

YouGov Survey Results

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Generally speaking, do you think the level of immigration into Britain over the last ten years has been too high, too low or about right?

Much too high	38	65	19	19	18	67	42	35	9	29	48	58	32	46	21	40	40	47	28
A little too high	19	20	18	18	18	18	16	21	20	20	18	17	20	17	24	19	18	18	14
TOTAL TOO HIGH	57	85	37	37	36	85	58	56	29	49	66	75	52	63	45	59	58	65	42
About right	20	8	31	43	37	7	22	19	19	25	18	15	24	14	27	20	16	16	32
A little too low	5	1	8	7	9	1	5	5	9	7	3	2	7	3	7	4	5	4	9
Much too low	2	0	5	2	4	0	3	2	6	2	2	1	2	2	3	2	3	2	1
TOTAL TOO LOW	7	1	13	9	13	1	8	7	15	9	5	3	9	5	10	6	8	6	10
Don't know	16	7	18	10	14	7	13	18	38	18	11	6	15	17	17	16	19	12	15

Do you think the level of immigration into Britain over the last ten years has been good or bad for the country?

Mostly good for the country	24	8	43	47	48	6	24	25	26	30	22	16	30	17	39	23	21	17	37
Mostly bad for the country	30	49	15	9	14	48	34	27	19	22	37	43	25	37	19	31	33	35	22
Both good and bad for the country	34	38	32	37	33	39	33	36	22	37	34	36	35	34	30	35	32	38	34
Don't know	11	5	9	8	5	6	10	13	33	12	7	5	10	12	12	11	13	10	7

Do you approve or disapprove of the way that the Government is currently handling the issue of immigration?

Strongly approve	1	2	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	0
Tend to approve	7	11	4	2	5	8	8	7	9	7	7	8	7	8	7	6	9	8	6
TOTAL APPROVE	8	13	5	2	6	9	9	8	11	8	9	9	9	9	8	7	10	10	6
Tend to disapprove	31	34	27	39	34	32	29	33	27	29	33	35	32	30	29	33	34	28	29
Strongly disapprove	41	39	56	46	47	45	46	36	22	41	46	46	42	40	38	40	38	45	48
TOTAL DISAPPROVE	72	73	83	85	81	77	75	69	49	70	79	81	74	70	67	73	72	73	77
Don't know	19	14	12	13	12	14	15	22	41	22	12	11	17	21	24	20	18	16	17

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In the previous question you said you disapproved of the Government's handling of immigration. Why is that?

Please tick all that apply

[Asked to those who disapprove of the Government's handling of immigration; n=1267]

Because they are running the system in an incompetent or chaotic way	73	66	81	82	83	66	71	75	60	72	75	75	77	66	77	76	67	71	75
Because they are treating people unfairly or cruelly	44	15	70	65	67	17	40	47	68	54	38	27	51	34	66	40	41	36	56
Because they are letting in too many people	42	66	19	18	17	68	44	39	24	33	47	54	32	54	26	43	43	48	33
Because they are letting too many people break our rules	35	53	18	25	19	54	38	32	18	30	39	44	31	41	24	40	32	38	28
Because they are letting in the wrong people	31	46	20	22	21	46	35	28	10	28	38	35	27	37	29	34	31	32	23
Because they are not letting in enough people	8	1	15	13	15	1	7	10	17	12	5	5	11	5	19	7	7	5	13
Some other reason	3	3	3	2	4	2	4	2	4	3	4	2	3	3	2	4	3	2	3
Not sure	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0

Thinking about our immigration system as a whole, do you think it...

Does or does not have CLEAR rules about who can and cannot come to live in Britain?

Does	12	15	8	10	13	12	13	10	15	10	13	12	12	12	13	12	13	10	13
Does not	62	68	69	69	65	71	63	62	37	63	65	70	64	60	56	65	58	64	65
Not sure	26	16	23	21	22	17	24	28	48	27	22	18	24	28	31	23	28	26	23

Does or does not have FAIR rules about who can and cannot come to live in Britain?

Does	15	25	8	10	12	21	18	13	18	12	18	18	15	16	16	14	15	17	14
Does not	55	49	65	66	63	54	55	55	34	55	57	61	57	52	54	57	50	53	62
Not sure	30	25	27	24	25	25	27	33	48	33	25	22	28	32	30	29	35	29	23

Does or does not apply the rules in an EFFECTIVE way?

Does	4	4	1	2	3	3	4	4	14	3	4	2	4	5	6	3	5	4	3
Does not	74	81	79	86	80	81	76	72	43	71	80	87	77	70	66	76	70	76	79
Not sure	22	16	19	12	17	16	20	24	43	27	16	11	20	26	28	21	25	20	18

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Below are some things that people have said an immigration system should do.
Please rank each of them in order of how important you think they are, with the most important factor at the top.

Keeps down immigration numbers

Ranked first	17	27	8	4	6	29	20	14	8	15	18	23	12	22	9	15	19	22	13
Ranked second	5	7	2	5	2	7	5	5	6	4	7	4	4	6	3	5	4	6	5
Ranked third	4	6	1	4	2	7	5	4	4	4	5	5	4	5	2	4	6	5	3
Ranked fourth	4	6	3	3	3	6	4	5	0	4	7	5	4	5	2	6	3	5	5
Ranked fifth	4	6	3	2	3	5	4	4	4	3	4	6	4	4	6	4	5	4	0
Ranked sixth	5	6	4	3	4	6	4	6	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	4	5
Ranked seventh	7	7	8	5	7	7	7	7	5	6	6	9	7	6	5	6	5	10	6
Ranked eighth	13	12	16	17	16	11	11	14	12	11	14	14	14	11	15	13	12	11	12
Ranked ninth	34	19	52	52	53	17	31	37	35	42	30	25	41	24	41	33	32	30	45

Applies the rules fairly

Ranked first	11	9	14	19	15	8	10	12	13	12	10	10	12	10	14	11	12	9	12
Ranked second	10	7	15	11	11	9	10	10	12	11	10	9	10	10	12	9	10	12	9
Ranked third	14	13	16	12	17	12	13	15	13	15	15	13	14	14	14	15	14	13	17
Ranked fourth	14	12	18	13	17	12	14	14	13	14	16	12	14	14	9	13	14	18	12
Ranked fifth	16	15	17	22	19	17	17	16	10	18	16	17	18	14	18	17	16	14	17
Ranked sixth	11	15	8	10	9	13	10	12	7	10	11	14	11	11	7	12	12	9	12
Ranked seventh	9	13	4	4	5	13	10	8	6	7	11	12	10	8	9	9	8	10	9
Ranked eighth	4	6	4	1	2	6	4	4	5	3	4	6	4	5	3	5	3	5	4
Ranked ninth	3	3	1	2	1	4	3	3	2	3	1	4	3	3	3	2	3	5	3

Allows people to come and work in sectors where there are shortages

Ranked first	14	15	10	21	17	13	13	14	7	12	13	20	15	12	10	14	15	14	14
Ranked second	17	20	14	17	16	18	16	17	16	18	14	18	18	14	13	18	16	16	20
Ranked third	11	11	13	11	13	12	12	11	10	12	11	12	13	10	14	12	11	10	12
Ranked fourth	12	10	16	13	12	11	11	13	15	13	12	9	12	12	15	13	12	12	7
Ranked fifth	13	9	22	11	17	10	13	13	14	14	12	11	14	11	15	11	12	17	11
Ranked sixth	10	11	9	13	11	10	9	11	9	9	14	10	10	11	10	10	9	10	16
Ranked seventh	6	7	6	6	5	7	7	6	6	6	8	6	6	7	6	7	6	7	5
Ranked eighth	6	7	5	2	3	9	5	6	3	4	9	6	4	8	3	5	6	8	4
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Stops people from cheating the system

Ranked first	10	12	7	4	5	13	11	10	10	9	12	10	8	12	8	11	9	11	10
Ranked second	16	25	9	4	10	24	17	14	6	13	20	21	14	17	14	15	15	18	14
Ranked third	9	14	7	7	7	14	9	10	5	8	10	11	9	10	8	10	7	12	5
Ranked fourth	9	11	6	13	8	11	10	8	7	10	7	11	9	9	10	9	11	7	11
Ranked fifth	9	11	8	9	10	9	8	11	7	9	9	11	10	9	7	10	9	10	10
Ranked sixth	11	8	15	19	14	9	11	11	12	12	10	10	13	8	11	11	11	11	10
Ranked seventh	14	8	20	23	20	8	11	16	14	14	15	12	15	12	18	12	14	14	13
Ranked eighth	11	4	21	12	19	5	11	11	12	14	8	7	13	8	10	11	10	10	17
Ranked ninth	4	3	5	3	5	4	4	3	6	3	4	3	3	4	4	3	4	4	3

Allows people genuinely fleeing persecution to seek asylum here

Ranked first	23	18	37	23	35	16	19	27	18	24	27	20	28	18	29	25	19	21	25
Ranked second	13	9	17	20	18	10	11	15	14	12	14	15	14	13	10	14	14	13	15
Ranked third	13	13	14	20	14	12	13	13	9	13	11	16	13	12	16	10	13	15	13
Ranked fourth	9	11	8	9	8	11	8	9	8	9	9	10	9	8	4	10	9	9	11
Ranked fifth	8	10	6	11	8	10	10	7	5	9	7	9	9	8	8	6	9	9	11
Ranked sixth	7	8	5	2	4	8	8	7	9	7	6	8	7	8	6	7	7	8	8
Ranked seventh	7	11	3	5	4	9	7	6	5	6	7	8	5	8	6	8	7	7	4
Ranked eighth	7	10	4	3	3	12	9	5	5	7	10	7	5	10	6	8	8	8	5
Ranked ninth	4	5	3	2	2	5	5	3	5	5	5	3	4	5	4	4	4	6	2

Treats migrants with respect

Ranked first	7	2	12	9	10	3	6	8	14	8	6	3	8	5	8	7	6	7	7
Ranked second	14	6	25	19	22	6	13	16	15	19	13	8	17	11	21	13	14	14	13
Ranked third	9	6	12	12	12	5	7	11	14	11	7	7	10	8	8	9	9	9	14
Ranked fourth	10	8	12	15	14	7	9	10	7	11	7	11	10	9	12	9	10	8	13
Ranked fifth	8	8	8	10	9	8	9	7	10	7	9	7	8	8	5	8	7	10	7
Ranked sixth	11	13	8	10	9	13	11	11	7	9	12	15	12	10	14	10	11	10	11
Ranked seventh	10	13	9	8	7	13	9	10	4	9	10	12	9	11	5	11	9	10	12
Ranked eighth	11	16	5	9	7	14	12	9	4	10	12	14	10	12	6	11	12	11	9
Ranked ninth	13	24	6	2	5	25	16	11	6	9	18	20	11	17	11	15	12	15	9

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Attracts talented and skilled people

Ranked first	7	8	6	12	7	8	8	6	5	9	5	6	8	6	8	7	6	6	9
Ranked second	11	12	10	11	12	12	12	9	6	11	10	13	12	10	10	11	10	11	12
Ranked third	14	13	16	17	16	13	14	14	10	14	14	14	15	13	15	14	12	12	19
Ranked fourth	15	16	16	13	17	14	15	14	12	14	15	16	15	14	15	14	16	14	13
Ranked fifth	14	14	15	16	14	14	12	16	13	13	15	16	15	13	11	14	13	15	17
Ranked sixth	12	10	17	12	14	12	12	13	11	12	13	12	13	12	12	9	13	18	8
Ranked seventh	9	9	8	7	9	9	9	10	7	9	12	8	8	11	7	11	11	9	5
Ranked eighth	7	9	5	5	4	8	7	7	12	6	6	7	7	8	6	7	7	8	7
Ranked ninth	3	4	3	1	3	3	2	5	3	4	4	2	3	4	4	4	2	3	5

Makes decisions quickly

Ranked first	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	2	0	2	2	4	2	3	0	2	2	3	4
Ranked second	5	6	4	6	4	6	4	6	4	3	6	7	4	6	4	5	6	4	4
Ranked third	12	12	14	11	13	12	12	11	7	10	16	12	11	12	9	12	10	14	8
Ranked fourth	13	12	14	12	14	12	12	13	8	11	14	16	14	11	17	11	11	13	18
Ranked fifth	11	13	13	8	12	13	11	12	11	11	12	10	10	13	9	13	11	10	13
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Ranked seventh	15	17	13	18	14	16	15	15	16	16	13	16	16	14	16	15	16	15	15
Ranked eighth	10	10	12	8	11	9	9	11	8	12	8	11	11	9	12	9	9	11	11
Ranked ninth	9	8	6	8	5	10	9	8	11	10	7	7	9	8	5	9	10	10	7

Keeps down costs

Ranked first	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	4	1	2	0	1	2	1	0	2	2	1
Ranked second	2	2	0	2	1	2	2	2	0	3	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
Ranked third	6	8	4	1	3	8	7	5	7	6	5	5	6	6	4	6	7	5	3
Ranked fourth	7	9	5	3	4	10	8	7	9	7	9	6	6	8	5	8	5	10	5
Ranked fifth	8	9	5	6	5	8	8	9	6	8	10	8	7	10	9	9	8	7	7
Ranked sixth	9	11	13	5	10	11	10	8	7	10	9	10	8	10	8	9	8	10	10
Ranked seventh	16	10	26	18	23	11	15	16	16	20	12	13	18	13	17	15	14	14	25
Ranked eighth	24	21	25	37	31	20	22	25	18	25	24	24	28	19	28	22	24	24	25
Ranked ninth	19	25	18	23	20	22	18	21	12	14	23	28	19	20	14	20	20	20	18
Don't know	8	5	4	5	4	5	9	6	21	8	5	5	5	11	11	8	10	5	6

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Thinking about different types of people who want to come and live in the UK, do you believe we should allow less of this group in, more of them, the present amount, or none from this group at all?

People with low levels of education and skills, looking for low paid work

We should allow more of this group	16	8	28	25	25	8	16	15	18	20	14	11	18	13	23	17	13	14	16
We should allow the present numbers of this group	25	21	28	37	33	18	22	29	33	25	22	26	28	23	33	26	22	21	35
We should allow less of this group	27	38	21	23	23	36	29	26	20	23	33	33	28	27	26	28	31	27	20
We should not allow this group at all	16	26	10	7	7	30	21	12	4	14	20	22	13	21	8	15	18	23	16
Don't know	15	8	14	9	12	9	12	17	25	18	12	8	14	16	11	15	16	15	14

People with high levels of education and skills, looking for high paid jobs

We should allow more of this group	42	40	50	48	52	37	44	40	40	41	40	45	46	36	48	41	44	37	43
We should allow the present numbers of this group	34	38	31	39	33	39	32	36	25	33	37	38	33	35	35	35	29	37	36
We should allow less of this group	9	12	7	2	5	12	10	9	7	8	12	9	8	11	6	11	10	8	9
We should not allow this group at all	3	3	1	1	1	4	4	2	5	2	3	3	2	4	2	2	3	5	3
Don't know	12	6	11	10	9	7	10	14	23	16	8	5	11	13	10	12	14	12	9

People paying to study in British universities

We should allow more of this group	28	20	37	32	37	19	27	30	34	31	23	25	29	27	31	26	29	28	31
We should allow the present numbers of this group	41	46	39	49	43	44	38	43	28	40	43	45	43	37	43	41	37	39	45
We should allow less of this group	17	24	11	9	11	25	20	13	13	12	21	21	16	18	13	18	17	17	14
We should not allow this group at all	4	5	4	0	2	5	5	3	3	3	5	4	3	5	3	3	4	5	3
Don't know	11	5	9	9	7	6	10	12	22	14	7	5	9	13	10	11	12	11	7

People fleeing persecution or war in other countries

We should allow more of this group	38	23	58	54	58	22	33	43	44	40	34	34	43	31	48	37	32	35	49
We should allow the present numbers of this group	34	47	28	31	30	43	35	33	24	30	39	43	33	36	33	35	37	32	36
We should allow less of this group	14	20	6	7	6	22	17	12	13	13	16	15	12	17	9	15	17	16	8
We should not allow this group at all	3	4	2	1	1	5	5	2	3	3	4	3	2	5	2	3	3	5	1
Don't know	10	6	6	6	5	8	11	10	16	14	6	5	9	13	9	10	11	13	6

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

People with family already in the UK, coming to live with their relatives

We should allow more of this group	17	6	27	25	27	7	15	19	23	21	11	13	20	13	22	17	15	14	25
We should allow the present numbers of this group	33	28	36	39	40	26	32	33	37	34	33	29	35	30	43	31	31	29	38
We should allow less of this group	25	38	18	20	18	37	27	24	12	21	31	31	24	26	19	26	27	27	19
We should not allow this group at all	13	20	8	7	5	21	15	10	6	9	16	18	10	16	8	13	14	15	8
Don't know	13	8	11	9	10	9	11	14	21	15	10	8	11	15	8	13	14	14	9

Now, thinking about people coming to Britain to seek asylum, from what you have seen or heard, do you think..?

Most or nearly all people who claim asylum in Britain are genuinely fleeing persecution	9	1	17	19	17	1	8	10	16	13	6	3	10	8	14	8	7	8	16
A majority people who claim asylum in Britain are genuinely fleeing persecution	27	15	43	37	41	14	21	32	33	29	23	23	31	21	33	28	24	22	31
A minority of people who claim asylum in Britain are genuinely fleeing persecution	30	41	21	29	24	40	31	29	8	28	34	39	30	31	27	27	34	34	28
Most or nearly all people who claim asylum in Britain are making false claims	18	34	8	5	7	36	24	13	6	12	25	28	15	23	8	21	18	23	13
Not sure	16	10	10	10	11	9	15	16	37	18	12	7	14	17	18	16	17	13	12

Now thinking specifically about those migrants who claim asylum after crossing the Channel in small boats, do you think..?

Most or nearly all people trying to cross the channel in small boats are genuinely fleeing persecution	11	3	21	18	20	3	9	13	18	17	7	3	13	9	16	11	8	11	13
A majority of people trying to cross the channel in small boats are genuinely fleeing persecution	20	8	31	32	32	8	17	22	25	23	16	15	23	16	28	18	19	16	23
A minority of people trying to cross the channel in small boats are genuinely fleeing persecution	24	30	23	24	25	28	22	26	12	22	26	32	25	22	21	24	23	25	28
Most or nearly all people trying to cross the channel in small boats are making false claims	30	52	14	13	13	54	37	22	6	20	40	45	26	35	20	30	32	35	21
Not sure	15	8	11	13	10	8	15	16	39	18	10	6	14	18	16	17	18	12	15

Sample Size: 1720 adults in GB
Fieldwork: 2nd - 5th December 2022

	Vote in 2019 GE				EU Ref 2016		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region				
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Remain	Leave	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland
Weighted Sample	1720	562	416	146	606	640	832	888	181	710	425	404	980	740	208	576	372	415	150
Unweighted Sample	1720	576	421	147	686	672	734	986	134	708	424	454	1012	708	153	604	387	425	151
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Which of the following best reflects your view?

There are legitimate ways for people who are genuinely fleeing persecution to come to Britain, so people crossing the Channel in boats are probably not genuine refugees	45	70	25	31	29	69	50	40	25	35	51	63	42	49	35	47	47	46	40
There are no legitimate ways for many people fleeing persecution to come to Britain, so even genuine refugees have no option but to cross the channel in small boats	26	11	44	40	41	13	24	27	29	31	23	18	30	20	36	27	24	20	30
Neither	13	8	19	17	17	8	12	14	14	15	12	8	13	12	12	11	13	13	19
Don't know	17	11	12	12	14	10	14	19	32	18	14	10	15	19	17	15	16	20	12

Different people and political parties have suggested different ways of trying to deal with the issue of migrants crossing the channel in small boats.

Which of the following do you think would be the best way of addressing this issue?

By making it easier for people to apply for asylum in Britain from overseas, so they don't need to try and cross the channel in boats	39	24	62	61	62	21	37	41	39	44	37	33	45	31	52	38	35	34	49
By making deals with France to increase security, to try and intercept people attempting to cross the channel in boats	11	9	11	12	13	8	10	13	13	10	12	11	10	13	8	13	13	10	10
By sending people who cross the channel in boats to Rwanda, to try and deter them from coming to Britain	10	17	5	6	4	17	11	9	6	10	9	13	9	11	8	9	12	10	10
By deploying the Royal navy to patrol the channel and turnaround boats trying to reach the UK	21	36	7	10	8	39	24	18	5	16	27	30	19	23	10	21	22	28	13
Some other solution	6	6	7	6	6	7	7	6	8	6	7	5	7	6	7	7	6	5	6
Don't know	13	8	7	5	7	7	12	13	29	15	8	6	10	16	15	12	12	14	11