



Why We Are Voting

The Millennial Generation is strapped for cash, worried about our future, sick of gridlock politics, and not going to stand for it anymore. But rather than moan and groan, **we're taking it into our own hands and demanding action.**

Jobs

Adults ages 20-24 have the highest rate of unemployment in the country at 8.2%, more than twice that of the national average. Those who are 25-34 years old follow them at 4.7%.¹

The War in Iraq

The US Department of Defense has confirmed over 4500 deaths of American soldiers in the wars in Iraq and Afghanistan. The majority of these soldiers are young people under the age of 30.²

Health Care

There are 13.3 million Americans between the ages of 19 and 29 who lack basic health insurance.³

Education

Today an average student will graduate with twice as much debt as a student ten years ago; today's average job pays less than it did ten years ago.⁴

Global Warming

Glaciers are now melting twice as fast as they were in 2004, threatening fresh water access for people in the Himalayas, Andes, and the Western United States. UN Environmental Programme⁵

Your vote will make a difference for the people in your life. Vote for your brothers and sisters who want to afford college. Vote for your friends in Iraq who want to come home. Vote for your parents social

¹ Bureau of Labor Statistics.

² Iraq Coalition Casualty Count.

³ The Commonwealth Fund.

⁴ Campus Progress.

⁵ UN Environmental Programme

security benefits and Medicare when they retire. Don't just vote for yourself—vote for them, too.

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