

Some Good Internet Resources for Researching the Presidential Election and Issues

www.procon.org

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<http://www.sciencedebate2008.com/www/index.php>

Asks provocative questions with science-based themes

www.lwv.org

League of women voters – reliable source for information on candidates and issues, both local and national

<http://projects.washingtonpost.com/2008-presidential-candidates/>

Washington Post – the candidates respond to questions about the issues

http://www.votesmart.org/election_president.php

Biographical information, experience, platforms of the candidates.

<http://elections.nytimes.com/2008/index.html>

New York Times election resources. Click on the links under “Issues” for their stance on the issues in this election.

<http://www.nationalmockelection.org/curriculum.html>

Afghanistan

<http://fpc.state.gov/documents/organization/24047.pdf>

http://www.usip.org/on_the_issues/afghanistan_pakistan.html

Pakistan

http://www.usip.org/on_the_issues/afghanistan_pakistan.html

Campaign Finance Reform

http://www.lwv.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Campaign_Finance_Reform

<http://www.publiccampaign.org/>

Cuba

<http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/jbfranklins/Cuba.htm>

<http://www.hrw.org/reports/2005/cuba1005/1.htm>

Education

<http://www.educationcenteronline.org/blog/index.php/education-degrees/teacher-education/pros-and-cons-of-the-no-child-left-behind-act/>

<http://www.pbs.org/now/society/nclb.html>

Energy

<http://www.eia.doe.gov/>

http://www.nationalmockelection.org/docs/2008_issues_forum/NSPME_2008_Energy_Guide.pdf

Global Warming

<http://environment.nationalgeographic.com/environment/global-warming/>