

Crash Course U.S. Government - Day 58

1. What are the three main factors that influence how people vote?

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

2. What does **party loyalty** mean? _____

3. What do we mean when we say that there is **increasing polarization** between the political parties?

4. What are some characteristics of candidates that may cause voters to vote for or against them?

5. What is **retrospective** voting? _____

6. What is **prospective** voting? _____

Answers

1. party loyalty, issues involved, and characteristics of the candidates
2. that a person will vote for the candidate from their political party
3. the political parties are becoming more opposed to each other
4. answers may include gender, race, religion, ethnicity, appearance, geography, social class or background, honesty, energy, decisiveness
5. when a voter chooses a candidate based on past performance
6. when a voter chooses a candidate based on what they think they will do in the future