

Voter

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They'll leave the campaign signs up until November

Because this is our country, we make the rules

Federal elections are held: Tuesday after the first Monday in November

Popular Sovereignty - the people have power

And there's a mysterious craze as election day grows nearer
Is it a midterm election or has it been four years?





3 out of 5 Americans can't name the three branches of government

Will you go to the polls?

Will you learn what you need to know... about candidates and issues,

And take the time to be informed?

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Then we'll watch the election results in our living rooms

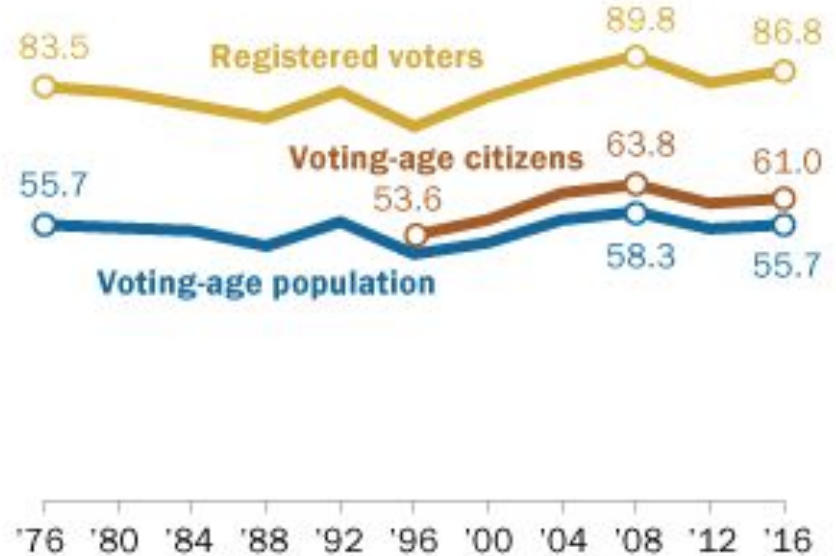
And see, this is our country, we make the call

But I'm highly suspicious of people who say they voted

It's usually only about 50%, but we need them all

Turnout in U.S. presidential elections

Votes cast as a share of ...



Source: Census Bureau (population estimates), House Clerk's office and Pew Research Center (vote totals).

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*Only about 1% of Americans
can name all 5 rights of the 1st
Amendment*

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Ladies and gentlemen, will you please stand

And see that the ballot's been placed in your hand

A power's been given you must understand as a... **voter**

Let's do it now for
the red, white and
blue

It could end well, but
it's all up to you

Swear to be over
prepared and be
true as a... **voter**



And you'll have a say about your country

Most places don't listen to people like you and me...

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Worst of the Worst—Freedom in the World 2018

Of the 49 countries designated *Not Free*, the following 12 have the worst aggregate scores. While they share a near-total lack of political rights and civil liberties, the defining features of these hostile environments vary considerably.





***Seek out multiple sources
and avoid highly partisan
news.***

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