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Current Events Presidential Election

Research both presidential candidates: John McCain and Barack Obama. Include (1) their biographies and (2) where they stand on each important issue: education, taxes, the war, the environment, etc. After researching, (3) ask your parents which candidate, if any, they support and why. Finally, after your research is done, (4) choose the candidate you want to be elected president and why. We will hold classroom elections on Monday/Tuesday (November 4)

Websites for info on the candidates (YOU MAY ALSO USE YOUR OWN)

McCain http://www.ontheissues.org/senate/john_mccain.htm

<http://www.biography.com/featured-biography/john-mccain/>

Obama http://www.ontheissues.org/senate/Barack_Obama.htm

<http://www.biography.com/featured-biography/barack-obama/index.jsp>

Both

<http://www.iht.com/articles/ap/2008/08/27/america/NA-POL-US-Elections-Where-They-Stand.php>

****You can also find this document on my website under homework/upcoming events and current events-hold down the shift key and click on each hyperlink (website)