

QUIZ

TEA PARTY SEES REPUBLICAN RISE AS A NEW THREAT

1. According to the report, a wave has swept across the electoral map.
 - a) red
 - b) rare
 - c) real
2. Which statement about the Republican Party is true?
 - a) It already controlled the House of Representatives and the Senate before these elections.
 - b) It captured control of the Senate in the elections.
 - c) It had not previously had a majority in the House of Representatives.
3. What is the main point Dr Lara Brown makes about the 2010 mid-term elections.
 - a) President Obama was already very unpopular.
 - b) The Republicans did surprisingly well.
 - c) The Republicans had already made important electoral gains.
4. What is said to be the main factor influencing the voters in the 2014 mid-terms?
 - a) President Obama's policies
 - b) the economy
 - c) health care
5. Why have Democrats hesitated to talk about the economy?
 - a) People question whether it is improving.
 - b) Democrats are always vulnerable on this subject.
 - c) Politicians know that it remains weak.
6. Why does the report say Republicans should not celebrate too much?
 - a) Their policies may not prove as popular as they think.
 - b) Both parties are not very popular with electors.
 - c) They do not have a charismatic leader.



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Answers : 1. a - 2. b - 3. c - 4. b - 5. a - 6. b.