



THE AFT AND HILLARY CLINTON:

Stronger TOGETHER





IN THE RACE FOR PRESIDENT, THE CHOICE HAS NEVER BEEN CLEARER. READ THE FACTS AND DECIDE FOR YOURSELF.

For her entire professional life, Hillary Clinton has fought for women and girls — in the workplace, at home and abroad. There is no one who would do more to move our country forward than Hillary for president.

HILLARY CLINTON



Hillary has been a champion for education throughout her career, and has pledged to fight for:

- Free community college, relieving the burden of student debt, and ensuring students at public colleges graduate debt-free;
- An end to the fixation on high-stakes testing and tying teacher evaluations to tests;
- Affordable child care and free pre-K for 4-year-olds;
- Holding charter schools accountable; and
- Ensuring schools are safe and welcoming environments for students and school staff.¹

Hillary supports the Affordable Care Act and will work to reduce healthcare costs by cutting co-pays and deductibles and controlling prescription drug costs for all. She also supports better nurse-to-patient staffing ratios and nurse training to address national nurse shortages.⁴

Hillary has been a champion for women and girls her entire career, working to break down barriers. As president, she will support equal pay for women, defend women's health and reproductive rights, and fight for paid family leave and affordable child care.⁶

Hillary opposes so-called right-to-work laws. She believes that unions are critical to providing safe, well-paying jobs, and has said that labor will always have a champion in the White House and a seat at the table if she is president.⁸

ISSUES

SUPPORTING PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND HIGHER EDUCATION

Trump wants to cut federal education spending “way, way, way down,” and says he will get rid of the U.S. Department of Education.² This means:

- 490,000 or more teacher positions could be eliminated;
- 8 million students every year could lose Pell Grants; and
- Funding could be slashed by \$12.7 billion and \$700 million, respectively, for students with disabilities and English language learners.³

PROMOTING AFFORDABLE, QUALITY HEALTHCARE

Trump would roll back the Affordable Care Act's protections and let insurance companies write the rules all over again. He wants to end Obamacare but has no credible plan to replace it or help keep costs down. In fact, his plan would kick almost 21 million people off their health insurance plans.⁵

PROMOTING EQUALITY AND UNITY

Trump has a long history of using insulting and offensive rhetoric to set one group against another. He has repeatedly made anti-Hispanic, anti-woman, anti-Muslim and anti-Semitic statements, and even publicly attacked a respected Hispanic judge. He will divide our country, not bring it together.⁷

STANDING WITH UNION MEMBERS

Trump says that he loves so-called right-to-work laws, that American wages are too high and that he opposes raising the minimum wage.⁹

DONALD TRUMP



CHECK THE FACTS: 1. *Washington Post*, 7/6/16; *Washington Post*, 11/16/15; *Los Angeles Times*, 6/15/15; hillaryclinton.com. 2. *Forbes*, 6/16/15. 3. Thomas B. Fordham Institute, “Donald Trump Quotes About Education,” 9/12/16; and Department of Education, “Special Education Fiscal Year 2017 Budget Request.” 4. hillaryclinton.com; American Nurses Association Presidential Candidate Questionnaire — Hillary Clinton. 5. *The Hill*, 3/14/16. 6. *Huffington Post*, 6/10/16; *Time*, 4/12/16; *New Republic*, 5/11/15. 7. *Huffington Post*, 8/26/16. 8. hillaryclinton.com. 9. *Washington Examiner*, 2/23/16; ThinkProgress, 11/10/15.

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HILLARY CLINTON: A CHAMPION FOR *New Jersey* EDUCATORS, HEALTHCARE WORKERS AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Hillary Clinton has served as secretary of state, U.S. senator from New York, first lady of the United States, first lady of Arkansas, a practicing lawyer and law professor, and an activist with the Children's Defense Fund. In every capacity, she has dedicated herself to fighting for working women and men, and especially for children.

HILLARY CLINTON'S 100-DAY JOBS PLAN FOR NEW JERSEY

Within her first 100 days as president, Hillary is committed to setting in motion a groundbreaking plan for New Jersey's future:

- ➔ Boldly investing in infrastructure, which would support the creation of well-paying jobs in New Jersey.¹
- ➔ Raising the minimum wage for the 599,300 people in New Jersey currently making less than \$12 an hour. She also supports state and local efforts for an even higher minimum wage, including the Fight for \$15.²
- ➔ Putting U.S. job creation first by investing in American manufacturing, and cracking down on trade abuses to protect American businesses and workers.³



CHECK THE FACTS: 1. hillaryclinton.com. 2. AFT analysis of Bureau of Labor Statistics, "May 2015 Occupational Employment Statistics;" *Slate*, 4/18/16. 3. hillaryclinton.com.

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