

PRESIDENCY



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**JOE
BIDEN**

VS

**DONALD
TRUMP**

(R)



ON THE ISSUES

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| | Supports taxpayer-funded abortion, including late-term abortion. Demands that all Americans pay for abortion through their tax dollars. Endorsed by pro-abortion Planned Parenthood. | ABORTION | Opposes abortion. Signed orders ceasing federal abortion funding. Pledged to sign late-term abortion ban and veto any pro-abortion legislation. Supports the pro-life Hyde Amendment. | |
| | Pledged to sue Little Sisters of the Poor and other Catholic groups to force them to pay for abortions. Supports mandating businesses to promote messages they morally disagree with. | RELIGIOUS FREEDOM | Reversed Obama-Biden era rule forcing Catholic groups to pay for abortions. Defended religious freedom of all Americans. Has defended the right to pray in public schools. | |
| | Pledged to appoint judges to defend <i>Roe v. Wade</i> and other pro-abortion rulings. Running mate Kamala Harris argues that Knights of Columbus members are not qualified to be judges. | JUDGES | Pledges to appoint judges to defend right to life, school choice, and religious freedom. Appointed 200+ federal judges, including 2 Supreme Court justices, who are constitutional conservatives. | |
| | Supports government takeover of our health care. Wants to expand Obamacare and create government-run insurance. Supports forcing religious groups to pay for abortions and sex-changes. | HEALTH CARE | Supports repealing and replacing Obamacare. Supports allowing insurance companies to compete across state lines. Signed executive orders to lower prescription drug prices. | |
| | Opposes school choice for Catholic schools. Pledged to close all charter schools. Supports allowing transgender boys in girls' bathrooms and on girls' sports teams. | EDUCATION | Supports school choice and tax credits for private schools. Defended Catholic schools' equal opportunity for grants. Opposes allowing transgender boys in girls' bathrooms and sports. | |
| | Supports taxpayer-funded health care for all illegal immigrants. Pledged to make DACA permanent and expand refugee admission. Supports citizenship for 11 million illegal immigrants. | IMMIGRATION | Supports building wall across southern border and deporting violent illegal immigrants. Supports phasing out DACA, reducing legal immigration, protecting jobs for American workers. | |
| | Negotiated and voted for trade deals that eliminated thousands of American jobs. Opposes tax bill that punishes corporations who move our jobs overseas. Helped China expand their exports to America. | AMERICAN WORKERS | Renegotiated trade deals and brought thousands of jobs back to America. Imposed tariffs to protect American industries. Forced China to end some of their unfair trade practices. | |

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VS

REPUBLICAN

ON THE ISSUES

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|  | “Every woman should be able to access... safe and legal abortion...We will repeal the Hyde Amendment....Democrats oppose and will fight...federal and state laws that create barriers to [abortion].” | ABORTION | “The unborn child has a fundamental right to life which cannot be infringed....We support a human life amendment to the Constitution. ...We oppose the use of public funds to perform or promote abortion...We are proud to be the party that protects human life and offers real solutions for women.” |  |
|  | “Democrats celebrate...the paramount importance of maintaining the separation between church and state....We will reject the Trump Administration’s use of broad religious exemptions...” | RELIGIOUS FREEDOM | “Compel[ling] individuals, businesses, and institutions of faith to transgress their beliefs are part of a misguided effort to undermine religion and drive it from the public square....We pledge to defend the religious beliefs and rights of conscience of all Americans and to safeguard religious institutions against government control.” |  |
|  | “We will appoint U.S. Supreme Court justices and federal judges who...will respect and enforce foundational precedents, including... <i>Roe v. Wade</i> .” | JUDGES | “[A]ctivist decisions—including <i>Roe</i> , <i>Obergefell</i> , and the Obamacare cases—expanded the power of the judiciary at the expense of the people and their elected representatives....We support the appointment of justices & judges who respect the constitutional limits on their power...” |  |

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|  | <p>“We...want to build on and strengthen the Affordable Care Act and those who support a Medicare for All approach....We will give all Americans the choice to select a high-quality, affordable public option through the Affordable Care Act marketplace.”</p> | HEALTH CARE | <p>“Any honest agenda for improving healthcare must start with repeal of...Obamacare...to ensure that all Americans have improved access to affordable, high-quality healthcare, including those struggling with mental illness. We believe that individuals with preexisting conditions... should be protected from discrimination.”</p> |  |
|  | <p>“Democrats oppose private school vouchers and other policies that divert taxpayer-funded resources away from the public school system. ...We will...guarantee transgender students’ access to facilities based on their gender identity.”</p> | EDUCATION | <p>“We reject a one-size-fits-all approach to education and support a broad range of choices for parents and children at the state and local level....We support options for learning, including home-schooling, career and technical education, private or parochial schools, magnet schools, charter schools, online learning, and early-college high schools.”</p> |  |
|  | <p>“Democrats believe that our fight to end systemic and structural racism in our country extends to our immigration system...Democrats believe it is long past time to provide...citizenship for the millions of undocumented workers, caregivers, students, and children.”</p> | IMMIGRATION | <p>“America’s immigration policy must serve the national interest of the United States, and the interests of American workers must be protected over the claims of foreign nationals seeking the same jobs....We oppose any form of amnesty for those who, by breaking the law, have disadvantaged those who have obeyed it.”</p> |  |
|  | <p>“We will repeal so-called ‘right to work’ laws...[raise] the federal minimum wage...[and encourage more]... investigations into civil rights violations, violations of the rights of people with disabilities, and violations against...transgender women of color...The Trump Administration has failed...[by] launching a trade war with China that they have no plan for winning.”</p> | AMERICAN WORKERS | <p>“The greatest asset of the American economy is the hard-working American. That is why our first priority is getting people back to work.... We need better negotiated trade agreements that put America first....We can’t allow foreign governments to limit American access to their markets while stealing our...technology...”</p> |  |

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