Assignment 1

1. What are the differences between a voter and a citizen? How do the rights and responsibilities of each differ?

2. What are the factors that contribute to voter turnout in elections? How do these factors vary across different demographics?

3. How does the U.S. electoral system differ from other democracies around the world? What are the strengths and weaknesses of each system?

4. What role does social media play in modern political campaigns? How effective is it in reaching and mobilizing voters?

5. What are some potential solutions to address issues of voter disenfranchisement and access in the electoral process?

6. Evaluate the impact of the Supreme Court's recent decisions on campaign finance reform. What are the implications of these decisions for the political landscape?

7. Analyze the role of money in political campaigns. How does it affect the democratic process and the representation of diverse voices?

8. How has the internet changed the way political campaigns are conducted? What are the challenges and opportunities presented by this shift?

9. Investigate the role of interest groups in shaping political outcomes. What strategies do they use to influence policy decisions?

10. Evaluate the effectiveness of various voter registration efforts. What methods have been most successful in increasing voter participation?

11. Discuss the importance of understanding the political landscape. How does this knowledge impact the decision-making process for voters and policymakers?