

Electoral Reform

In most lines, there is a word which is spelled incorrectly. In the spaces on the right, write the correct spelling or put a tick to show that the line is correct.

1. You rightly promote electoral reform as way of acheiving a more 1. ____
2. representitive government, but appear to overlook its possible role in solving 2. ____
3. another important problem with our democracy: voter apathy. 3. ____

4. Under the currant system, political parties concentrate their campaigning 4. ____
5. on marginal seats, where the result is unknown and may be effected 5. ____
6. by their efforts. Yet they seem surprized that many of the electorate 6. ____
7. in safe seats might similarly calculate that voting is a waist of precious time, 7. ____
8. since for most very little is affected by their efforts. 8. ____

9. The hole idea of tactical voting serves to point out the problems of our 9. ____
10. system. If voters are forced to vote against someone they do not want, 10. ____
11. rather than for who they want, something is clearly wrong. 11. ____
12. A form of proportional representation, preferably the single transferible 12. ____
13. vote, as used in the Irish Republic, would allow people a real choose 13. ____
14. not just between parties but also between individual candadates. 14. ____