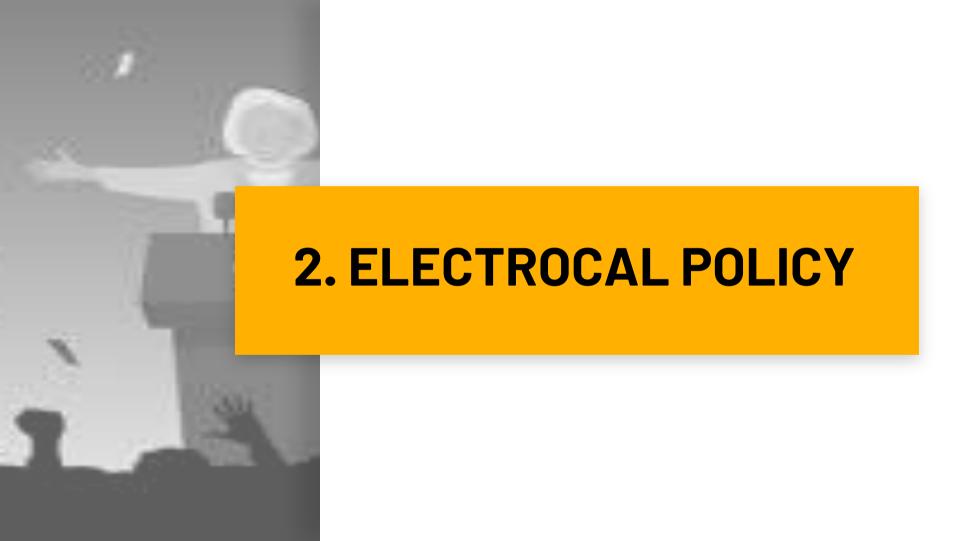
There are four types of elections:

- 1. General Elections are held to determine which political party, independent, or write-in candidate will occupy each office that is up for election.
- A voter may choose only one candidate per office.

- **2. Primary Elections:** for the political parties to select each party's nominee for the general election.
- In the primary, the voter must choose between the **Democrats** running against other or the one on which **Republicans**.
- The winner of this runoff election will be the party nominee.

3. Constitutional Amendment Elections: this types appears if a voter does not want to participate in one of the party primaries, he or she may vote on the amendments only.

- **4. Special Elections:** only held in extraordinary situations such as the necessity to fill a vacancy.
- Occurs during the term for which a person was elected.







- Also known as electoral system can refer to the method by which elections are conducted.
- Or the method by which votes are tallied to determine the outcome of an election.

VOTE

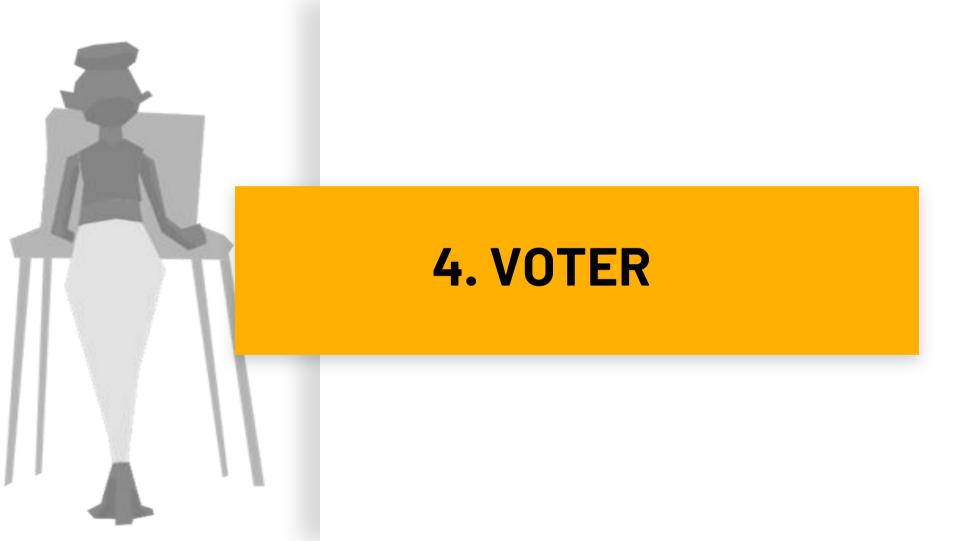






CANDIDATE

- One that aspires to or is nominated or qualified for an office, membership.
- Nomination is part of the process of selecting a candidate, this person is called a nominee.
- The act of being a candidate in a race for either a party nomination or for electoral office is called a candidacy.





WHO IS A VOTER?



- A person otherwise eligible to vote register or enroll on an electoral roll.
- Every citizen that has reached 18 years of age has the right to vote and be elected regardless of class, ethnic, racial.
- Conditions may vary from country to country.



5. CAMPAIGN

CAMPAIGN



- A political campaign is an organized effort which seeks to influence the decision making progress within a specific group.
- The campaign contains the ideas that the candidate wants to share with the voters.
- Campaigns keep the message broad in order to attract the most potential voters.



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