

*Discussion Prompts*

## 9/11 Address to the Nation



Here are questions and statements to discuss with your partner. Use details and inferences from the passage to support your ideas. You may jot down notes on this page to remind you of your discussion.

1. Why does Bush say, “A great people has been moved to defend a great nation”?
2. Why does Bush call the acts of terror “despicable”?
3. How does Bush view the American spirit?
4. Evaluate the government’s response plans.
5. How does Bush propose to win the war against terrorism?
6. Why does Bush ask for everyone’s prayers?
7. What is Bush arguing for in this speech?