

Name _____ Grade and Change _____

Election 2004

Explore Time for Kids election site (www.timeforkids.com) and answer these questions.

1. On the homepage, click on Fact Files, then on Meet the Candidates.

George W. Bush -

- Party _____
- Born _____
- College _____
- Military Service _____
- Other elected offices _____
- Running mate _____

John F. Kerry

- Party _____
- Born _____
- College _____
- Military Service _____
- Other elected offices _____
- Running mate _____

2. Go BACK two pages and click on Path to the Presidency.

- Stop 1: What are the three requirements to be president?

- Stop 2: Where do voters help each party pick a candidate? (2 words)

- Stop 3: When and where did the Democrats pick Kerry and Edwards?

- Stop 4: When and where did the Republicans pick Bush and Cheney?

- Stop 5: Where do the candidates advertise during the campaign?

- Stop 6: Who do you think won the Great Debates - 1, 2, and 3?

- Stop 7: When is Election Day, how old do you have to be to vote, and how many electoral votes must the winning candidate have?

- Stop 8: When is Inauguration Day and what happens after the official ceremony?

3. Go BACK one page and click on Inside the Issues. What are the major issues listed on this page?

Read how each candidate stands on each of these issues.

4. Click on Play Who Said It. Keep trying until you get each answer right. Go back to read about each issue if you have to.

5. From what you read about the issues, which candidate seems to have the same opinions that you do? This would probably be the candidate you would vote for if you were old enough to vote. If you could vote in 2004, who would you vote for?

6. Click Back three times and select Campaign Games. Try all of these games to see how much you know about our government and this year's election.

7. From the games page, click BACK one time and select Speak Out. Here you can do many things but be sure to click on Congress Connection first.

- Who represents our zip code in Washington?

- Who are the candidates for Senator from our zip code?

- Who are the candidates for U.S. House for our zip code?
