



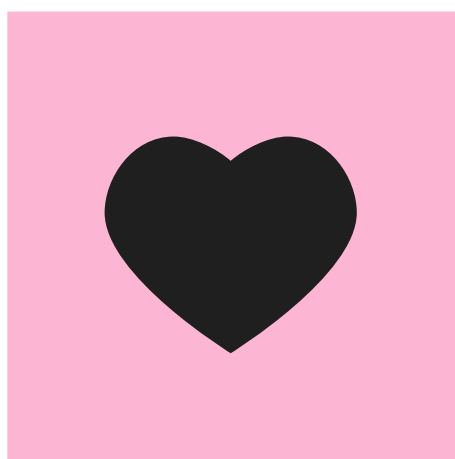
Says

What have we heard them say?  
What can we imagine them saying?



Thinks

What are their wants, needs, hopes, and dreams?  
What other thoughts might influence their behavior?



Feels

What are their fears, frustrations, and anxieties?  
What other feelings might influence their behavior?



Does

What behavior have we observed?  
What can we imagine them doing?



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Political Juggernauts: A Quantitative  
Analysis Of Candidates In The 2019  
Lok Sabha Elections

Delhi and Haryana  
have a high number of  
candidates contesting  
from parties that have  
not been recognised  
as either national or  
state parties.

The Bharatiya Janata  
Party and Congress  
are contesting 435  
and 420 seats  
respectively. In 373  
seats they are in  
competition with each  
other.

There are 8,039  
candidates  
contesting for 542  
Parliamentary  
constituency  
seats.

India seems to be  
witnessing the rise of a  
new political order, with  
a broad-based Hindu  
alliance driving the  
growth of the Bharatiya  
Janata Party

Narendra Modi is  
set to become the  
first non-Congress  
person to be India's  
Prime Minister for  
two consecutive  
five-year terms.

constituencies with high  
presence of scheduled  
castes and scheduled  
tribes (SCs/STs), the BJP  
is more popular than  
other parties, but in  
constituencies with high  
presence of Muslims, it is  
less popular.

Ashoka University scholar  
Sabyasachi Das's paper,  
'Democratic Backsliding in  
the World's Largest  
Democracy,' has led to  
conversations in some  
circles and outrage in  
others. But the rot is  
deeper.

Overall victory margins  
(across parties) has  
widened from 14  
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margins.

Electoral manipulation  
can take place at the  
stage of voter  
registration (registration  
manipulation) or at the  
time of voting or  
counting (turnout  
manipulation).

Lok Sabha Elections  
2019 Analysis of  
Criminal  
Background,  
Financial, Education,  
Gender and other  
details of Winners

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See an example