

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 2039 GB Adults

Fieldwork: 10th - 11th December 2015

		Vote in 2015			Ge	nder	Age				Social	Grade	Region					
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Male	Female	18-24	25-39	40-59	60+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland
Weighted Sample	2039	693	571	143	245	989	1050	243	516	697	583	1162	877	261	663	436	502	177
Unweighted Sample	2039	594	560	162	276	1065	974	140	340	819	740	1308	731	229	699	400	504	207
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Thinking about education in Britain, which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Young people get a better start in life by going to university 28	2	3	3	38 1	6	30	26	35	26	28	27	32	23	34	27	25	29	28
Young people are better off going straight into work than to university 38	4	4 3	32	24 5	54	40	35	29	38	37	41	35	41	36	37	40	38	36
Neither 23	2	3 2	22	24 1	9	21	25	22	23	23	23	24	22	22	25	21	21	29
Don't know 11	8	1	3	14 1	1	9	14	13	14	11	9	9	15	9	11	14	12	8



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		Education Level							
	Total	No formal qualifications	GCSE	A level	Degree	Other			
Weighted Sample	2039	118	220	283	459	506			
Unweighted Sample	2039	132	220	241	476	540			
	%	%	%	%	%	%			

Thinking about education in Britain, which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Young people get a better start in life by going to university	28	26	21	31	36	23
Young people are better off going straight into work than to university	38	46	39	36	31	41
Neither	23	16	27	21	27	22
Don't know	11	11	12	12	7	14



YouGov Weighting Data

In addition to weighting by age, gender, social class and region (weighted and unweighted figures shown in the tables), YouGov also weighted its raw data by newspaper readership and Vote May 2015.

Unweighted no. Weighted no.

Age and Gender			
	Male 18 to 24	42	103
	Male 25 to 39	124	216
	Male 40 to 59	359	289
	Male 60 +	291	222
	Female 18 to 24	82	101
	Female 25 to 39	185	217
	Female 40 to 59	351	296
	Female 60 +	277	267
Region			
	North England	388	421
	Midlands	275	281
	East	174	164
	London	218	219
	South England	408	392
	Wales	94	86
	Scotland	154	149
Social Grade			
	AB	619	479
	C1	441	496
	C2	281	359
	DE	370	376
Newspaper Type			
	Express / Mail	256	243
	Sun / Star	300	344
	Mirror / Record	142	151
	Guardian / Independent	151	75
	FT / Times / Telegraph	96	137
	Other Paper	181	197
	No Paper	585	565
Vote Share May 2015			
	Conservative	521	582
	Labour	492	479
	Liberal Democrat	144	120
	UKIP	217	205
	Green	62	60
	Other	96	94
	Didn't vote / Don't know	179	171

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