

Hands Up Vote

Students practice choosing as a group by voting and finding the most votes.

K.9.C "use voting as a method for group decision making."

NAME _____

DATE _____

Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 NAME IT _____

a	SHOUT	VOTE	PUSH
b	VOTE	GRAB	YELL
c	POINT	CALL	VOTE

2 MOST VOTES _____

a	● ●	● ● ● ● ●	● ● ●
b	● ● ● ● ● ●	●	● ● ● ●
c	● ● ●	● ● ● ●	● ● ● ● ● ● ●

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Begin with the brief hand vote in Part 1 so students experience that each person gets one vote. Then read every choice and vote count aloud while students mark the page.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 • NAME IT

SAY “First, our class will vote between clapping and tapping. When I say each choice, raise your hand one time for the choice you want, and we will count the hands. Then listen to each row and circle the word that names how we decided.”

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	A group wants to decide by voting. The words are SHOUT, VOTE, and PUSH. Which word names the method they should use? Circle it.	VOTE
b	A group wants to decide by voting. The words are VOTE, GRAB, and YELL. Which word names the method they should use? Circle it.	VOTE
c	A group wants to decide by voting. The words are POINT, CALL, and VOTE. Which word names the method they should use? Circle it.	VOTE

PART 2 • MOST VOTES

SAY “Each group of dots shows how many votes a choice received. I will name the choice for the left, middle, and right dots. Which dots show the choice with the most votes? Circle them.”

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	In this vote, the left dots are for READ, the middle dots are for DRAW, and the right dots are for SING. Which dots show the choice with the most votes? Circle them.	5 dots
b	In this vote, the left dots are for RED, the middle dots are for BLUE, and the right dots are for GREEN. Which dots show the choice with the most votes? Circle them.	6 dots
c	In this vote, the left dots are for BOOKS, the middle dots are for BLOCKS, and the right dots are for MUSIC. Which dots show the choice with the most votes? Circle them.	7 dots

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Part 1 answers are middle, left, and right. Part 2 answers are the 5-dot middle cell, the 6-dot left cell, and the 7-dot right cell.