

YouGov / Nuclear Education Trust Survey Results

Sample Size: 1765 Adults in UK

Fieldwork: 4th - 5th July 2022

	Vote In 2019 GE				2016 EU Ref		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	Northern Ireland
Weighted Sample	1765	579	427	154	655	694	860	905	192	736	427	409	1006	759	205	577	378	413	146	46
Unweighted Sample	1765	572	426	145	708	680	797	968	165	739	422	438	1049	716	174	578	389	421	147	56
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Which of these best describes your view on the use of nuclear weapons?

The use of nuclear weapons is unacceptable under any circumstance	68	56	74	77	75	61	62	73	67	67	70	67	69	66	72	65	73	63	69	76
There are some circumstances in which the use of nuclear weapons is acceptable	19	33	16	11	16	28	27	12	13	18	20	25	21	18	18	22	15	22	19	14
Don't know	13	11	10	12	9	12	11	15	20	15	10	9	11	16	10	14	11	15	12	11

And how worried, if at all, are you that a nuclear weapon could be used in a conflict in the next two years?

Very worried	19	18	23	20	22	19	16	23	15	17	20	24	20	19	20	19	20	17	24	21
Fairly worried	37	38	37	43	40	38	32	43	32	37	36	41	38	36	37	39	41	33	35	28
TOTAL WORRIED	56	56	60	63	62	57	48	66	47	54	56	65	58	55	57	58	61	50	59	49
Not very worried	28	32	26	30	27	29	33	23	28	26	33	26	29	26	24	27	26	32	27	31
Not at all worried	8	8	9	4	6	9	12	4	8	10	7	5	7	9	10	8	5	8	9	14
TOTAL NOT WORRIED	36	40	35	34	33	38	45	27	36	36	40	31	36	35	34	35	31	40	36	45
Don't know	8	5	5	2	5	5	8	7	17	9	3	4	6	9	9	6	8	9	5	7

To what extent would you support or oppose all countries with nuclear weapons committing to a policy of not using nuclear weapons first in a conflict?

Strongly support	62	60	70	73	71	60	63	61	49	60	65	70	68	55	61	63	61	63	63	63
Tend to support	17	21	14	18	14	20	17	18	20	17	18	17	16	19	18	17	18	18	15	14
TOTAL SUPPORT	79	81	84	91	85	80	80	79	69	77	83	87	84	74	79	80	79	81	78	77
Tend to oppose	4	5	5	3	4	5	6	3	6	5	5	2	4	5	8	3	4	5	3	4
Strongly oppose	4	2	3	2	3	4	4	4	6	5	4	2	3	5	3	3	4	5	5	7
TOTAL OPPOSE	8	7	8	5	7	9	10	7	12	10	9	4	7	10	11	6	8	10	8	11
Don't know	12	12	7	3	9	12	10	14	19	14	9	8	9	16	9	14	13	10	14	12

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Do you think there needs to be more or less of the following, or do you think the current amount is about right?

Public information on nuclear weapons

More	58	52	68	62	62	58	55	62	52	56	61	62	59	57	60	57	58	59	55	70
The current amount is about right	25	34	20	27	25	28	30	21	23	25	28	24	26	24	19	28	24	26	30	18
Less	3	3	3	1	2	4	4	2	7	3	2	1	3	3	6	2	4	2	4	4
Don't know	13	12	10	11	11	11	11	15	17	15	9	12	11	16	14	13	14	13	11	9

Education in school and/or college on nuclear weapons

More	49	45	56	54	53	49	49	50	47	46	52	52	49	49	48	47	51	52	46	60
The current amount is about right	25	30	23	24	24	25	28	21	25	28	24	19	25	24	24	27	22	24	26	18
Less	4	4	3	2	2	5	4	4	6	4	2	3	4	3	5	3	5	3	4	5
Don't know	23	21	19	20	21	20	20	25	22	22	21	26	22	24	24	24	22	21	24	17

Public debate about nuclear weapons

More	45	35	54	46	53	42	44	47	38	43	51	46	45	45	48	39	45	49	51	63
The current amount is about right	32	42	27	38	29	35	37	27	35	31	31	32	35	27	30	38	29	30	24	23
Less	5	7	4	4	4	6	6	4	6	5	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	4
Don't know	18	17	15	13	15	17	14	23	21	20	14	18	15	22	17	18	21	17	20	10