

Preferential Voting Practice Ballot — Answers

Years 5–6 | Ages 8–13 with support | 20 minutes

Teacher / parent guide · Check reasoning as well as answers.

The child's ballot may use any ranking that includes 1, 2, 3 and 4 exactly once.

A: YES. B: NO (2 repeats and 3 is missing). C: NO (2 is missing and 5 is outside 1–4). D: YES.

Fix B or C by using each number from 1 to 4 once. There is no preferred activity.

These judgements use the printed classroom rule. They do not claim to cover every legal formality exception.

RUN THE ACTIVITY

Use every number from 1 to 4 once. The checks teach this activity rule, not every legal formality exception.

Allow pointing, oral answers or a partner scribe. Keep colour optional. Use fictional examples and invite explanations without asking about family voting choices.