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#AcademicFactCheck the 2020 Presidential Debates with SSN

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On Wednesday and Thursday (June 26 and 27th), 2020 presidential hopefuls face their first debate on a national stage. While most of America is watching, SSN hopes to go a step further and focus the conversation on the academic research that informs the candidates' policy proposals. Follow the conversation online with the hashtag [#AcademicFactCheck](#) and play along during the debates with our [#AcademicFactCheck](#) bingo board.

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DEBATE BINGO

cross out what you hear during the
2020 presidential debates:



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| Bipartisan | #MeToo | "How will you pay for that?" | Minimum wage | Debate interrupted by protesters |
| Corporate interests | Medicare for All | Billionaires | Felon voting rights | "Middle class" "hardworking" or "ordinary" Americans |
| Social safety net | Opioids |  | Green New Deal | Gerrymandering |
| Male candidate interrupts female candidate | Gun violence | LGBTQ | Border crisis | Right to choose |
| Mentions # of pages in policy proposal | Small businesses | Student debt | "Studies say..." | Anecdotes illustrate policy impact |

