

Donald Trump

45th U.S. President 2017-2021

Republican

First Lady: Melania Trump

Question: Donald Trump is counted twice as the 45th and the 47th president of the United States because he was elected to serve two non-consecutive terms. Which president is counted as both the 22nd and 24th president of the United States?

Research essays or journal topics:

- (1) A president of the United States has the power to *pardon* individuals for federal offensives. President Trump made a controversial decision to pardon or commute the sentences of approximately 1,500 rioters guilty of breaching the Capitol on Jan. 6, 2021. While many people were only guilty of trespassing, others were convicted of vandalism and, more seriously, of assaulting police officers. Write an essay about the Jan. 6 attack on the Capitol. Explain what led up to the attack, what happened during and after the attack, and why you do or do not agree with President Trump's decision to pardon the individuals involved.
- (2) Another item on President Trump's agenda is to secure the border and to crack down on immigration. At the time of this writing, the president is planning mass deportations. While most Americans would support the deportation of any criminals who are here illegally, polls show that many Americans do not favor deporting immigrants who are contributing members of our society. What is the latest news on the deportation plan and what is your position on these issues?
- (3) Donald Trump made campaign promises to lower grocery, gas, and energy prices. Most Americans are rooting for him to be able to keep these promises. To date, are these things more affordable than they were before he took office and what has contributed to his ability or inability to keep these promises?
- (4) President Trump also vowed to end the war between Russia and Ukraine that began on February 24, 2022. To date, has President Trump been successful at negotiating peace between these two countries? If yes, what did Russia and Ukraine agree to?
- (5) Look up "Donald Trump's second-term accomplishments as president" online and choose one or more of those accomplishments to discuss the significance of.