

Representation

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Think about the term “represent”. What does it mean to you? In which situations in life do we find ourselves represented?

Question I

Thinking broadly (i.e., not just in terms of politics), who best represents you (including people or groups)?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Question II

Thinking in this same way, who do you represent?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

Question III

Name three general categories where you need representation.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

What qualities compelled you to include them. Is there anything special about their (your) identity? In what ways does having representation make life better?

Some dictionary definitions of the term include:

- to substitute in some capacity for : act the part of, in place of, or for (as another person) usually by legal right: as
- to serve especially in a legislative body by delegated authority usually resulting from an election
- to provide legal representation to as a lawyer
- to act as the representative of in a class action
- to describe as having a specified character or quality