

Get Ready to Vote!

Let AAUW Priorities help you evaluate Candidates and Issues

AAUW Public Policy Priorities

- Education and Title IX
- Economic Security
- Civil Rights



AAUW 2024 Voter Issues Guide

Includes:

- Nine Priority Issues
- Progress and Challenges
- Questions to Ask Candidates



How to Keep Yourself Informed





Democratic Platform





Libertarian Platform





Republican Platform



Project 2025



Tips for less polarizing conversations



Now that you have the resources ... what can you do with them?

Here are two comparisons the CI&A Interest Group made when reviewing AAUW Priorities and the Project 2025 Manual:

AAUW: Strengthen Title IX in its role of addressing sexual assault and assuring gender fairness for women and girls including LGBTQ students.

Project 2025: Amend Title IX to say that sex is a fixed biological fact recognized at birth. Reject gender ideology and critical race theory. Drop civil rights actions based on gender identity or sexual orientation.

AAUW: Support a strong system of public education. Oppose the use of public funding for nonpublic elementary and secondary education and charter schools whose civil rights standards do not meet those of public schools.

Project 2025: Abolish the federal Department of Education over time. Cease federal funding for education – states must bear the costs. During this transition period, supply federal school funding as block grants to states to be used for any lawful education option, with no federal oversight. Empower families to use public funding for any education option they choose – public, private, parochial, and homeschooling. Privatize all student loans and grants.

What can you do next on your own?

- Continue this exercise by looking at AAUW's Economic Security (Medicare, Pay Equity) and Civil Rights (Voting, Reproductive Rights) Priorities.
- Compare those priorities to the party platforms.
- Discuss this with friends, family or at the October CI&A meeting on October 21.
- VOTE! after ballots come out on October 11.



