## YouGov Survey Results



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The state pension "triple lock" is a rule that means that the state pension must rise each year in line with the \*\*highest\*\* of three possible figures: how much the average price of goods and services have risen nationally; how much average earnings have risen nationally; or by 2.5%. Would you support keeping this rule in place, or scrapping the rule and having the government decide each year the amount it wants to change the state pension by?

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Increasing the state pension at a time when cuts to public spending have to be made

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And if keeping the "triple lock" in place meant that each of the following scenarios would happen, would you prefer to keep the triple lock in place, or prefer to scrap it so that this scenario could be prevented? As a reminder, the state pension "triple lock" is a rule that means that the state pension must rise each year in line with the \*\*highest\*\* of three possible figures: how much the average price of goods and services have risen nationally; how much average earnings have risen nationally; or by

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Would prefer to keep the triple lock in place and let this scenario happen	49	54	47	50	49	55	51	47	36	38	56	68	49	49	43	50	49	50	51	44	65	36	36	40	51	71	64
Would prefer to scrap the triple lock and prevent this scenario from happening	21	20	24	26	27	18	23	19	21	26	19	15	25	16	22	22	22	19	21	22	18	21	26	28	19	16	17
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Would prefer to scrap the triple lock and prevent this scenario from happening	16	15	20	20	20	15	19	14	15	22	14	11	19	13	17	16	17	15	17	18	12	16	21	23	16	11	10
Don't know	29	23	30	26	25	25	25	33	42	37	26	13	27	33	35	27	28	32	26	34	14	42	39	32	30	14	14
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Would prefer to keep the triple lock in place and let this scenario happen	54	58	52	55	56	59	55	52	38	43	61	72	54	53	48	54	56	52	58	48	72	36	44	45	56	75	69
Would prefer to scrap the triple lock and prevent this scenario from happening	15	16	18	19	19	14	18	14	14	19	13	12	18	12	15	17	16	14	13	16	13	16	16	23	14	11	13
Don't know	31	26	30	25	25	27	27	35	49	38	26	16	27	36	37	29	28	34	28	36	15	48	40	32	31	13	19
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Would prefer to keep the triple lock in place and let this scenario happen	50	59	46	51	50	58	52	49	35	39	58	70	51	50	46	51	49	52	52	44	70	34	37	43	53	71	68
Would prefer to scrap the triple lock and prevent this scenario from happening	18	15	21	22	23	14	19	16	19	22	14	13	20	14	18	18	20	15	16	19	13	19	23	21	14	13	14
Don't know	32	27	33	26	27	28	29	35	46	39	28	17	29	36	36	31	30	34	32	37	17	47	40	36	33	16	18
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Would prefer to keep the triple lock in place and let this scenario happen	51	58	46	54	50	58	53	49	33	39	58	72	51	51	48	51	50	53	50	45	69	34	39	41	52	74	69
Would prefer to scrap the triple lock and prevent this scenario from happening	17	15	23	20	22	15	19	16	21	21	14	12	20	14	16	19	19	13	21	19	13	20	22	22	14	11	13
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Alternatively, if keeping the "triple lock" in place meant that each of the following scenarios would happen, would you prefer to keep the triple lock in place, or make an exception in that case and increase the state pension by a smaller amount that year? As a reminder, the state pension "triple lock" is a rule that means that the state pension must rise each year in line with the \*\*highest\*\* of three possible figures: how much the average price of goods and services have risen nationally; how much average earnings have risen nationally; or by 2.5%.

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Would prefer to keep the triple lock in place and let this scenario happen	44	49	41	46	44	51	47	41	31	34	52	61	43	45	39	47	42	44	46	39	59	30	33	37	48	64	57
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