

ARE THEY TALKING TO ME?



Pick and predict

Before you watch or read about the conventions and speakers:

- Decide which 1-3 topics are most important to you.
- Then decide which 1-3 topics you predict the speakers and presidential candidates will talk about.
- Are the topics you picked the same, or different, as the ones you predict they will talk about?

Watch or read about the conventions and speakers.

- Were your topics covered? How many times? Did you correctly predict what the speakers and candidates would talk about?

POSSIBLE TOPICS

Children/ Youth	Jobs	Research
Cities	Justice	Safety
Economy	K-12 Education	Taxes
Environment	Leadership	Technology
Global issues	Military	Terrorism
Government	NASA	Transportation
Healthcare	Politics	Working together
Housing	Pre-K Education	Other?

Use the worksheet on the next page to write your topics and take notes.

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MY TOPICS:		
	<u>REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION</u>	<u>DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION</u>
PREDICTION OF TOPICS		
HOW MANY TIMES MY TOPICS WERE MENTIONED		
BIG TOPICS COVERED AT CONVENTION		
WHICH CONVENTION MOST COVERED THE TOPICS I AM INTERESTED IN?		
WHY WERE THE TOPICS THE SAME AS, OR DIFFERENT THAN, MINE?		