

Round 1: Americas

1. Should Canada's assisted dying law be reformed?
2. Were Joe Biden's plans to build democracy in Central America successful?
3. What will be the outcome of Haiti's latest protests?
4. How will the assassination attempt against Cristina Fernandez de Kirchner affect Argentina's politics?
5. Is Mexico's security policy backfiring?
6. Who will win Brazil's presidential election?
7. Did the people of Chile make the right decision by voting against the new constitution?
8. Could Mexico become a manufacturing hub to rival China?
9. Are living conditions in Venezuela improving?
10. Will Gustavo Petro be an effective leader for Colombia?

Round 2: Southwest Asia & North Africa

1. What will be the outcome of women's protests in Iran?
2. What is the biggest cause of Egypt's economic woes?
3. How can Lebanon stabilize its banking system?
4. How strong is the relationship between Saudi Arabia and Russia?
5. Is the Palestinian Authority losing the support of the people?
6. Why hasn't Iraq succeeded in forming a governing coalition?
7. Is US military aid to Saudi Arabia hurting civilians in Yemen?
8. Can the Shanghai Cooperation Organization be Turkey's alternative to the West?
9. Will Israel's meeting with Turkey have a significant impact on regional affairs?
10. What does the detention of Ali Laarayedh say about Tunisia's politics?

Round 3: US Education

1. Are the US News & World Report's college rankings valid?
2. How should school districts respond to requests to ban books?
3. Will other states replicate Florida's "Don't Say Gay" bill?
4. How can the United States address the teacher shortage?
5. How can the United States reduce the cost of college tuition?
6. What role should public schools play in the fight against racism?
7. Are teachers unions growing more powerful?
8. Did public schools address pandemic learning loss effectively?
9. How are culture wars affecting public education?
10. Are bans on critical race theory in the classroom hurting history education?

Final/Extended: US Housing & Healthcare

1. Why is the United States lacking affordable housing?
2. How will higher interest rates affect the housing market?
3. How can local governments reduce the number of unsheltered people on city streets?
4. Will Bank of America's new zero down payment mortgage help Black and Latino homebuyers?
5. Should the federal government expand the Section 8 housing program?
6. Will the Inflation Reduction Act succeed in reducing prescription drug prices?
7. Is monkeypox under control in the United States?
8. How should the United States support long-haul Covid sufferers?
9. How will the end of *Roe v Wade* affect women's health?
10. How will the involvement of big tech change the healthcare industry?