

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 1598 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 9th - 10th March 2015

	Westminster VI					2010 Vote			Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region				
Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Male	Female	18-24	25-39	40-59	60+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland	
Weighted Sample	1598	X	X	X	X	465	387	290	775	823	190	404	547	457	911	687	205	519	342	393	139
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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

In what year of school do you think children should first receive sex education?

Year 1 (aged 5-6)	3	2	4	7	0	1	3	6	3	3	5	4	3	2	4	3	5	3	3	3	2
Year 2 (aged 6-7)	2	1	2	4	1	1	3	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	1	2
Year 3 (aged 7-8)	6	5	8	1	4	3	7	8	6	5	10	5	5	5	5	6	5	6	8	4	3
Year 4 (aged 8-9)	7	7	8	12	4	6	8	6	6	8	11	6	7	6	6	8	2	11	8	5	4
Year 5 (aged 9-10)	14	17	14	19	8	15	13	17	13	16	16	13	15	13	17	10	9	16	16	14	11
Year 6 (aged 10-11)	21	19	22	23	21	19	24	23	20	23	26	19	25	16	22	21	14	21	23	24	24
Year 7 (aged 11-12)	20	20	18	14	25	23	23	14	18	22	13	23	16	24	19	21	18	20	19	21	20
Year 8 (aged 12-13)	11	16	10	5	13	17	7	9	12	10	8	11	11	13	11	12	19	9	9	11	15
Year 9 (aged 13-14)	5	5	3	6	15	9	3	4	7	4	1	7	5	6	4	7	8	6	5	4	4
Year 10 (aged 14-15)	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	1	3	2	1	1	3	2	2	2	3	1	1	2	5
Year 11 (aged 15-16)	2	2	1	1	3	2	1	1	2	1	0	1	2	3	1	2	1	1	1	3	3
Never, there should be no sex education in schools	1	1	0	2	1	2	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	2
Don't know	6	4	7	3	2	3	6	6	8	5	6	8	6	5	6	7	14	4	5	6	6

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

And specifically thinking about sex education taught in primary schools, which of the following topic areas, if any, do you think should and should not be taught or discussed?

[This questions was asked to respondents who said there should be sex education taught in schools in the last question, n=1583]

Contraception

Should be taught or discussed	74	73	77	75	73	71	78	74	76	72	74	76	73	73	73	76	72	75	72	75	77
Should not be taught or discussed	19	21	17	19	24	23	16	19	16	22	15	18	20	21	21	17	21	19	23	17	13
Don't know	7	6	6	6	3	6	6	6	8	6	11	6	7	6	6	7	7	6	5	8	10

Biology

Should be taught or discussed	92	93	93	95	92	93	91	95	91	94	94	93	90	94	93	92	93	93	94	90	91
Should not be taught or discussed	3	4	3	0	5	4	4	2	4	3	1	3	4	4	3	3	1	5	2	4	2
Don't know	4	2	3	5	3	2	5	3	6	3	5	4	6	3	4	5	6	2	4	6	7

Issues of consent

Should be taught or discussed	82	81	86	81	81	80	85	83	83	82	88	84	83	78	81	84	87	81	80	83	85
Should not be taught or discussed	12	14	10	14	14	14	10	12	11	13	7	8	12	16	12	11	7	14	13	12	8
Don't know	6	5	4	5	6	6	5	5	7	5	5	8	5	6	6	5	6	6	7	5	7

Relationships in general

Should be taught or discussed	89	90	91	91	89	90	89	91	87	90	90	91	87	89	89	89	90	91	89	86	86
Should not be taught or discussed	6	7	4	5	7	7	5	4	7	5	4	5	7	7	6	6	4	5	8	7	7
Don't know	5	3	5	3	4	3	6	4	6	4	6	5	6	4	5	5	6	4	4	7	7

Homosexual relationships

Should be taught or discussed	61	58	66	74	47	49	64	68	59	63	79	68	58	52	62	60	59	63	57	62	65
Should not be taught or discussed	28	32	23	18	45	39	24	22	29	26	14	22	31	36	27	30	31	27	32	25	25
Don't know	11	10	10	8	8	12	12	10	12	10	7	10	11	13	11	11	10	10	11	13	10

Pregnancy

Should be taught or discussed	83	84	84	85	85	83	85	81	84	82	88	84	84	80	85	81	83	83	85	83	80
Should not be taught or discussed	11	12	11	9	14	14	11	12	10	13	7	10	10	16	11	13	9	13	10	11	13
Don't know	5	3	4	6	1	3	4	8	6	5	6	6	6	4	5	6	8	4	5	6	7

Sexually transmitted diseases

Should be taught or discussed	70	70	72	71	69	66	73	70	72	69	73	71	69	70	69	72	71	70	69	71	72
Should not be taught or discussed	22	24	21	24	27	27	18	22	19	25	20	20	23	23	23	21	21	22	25	20	19
Don't know	8	6	7	5	4	7	8	8	9	6	7	10	7	7	8	8	8	6	9	9	