

VotingLand

Objective: Learn how to vote and why voting is important for elementary students.

Ages: 4-12 Players: 2-6

Description: This is a colorful game where the importance and purpose of voting is explained and children will understand how to vote as adults. It involves engagement and learning as the players move through the map.

Directions: There is a pathway where you roll the dice and move the amount of spaces up. Where you land, there will be a challenge or question and you will have to either complete it or answer the question correctly. If you get it wrong, you move back to your original spot and if you get it right, you stay. You win by getting to the end where you get to vote before your opponents get to the end.

Examples of some challenges: look up how to vote (explain what you found to another opponent), look up your state representatives, take a political compass test online, look up why voting is important, look up what democrats stand for, look up what republicans stand for, look up where you can vote in your district, look up how many people voted last election season vs how many people there are...

Examples of some questions: Who is the current president? How long does the president stay in office? Where does the president live? How old do you have to be to vote? Who can vote? Why should you vote? How would you convince others to vote? What is one difference between democrats and republicans?...

Examples of other things on the board: move back two spaces, move forward three spaces, skip a turn, choose another player to lose a turn...

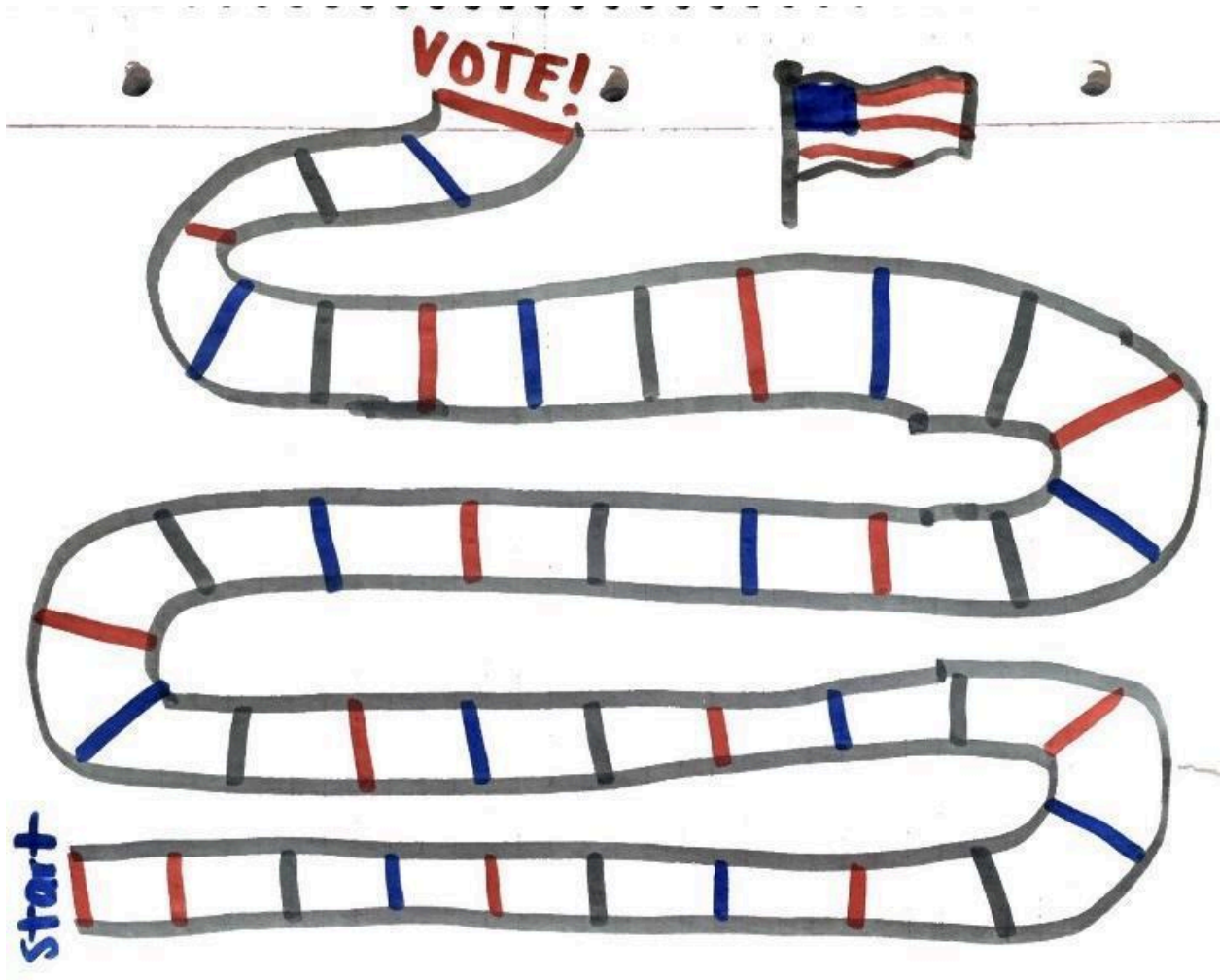
(Based off of *CandyLand*):



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