

## ACTIVITY 7.1: Mythbusters Worksheet

Using the following website, discover the truth behind these myths about voting in federal elections. In the last box, choose your own myth to bust. Go to [www.elections.ca](http://www.elections.ca) and search “ElectoFacts.”

| MYTH   | TRUTH |
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| Vote-by-mail allows people to vote twice. Someone can mail in their <b>special ballot</b> and then show up at the polling place to vote again.                               |       |
| Elections Canada plans to use new <b>voting technology</b> that allows people to vote online.  |       |
| Some people think if you <b>use a pencil to vote</b> , your mark could get smudged, erased, or not counted. They think you need to use a pen to make sure your vote is safe. |       |
| Elections Canada sends <b>voter information cards</b> to people who are no longer living, and they can be used by other people to cast a vote.                               |       |
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