

Eurovision 2024 Controversy, TikTok Politics & EU Election Trends: Your Pop

European Politics · Answer Key · 10 Questions

1. Which country's artist won the Eurovision Song Contest in 2024, with a message of peace?

- A) Switzerland**
- B) Ireland
- C) Croatia
- D) Ukraine

2. During the 2024 European elections, which social media platform was notably used by radical and far-right candidates to modernize their image and promote polarizing narratives?

- A) Facebook
- B) X (formerly Twitter)
- C) TikTok**
- D) LinkedIn

3. Protests and controversy at Eurovision 2024 largely surrounded the participation of which country?

- A) Russia
- B) Israel**
- C) Belarus
- D) China

4. Which of these political parties made significant gains in the 2024 European Parliament elections, leading French President Emmanuel Macron to call for snap elections?

- A) The Green Party
- B) The National Rally**
- C) The Liberal Democrats
- D) The Socialist Party

5. The 2024 European elections saw a notable shift in political discourse on platforms like TikTok, with a focus on emotionally charged and simplified content. This trend was particularly observed among which political leaning?

- A) Far-left
- B) Centrist
- C) Far-right**
- D) Social Democrats

6. In the 2024 Eurovision Song Contest, Ireland's entrant, Bambie Thug, promoted a message of love and also advocated for which social cause?

A) Environmental protection

B) Trans rights

C) Animal welfare

D) Economic equality

7. Which of the following countries saw its far-right Freedom Party (FPÖ) win the national election in September 2024?

A) Germany

B) France

C) Austria

D) Sweden

8. The European Broadcasting Union (EBU) stated that Eurovision is a 'non-political music organisation,' yet the 2024 contest faced significant political debate. What was a primary reason for this debate?

A) The cost of staging the event

B) The inclusion of Israel due to the conflict in Gaza

C) The number of participating countries

D) The voting system used

9. YouTuber and TikTokker Fidiya Panayiotou, with no prior political experience, secured a seat in the European Parliament representing which country in 2024?

A) Greece

B) Malta

C) Cyprus

D) Slovenia

10. The 2024 European Parliament elections saw a documented shift towards the right in European politics. Which of these topics was frequently seen in political content on TikTok during this period?

A) Climate change initiatives

B) Economic reforms

C) Migration and defense

D) Healthcare policies