

Breaking the cycle of voter apathy must be **intentional**. Children must see us **valuing** our **role and voice** in the political process so they can grow up valuing their own role and voice in the political process. Some might ask, “why should we be concerned with introducing the voting concept to children at such an early age?” The answer is simple – children begin to emulate behaviors of significant adults at an early age. Much of what children see, hear and observe they internalize and except as their own, (*More Is Caught Than Taught*). Exposing children to the voting process on a level they can understand increase our chances of ridding our communities of “voter apathy.”

Who Will Speak for the Children by The Children of Selma

Voting Is Your Responsibility

Soloist: Marcus Fuller

I'm just a little child you say
I don't know what's going on in the world today
But when I see the little children cry
I have to ask the reason why.

I would like to bring about a change
But I'm too young to play the voting game
Won't someone please hear my plea
And go to the polls and vote for me.

I'm crying mother, father take a stand
Vote for me until I can
Sister, brother take my hand
Vote for me until I can
Teacher, doctor, preacher man
Vote for me until I can

Voting is more than a right you see
Voting is your responsibility

Voting is more than a right you see
Voting is your responsibility to me.



Familiar Tunes

People Voting

Tune: Are You Sleeping

People Voting, People Voting
All Day Long, All Day Long,
People Are Voting, People Are Voting
All Day Long, All Day Long.

If You're Going To Vote Today Clap Your Hands

Tune: If You're Happy And You Know It Clap Your Hands

If You're Going To Vote Today Clap Your Hands
If You're Going To Vote Today Clap Your Hands
If You're Going To Vote Today
Clap Your Hands And Say Hooray,
If you're Going to Vote Today Clap your Hands.

November 3rd Is Election Day: Tune: London Bridge Is Falling Down

November 3rd is election day, election day, election day
November 3rd is election day so let's get ready.

Don't forget your voter ID, Voter ID, Voter ID
Don't forget your voter ID so let's get ready.

Vote For Me

Tune: Are You Sleeping

Vote for me, Vote for me
Mother please, Mother please.
Don't forget to vote, Don't forget to vote
Mother please, Mother please.

ABC's of Voting Vocabulary Words

E - Election	F - Flag	G - Government	H - Hope
I - Identification	J - Justice	L - Line	M - Majority
N - National	O - Oval Office	P - Poll	Representative
S - Senator	T - Term	U - United States	V - Vote

Cast Your Vote – Tune: London Bridge Is Falling Down

Cast your vote and drop it in
Drop it in, Drop it in
Cast your vote and drop it in
On this No-vem-ber 3rd.

Here We Go To The Voting Poll

Here we go round the mulberry bush
Here we go to the voting poll, voting poll, voting poll
Here we go to the voting poll, So early in the morning.

This is the way we cast our vote, cast our vote, cast our vote
This is the way we cast our vote so early in the morning.

Get Out And Vote For The Best Plan

Tune: Reach Out And Touch Somebody's Hand

Get out and vote, for the best plan
Make this world a better place if you can.
Get out and vote, for the best plan
Make this world a better place if you can.

1,2,3,4, 5 Voters

Tune: 1,2,3,4,5 I Caught A Fish Alive

1,2,3,4,5 Voters standing in the line,
6,7,8,9,10 The poll is closed again.

