**How Do We Select a President; The Electoral College Explained**

1. What is the difference between a **direct democracy** and a **representative democracy**?
2. Did the Father of the Constitution support using a majority to make decisions (like who should be president)?

Why or Why not? (explain)

1. What state has the 4th largest amount of Electors?
2. How many representatives do they have?
3. How many senators do they have?
4. How many electoral votes are needed to win the presidency?
5. **Where** do the electors actually vote?
6. Name one president who actually lost the popular vote:
7. Example vote:

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|  | **# of Stuents** | **# of electoral votes** | **Votes for Jimmy** | **Votes for Jane** | **Winner is \_\_\_**  **And gets \_\_\_ electoral votes** |
| Class 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Class 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Class 3 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Class 4 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Class 5 |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Totals** |  |  |  |  |  |