So You Want to Be President?





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Qualifications

You must be at least 35 years or older.

You must have lived in the USA for the past 14 years.

You must be a natural born citizen.



It Might Also be Great If.....

The President should also be nice to everybody and make great laws to keep people safe. The President should use the proper language around kids because he is

a role model.



The Road to the White House

There are Five Steps



Step 1: Tossing Your Hat in the Ring

About a year before the election, candidates announce their plan to run.



Step 2: Primaries

Candidates from each party campaign and debate to decide who the most popular person is to represent the party. This year Mitt Romney won the Republican Primary. This year the democrats had a break. Barack Obama was already the choice for the Democrats.

Step 3 National Convention

At the National Convention the candidates are formally announced. This year the Republican Convention was in Florida and the Democratic Convention was in North Carolina.



Step 4

Election Day is the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November. This year it is on

November 6!



Step 5 Inauguration Day

On January 20th, the new President is officially sworn into office for four years.



So Aim High

Those are the steps you must follow in order to make it to the White House!



Piece of Advice

So no matter what you want to be there are steps and goals that we must all go through. It is good to start thinking now. So someday we can be doctors, teachers, supreme court justices, or even President of the United States.



