

RATE THE CANDIDATES - DECISION-MAKING CHART






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Office: _____

Role: _____

(What will this official be responsible for doing?)

CANDIDATE:	 Hillary Clinton	 Donald Trump	 Gary Johnson
<u>BACKGROUND</u>			
Am I able to find good information about this candidate? Where? Why or why not? Does this tell you anything about the candidate?			
Education			
Experience			

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<u>POSITIONS ON ISSUES</u> Where does the candidate stand on policies and issues? (list some or all)			
First issue to tackle			
Issue 1:			
Issue 2:			
Issue 3:			
Other			

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<u>SPECIFIC ISSUES</u> Where does the candidate stand on policies and issues?			
Civil Rights			
Economy			
Education			
Environment			

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<u>SPECIFIC ISSUES</u> Where does the candidate stand on policies and issues?			
Firearms/2nd Amendment			
Foreign Relations			
Immigration			

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<u>SPECIFIC ISSUES</u> Where does the candidate stand on policies and issues?			
National Security			
Social Issues			
Taxes			

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TRAITS Rank candidate (1=worst/10=best)			
Experience/ education?			
Knows the issues?			
Ideas and solutions?			
Communication skills?			
Shows leadership?			
Works with others?			
Total score (add for each)			

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<p>Write other notes you think are important or want to remember about the candidate</p>			

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Candidate I will vote for: _____

Why I am voting for this candidate: _____

Now, make your voice heard! Visit www.GenerationNation.org or ask your teacher to find out how K-12 students can cast votes in the election.