

# Crucial votes in Iowa and New Hampshire

Since 1976, when the almost unknown Jimmy Carter won in Iowa and New Hampshire, victors in one of the first two contests of the U.S. presidential campaign season have gone on to win the White House. The exception was 1992 when Bill Clinton re-energized his campaign to win the nomination



## 2008 DEMOCRATS



Hillary Clinton Barack Obama John Edwards



## 2008 REPUBLICANS



Rudolph Giuliani Mike Huckabee Mitt Romney John McCain Fred Thompson

Year	Iowa caucus winner	New Hampshire primary winner	Presidential race winner
1976	<b>Jimmy Carter (D)</b> Gerald Ford (R)	<b>Jimmy Carter</b> Gerald Ford	<b>Jimmy Carter</b>
1980	Jimmy Carter George H.W. Bush (R)	Jimmy Carter <b>Ronald Reagan (R)</b>	<b>Ronald Reagan</b>
1984	Walter Mondale (D) <b>Ronald Reagan</b>	Gary Hart (D) <b>Ronald Reagan</b>	<b>Ronald Reagan</b>
1988	Dick Gephardt (D) Bob Dole (R)	Michael Dukakis (D) <b>George H.W. Bush</b>	<b>George H.W. Bush</b>
1992	Tom Harkin (D) George H.W. Bush	Paul Tsongas (D) George H.W. Bush	<b>Bill Clinton</b>
1996	<b>Bill Clinton</b> Bob Dole (R)	<b>Bill Clinton</b> Pat Buchanan (R)	<b>Bill Clinton</b>
2000	Al Gore (D) <b>George W. Bush (R)</b>	Al Gore John McCain (R)	<b>George W. Bush</b>
2004	John Kerry (D) <b>George W. Bush</b>	John Kerry <b>George W. Bush</b>	<b>George W. Bush</b>