LINKING CITIZENS & GOVERNMENT

**VOTER TURNOUT**

**ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS:**

*1.) How has voter population changed over time?*

*2.) What factors affect voter turnout?*

**VOCABULARY/CONCEPTS:**

* **Mechanisms for Expansion of Suffrage:**
* **Political Efficacy:**
  + **Voter v. Nonvoter:**
* **Presidential v. Midterm Election:**
* **Straight Ticket:**
* **Split Ticket:**
* **Prospective Voting:**

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* **Retrospective Voting:**
* **Gender Gap:**

**SUMMARY of VOTER TURNOUT:**

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