



## THE 45<sup>th</sup> PRESIDENT *DISCUSSION*

**Directions:** The following questions will help guide a discussion after watching Episode 10 of *On the Campaign Trail*.

- 1. If you had to select individuals to fill cabinet positions, who would you choose to serve as the secretary of state, secretary of education, and secretary of defense? Justify your answers by explaining why each choice is qualified for the position.**
- 2. Why should the Senate confirm presidential appointees? What does this separation of powers prevent?**
- 3. Do you think it was a good idea to move the presidential inauguration date from March to January? Why or why not?**
- 4. If you had the opportunity to attend an inauguration, what would you be most interested to see and why?**
- 5. What would be the first issue you would choose to tackle if you were elected president of the United States? Why would this issue be important to you and what strategies would you use to address the problem?**