

Assignment: Who would you vote for?

You've been introduced to the candidates in the upcoming mayoral race. Imagine you are 18 and are going to do your civic duty and vote for mayor in November. In this assignment you are going to decide on a candidate to support, and explain why you would vote for that candidate.

[7 marks total]

- 1) Pick a candidate that is running for mayor. The major candidates were given in class, but you are welcome to choose any candidate from: <http://app.toronto.ca/vote/campaign.do> (click on 'List all candidates') [1 mark]

- 2) In at least ½ page of writing, explain why you would vote for this candidate.
 - a. Mention **at least 2** of their campaign platforms (issues that the candidate supports/does not support). **Explain** why these are important to you. You can find this information on the candidates' websites, or in news articles. [4 marks]
 - b. Give a reason why you will **not** vote for at least one of the other candidates, based on their background experience or their campaign promises. [2 marks]

Note: you are free to also include personal reasons (my family is voting for them, I don't like the look of them,...) for why you made your decision.