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| Presidential Election Process |

*General Election*

*a. When? (p.383)*

*b. Why are each of the following important for victory? TV Ads, Swing Voters, Battleground States, Debates. (p. 386-387)*

*National Conventions*

*a. When? (p.382)*

*b. What are the goals? (p 381-382)*

*c. What happens on the last 2 days?*

*Electoral College Votes*

*a. When? (p. 388)*

*b. How many votes do you need? (p. 389)*

*c. What are the pros/cons of the system? (p. 389-394)*

*Primaries/Caucuses*

*a. What is a primary? (p.378)*

*b. What is a caucus? (p. 381)*

*c. What is the key to advancing?*

*Fundraising (p. 382)*

*a. When?*

*b. What is the key to advancing?*

*Start the Race (p.382)*

*a. When?*

*b. What is the key to advancing?*

*Inauguration*

*In January, the president-elect takes the oath of office and officially becomes President of the U.S.*