






**National Student/Parent Mock Election
Puerto Rico State/Jurisdiction Ballot Results**

Question: Make your choice for President of the United States. (Vote for one)	
	<u>Percentage of vote</u>
a) Barack Obama (D) 	71.71%
b) John McCain (R) 	26.12%
f) Ralph Nader (ind.) 	2.15%

Question: If you are a student, what grade are you in?	
	<u>Percentage of vote</u>
11th	23.48%
10th	20.93%
9th	20.69%

12th	16.27%
No response	13.72%
1st	4.41%
6th	0.23%

Question: In your opinion, how important is it for the government to focus on the following issues in the next four years?


Item	Response	%
The cost and quality of health care	Absolutely Critical	53.31
	Very Important	38.62
	Somewhat Important	4.5
	Not Important	2.13
	Not Sure	1.42
The economy	Absolutely Critical	73.42
	Very Important	21.91
	Somewhat Important	2.33
	Not Sure	1.39
	Not Important	0.93
The educational system	Absolutely Critical	50.47
	Very Important	38.62
	Somewhat Important	6.87
	Not Important	2.84
	Not Sure	1.18
Global climate change and the environment	Absolutely Critical	60.95
	Very Important	27.85
	Somewhat Important	8.09
	Not Sure	1.9
	Not Important	1.19
The high cost of energy	Absolutely Critical	55.34
	Very Important	33.25
	Somewhat Important	8.78
	Not Sure	1.66
	Not Important	0.95
National security	Absolutely Critical	45.79
	Very Important	38.86
	Somewhat Important	11.13








	Not Important	2.72
	Not Sure	1.48
The war in Afghanistan	Absolutely Critical	43.73
	Very Important	21.51
	Somewhat Important	16.31
	Not Important	13.94
	Not Sure	4.49
The war in Iraq	Absolutely Critical	51.76
	Very Important	20.23
	Not Important	13.17
	Somewhat Important	10.35
	Not Sure	4.47

Question: The government is limited to how much money it can raise through taxes. In your opinion, which one of these issues would government spending help the most?

	Percentage of vote
The economy	43.08%
Global climate change and the environment	17.74%
The cost and quality of health care	12.67%
The educational system	8.75%
The war in Iraq	8.75%
The high cost of energy	6.45%
National security	1.15%

Question: If miracles could happen, which one of the following Presidents would you want to lead the nation?

	Percentage of vote
c) Abraham Lincoln 	27.71%
h) John F. Kennedy	26.09%

	
<p>a) George Washington</p> 	<p>14.31%</p>
<p>j) Bill Clinton</p> 	<p>11.31%</p>
<p>e) Franklin Roosevelt</p> 	<p>6.0%</p>
<p>d) Teddy Roosevelt</p> 	<p>5.31%</p>
<p>i) Ronald Reagan</p> 	<p>5.08%</p>
<p>b) Thomas Jefferson</p> 	<p>3.69%</p>

f) Harry S. Truman



0.23%