**What is a primary?  
A primary election is held by the political parties to select the nominees for the offices to be elected for a general or presidential election.**  In a primary, Republicans run against Republicans and Democrats run against other Democrats. And, of course, if other parties qualify to appear on the primary ballot, their candidates run against each other as well. Texas has just the 2 major party elections for primaries. During a Primary voters may choose only one party to vote for. **Voters may indicate their party’s candidate or a candidate in general, in an upcoming general election.**