YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 1658 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 28th - 29th September 2016

		EU Ref Vote 2016			Voting Intention				Vote in 2015				Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region				
	Total	Remain	Leave	Did not vote	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	UKIP	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland
Weighted Sample	**1658**	652	708	248	442	343	103	157	468	388	99	161	802	856	192	708	410	348	945	713	199	550	356	400	153
Unweighted Sample	1658	797	700	134	461	378	116	154	482	424	117	166	717	941	164	678	431	385	1022	636	179	572	355	387	165
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Do you think students from overseas who pay to come and study at British universities have a positive or negative impact on...																									
British universities?																									
A positive impact	**51**	70	40	41	51	69	74	29	51	62	66	32	55	48	66	51	49	47	57	44	53	51	46	50	65
A negative impact	**9**	5	13	10	11	6	5	16	11	6	3	14	10	9	5	10	11	8	9	9	12	10	10	8	7
No real impact either way	**25**	17	33	23	28	18	19	46	27	21	25	38	23	26	17	21	29	32	23	27	22	25	26	27	18
Don't know	**15**	8	14	27	10	8	2	9	11	11	6	15	12	17	12	19	11	13	11	20	13	14	19	15	10
The wider British economy?																									
A positive impact	**46**	68	32	39	47	64	70	22	48	55	58	22	51	43	59	49	43	39	54	36	48	45	44	46	56
A negative impact	**11**	6	16	9	12	8	4	25	11	10	6	22	13	9	9	10	13	10	10	12	14	13	9	9	9
No real impact either way	**26**	17	35	22	29	19	24	41	27	22	28	41	24	27	15	20	30	36	23	29	22	26	26	28	21
Don't know	**17**	9	17	31	12	9	2	12	14	13	8	15	13	21	17	20	14	15	13	23	16	16	21	17	14
And generally speaking, do you think the government should encourage more students from overseas to pay to come and study at British universities or to discourage or limit the number of overseas students coming to Britain?																									
Should try to encourage overseas students to come here	**46**	67	35	30	49	60	72	27	46	57	61	25	50	43	60	43	46	46	52	38	55	49	40	41	57
Should try to deter or limit the number of overseas students coming here	**30**	16	43	28	35	21	14	56	36	21	20	51	29	30	17	27	34	39	27	34	27	30	32	31	27
Don't know	**24**	17	22	41	16	20	15	17	19	22	19	24	21	26	24	30	21	15	21	28	18	21	28	29	16
Do you think there should be a fixed limit on the number of overseas students universities are allowed to accept each year, or should universities be able to choose how many they accept?																									
There should be a limit to the number of overseas students universities can accept	**51**	40	64	42	58	43	33	68	57	46	48	67	48	53	37	48	53	60	48	54	48	53	49	51	50
Universities should be able to choose how many overseas students they accept	**35**	50	24	29	34	46	60	20	32	41	40	23	39	31	46	33	37	31	40	29	40	36	33	31	42
Don't know	**14**	9	12	30	8	10	7	12	10	13	12	10	13	16	17	19	10	9	12	17	11	11	19	19	8

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Do you think students from overseas who remain in Britain after finishing their university degree have a positive or negative impact on Britain?

A positive impact	**42**	64	26	36	40	61	67	16	39	54	54	19	46	38	57	44	38	35	49	33	52	42	34	40	54
A negative impact	**13**	6	22	9	15	8	4	37	14	9	4	32	14	12	12	10	16	17	13	14	12	15	15	12	9
No real impact either way	**25**	16	31	26	28	18	22	32	27	22	24	31	22	27	15	23	28	30	21	29	19	25	27	26	20
Don't know	**20**	14	21	28	16	12	7	14	19	15	17	19	18	23	16	24	18	18	18	23	17	18	24	23	17

After finishing university, do you think overseas students who have come to study at British universities should have to return to their own countries, or should they be allowed to remain in Britain?

Should be allowed to stay in Britain after finishing university	**37**	58	22	32	33	56	57	9	32	48	44	14	41	34	57	39	30	32	43	29	47	35	30	36	53
Should have to return to their own country after finishing university	**39**	24	57	31	48	25	27	77	47	29	32	70	39	40	20	33	48	53	36	45	35	42	43	38	31
Don't know	**23**	19	21	38	19	18	16	14	21	23	24	16	20	26	23	28	22	16	21	26	19	23	27	26	16

After finishing university, do you think overseas students who have come to study at British universities should or should not be allowed to stay in Britain for a limited amount of time to look for a graduate level job?

Should be allowed	**54**	73	42	46	59	67	76	26	57	61	63	30	56	53	73	53	50	51	62	45	65	53	46	52	69
Should not be allowed	**28**	14	42	25	29	19	19	65	29	20	21	58	28	27	12	24	33	37	24	32	23	29	30	28	21
Don't know	**18**	13	16	29	12	15	5	10	14	19	16	12	15	20	16	22	17	12	14	23	12	17	23	20	9

Now thinking about the official figures for immigrants coming to the UK, do you think overseas students coming to study at British universities should or should not be included in immigration figures?

Should be included	**50**	42	58	47	57	47	47	64	54	47	47	66	52	47	44	48	52	53	50	49	52	49	49	49	52
Should not be included	**34**	46	29	18	35	39	46	28	37	37	42	25	35	33	32	31	38	37	37	31	33	35	33	34	38
Don't know	**16**	11	13	35	8	14	7	8	10	17	11	9	13	20	24	20	10	10	13	20	15	16	18	17	10

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