

2 VOCABULARY

- A**  ^{/ˈdɔːrɪs/} Doris Chavez and ^{/əˈmɪljə ˈsmɪθ/} Amelia Smith are running for mayor. Read their ads. Then answer the questions by checking the correct box(es) with a partner.

DORIS CHAVEZ for mayor!

*"We're **making progress** in many areas.
Why change now? **Reelect** Doris Chavez!"*

In her first **term**, Mayor Chavez:

- **launched** a new school lunch program for elementary school students.
- **taxed** large companies to raise extra money.
- **worked enthusiastically** to improve life for everyone—crime is down 30%.

*There is no better **candidate** than
Doris Chavez for mayor!*

AMELIA SMITH

for mayor! ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

*"No more politics **as usual**.
It's time for change in our city!
Vote for Amelia Smith!"*

Amelia Smith **vows**:

- to **expand** the school lunch program to include older students.
- not to **raise taxes** on **corporations**.
- to work hard for all **citizens** to keep our city streets safe.

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Amelia Smith is the **clear** choice for mayor!

	Doris	Amelia
1. Who is currently the mayor?	☐	☐
2. Who doesn't want to increase taxes?	☐	☐
3. Who is interested in the school lunch program?	☐	☐
4. Who mentions crime and safety?	☐	☐

- B** Look at the information in **A**. Write the word(s) in **blue** next to their definitions.

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| 1. doing (something) the same way: <u>as usual</u> | 7. promises: _____ |
| 2. eagerly, with great energy: _____ | 8. moving forward: _____ |
| 3. a fixed period of time: _____ | 9. obvious: _____ |
| 4. increase in size: _____ | 10. a person who is competing for a position: _____ |
| 5. large companies: _____ | 11. members of a city or country: _____ |
| 6. started: _____ | 12. made someone pay money to the government: _____ |