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Choosing the President

Open-Ended Response Answer Key

1. Answers will vary. A student might say the Electoral College is fair because it protects small states or unfair because it doesn't always reflect the popular vote.
2. Answers will vary. A student might suggest using a direct popular vote or a different system.
3. Answers will vary. Some may argue that the system helps balance power, while others may think it is outdated.
4. Answers will vary. A student may say the debates led to a system that still affects elections today.

