

CHAPTER
10
SECTION 3

SKILLS WORKSHEET

The Senate

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Decision Making

Chapter 10 Section 3 Core Worksheet provides information about four candidates for the U.S. Senate. Read the Core Worksheet. Then complete the steps below to help you decide which candidate you would choose.

1. What qualities would you want your senator to have?

2. What issues are important to you?

3. What more do you need to know about each candidate on the Core Worksheet?
Candidate A: _____
Candidate B: _____
Candidate C: _____
Candidate D: _____
4. Conduct research to learn more about each of these candidates, including where each of them stands on the issues that are important to you. Make notes on another sheet of paper. The four candidates are: Daniel Inouye (Candidate A); Elizabeth Dole (Candidate B); Barack Obama (Candidate C); Hillary Clinton (Candidate D).
5. Based on your research, list the strengths and weaknesses of each candidate.
Candidate A: _____

Candidate B: _____

Candidate C: _____

Candidate D: _____

6. If you could vote for any of these four candidates to serve as a senator from your State, which would you choose? Explain your choice.

