

YouGov Survey: School Issues



Sample 1000 U.S. Adult Citizens
Conducted August 10 - 15, 2023
Margin of Error $\pm 3.6\%$

1. When you were a child and summer ended, how did you usually feel about going back to school in the fall?

Very happy	14%
Somewhat happy	23%
Neither happy nor sad	17%
Somewhat sad	24%
Very sad	17%
I didn't attend school	1%
Not sure	3%

2. As a parent, how do you usually feel when summer ends and your children return to school in the fall?

Asked of parents of children in grades K-12

Very happy	21%
Somewhat happy	19%
Neither happy nor sad	23%
Somewhat sad	23%
Very sad	11%
My children don't attend school	2%
Not sure	2%

3. How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Very concerned	Somewhat concerned	Not very concerned	Not concerned at all
Teacher shortages	39%	37%	15%	8%
Funding shortages	34%	36%	20%	10%
Students not meeting learning objectives	45%	38%	13%	5%
A lack of parent involvement	35%	36%	21%	8%
A lack of access to classroom technology	21%	38%	26%	14%
Depression and anxiety among students	40%	41%	13%	6%
Bullying	50%	32%	14%	5%
Sexual abuse	43%	30%	21%	6%
Students being indoctrinated with liberal ideas	37%	19%	18%	25%
Students being indoctrinated with conservative ideas	22%	26%	22%	29%
The spread of COVID-19	18%	25%	31%	26%
COVID-19 restrictions	21%	20%	33%	26%
Learning loss due to COVID-19	32%	37%	20%	11%
Too much parent involvement	11%	20%	35%	34%
Too much access to classroom technology	10%	26%	38%	26%
The banning of books	44%	25%	19%	13%
The availability of inappropriate books	26%	22%	24%	28%

4. Do you think there is a shortage of K-12 teachers in your local area?

Yes	39%
No	25%
Not sure	36%

5. How big of a problem is the K-12 teacher shortage in your local area?

Asked of people who say there is a shortage of K-12 teachers in their local area

A very big problem	28%
Somewhat of a problem	52%
Not a very big problem	9%
Not a problem	1%
Not sure	10%

6. Below is a list of proposed solutions for places with shortages of K-12 teachers and funding. To what extent do you support or oppose...?

	Strongly support	Somewhat support	Neither support nor oppose	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose
Paying teachers more	47%	24%	18%	5%	6%
Paying teachers less	4%	5%	14%	18%	59%
Allowing people who did not graduate college to teach	7%	18%	29%	18%	27%
Recruiting uncertified veterans to teach	8%	17%	31%	18%	25%
Reducing the school week from five days to four days	12%	19%	26%	18%	25%
Increasing taxes on local residents to fund schools	9%	15%	28%	19%	28%

7. Do you know anyone who is or was a K-12 public school teacher? Select all that apply.

Yes, me	5%
Yes, a family member	25%
Yes, a close friend	31%
None of the above	49%

8. Do you think public schools should provide the following to...?

	All students	Low-income students only	No students	Not sure
Free breakfast	57%	30%	8%	5%
Free lunch	60%	29%	6%	4%
Free dinner	31%	29%	24%	16%

Interviewing Dates August 10 - 15, 2023

Target population U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.

Sampling method Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.

Weighting The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to March 15, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 28% Republican). The weights range from 0.143 to 5.553, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.571.

Number of respondents 1000

Margin of error $\pm 3.6\%$ (adjusted for weighting)

Survey mode Web-based interviews

Questions not reported 61 questions not reported.

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1. Memory of Back to School

When you were a child and summer ended, how did you usually feel about going back to school in the fall?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very happy	14%	9%	18%	15%	14%	10%	19%	14%	15%	15%	11%
Somewhat happy	23%	21%	24%	17%	22%	19%	35%	24%	25%	17%	17%
Neither happy nor sad	17%	19%	16%	14%	18%	18%	19%	17%	22%	16%	14%
Somewhat sad	24%	27%	22%	25%	25%	29%	16%	26%	13%	26%	24%
Very sad	17%	18%	15%	23%	15%	20%	9%	15%	17%	20%	31%
I didn't attend school	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%
Not sure	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	2%	3%	6%	4%	3%
Totals	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(449)	(550)	(166)	(263)	(360)	(210)	(569)	(130)	(175)	(125)

	Party ID				2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very happy	14%	17%	13%	12%	15%	14%	14%	14%	18%	16%	13%	13%	15%
Somewhat happy	23%	25%	19%	25%	27%	24%	22%	26%	22%	15%	27%	22%	26%
Neither happy nor sad	17%	15%	20%	17%	16%	17%	19%	15%	14%	22%	16%	19%	13%
Somewhat sad	24%	23%	21%	30%	22%	27%	20%	29%	31%	25%	21%	26%	23%
Very sad	17%	17%	21%	12%	16%	14%	21%	13%	11%	19%	17%	15%	19%
I didn't attend school	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%
Not sure	3%	2%	5%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	2%	2%	5%	3%	2%
Totals	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(339)	(401)	(259)	(349)	(324)	(451)	(248)	(191)	(182)	(210)	(379)	(228)

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2. Parent Feelings Back to School

As a parent, how do you usually feel when summer ends and your children return to school in the fall?

Asked of parents of children in grades K-12

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very happy	21%	*	19%	*	25%	*	*	19%	*	*	*
Somewhat happy	19%	*	21%	*	22%	*	*	17%	*	*	*
Neither happy nor sad	23%	*	22%	*	21%	*	*	22%	*	*	*
Somewhat sad	23%	*	20%	*	17%	*	*	24%	*	*	*
Very sad	11%	*	15%	*	14%	*	*	16%	*	*	*
My children don't attend school	2%	*	1%	*	0%	*	*	1%	*	*	*
Not sure	2%	*	2%	*	1%	*	*	1%	*	*	*
Totals	101%	*	100%	*	100%	*	*	100%	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(218)	(97)	(121)	(31)	(110)	(73)	(4)	(103)	(35)	(55)	(25)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very happy	21%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Somewhat happy	19%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Neither happy nor sad	23%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Somewhat sad	23%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Very sad	11%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
My children don't attend school	2%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Not sure	2%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Totals	101%	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(218)	(72)	(95)	(51)	(60)	(73)	(88)	(60)	(53)	(49)	(44)	(83)	(42)

3A. Local School Concerns — Teacher shortages

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	39%	36%	42%	33%	44%	41%	37%	37%	52%	44%	30%
Somewhat concerned	37%	38%	37%	45%	30%	35%	42%	41%	26%	34%	36%
Not very concerned	15%	15%	16%	14%	19%	14%	14%	15%	15%	15%	24%
Not concerned at all	8%	11%	5%	7%	8%	10%	7%	8%	7%	8%	10%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(449)	(548)	(166)	(263)	(360)	(208)	(567)	(130)	(175)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	39%	51%	37%	27%	54%	31%	41%	41%	36%	30%	36%	42%	43%
Somewhat concerned	37%	32%	39%	42%	33%	38%	37%	37%	37%	41%	36%	36%	38%
Not very concerned	15%	13%	16%	17%	9%	18%	13%	13%	21%	21%	14%	15%	13%
Not concerned at all	8%	4%	7%	14%	4%	13%	8%	9%	7%	8%	13%	6%	6%
Totals	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(338)	(399)	(260)	(348)	(324)	(451)	(247)	(190)	(183)	(210)	(377)	(227)

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3B. Local School Concerns — Funding shortages

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	34%	34%	34%	35%	41%	33%	27%	30%	48%	40%	37%
Somewhat concerned	36%	34%	37%	41%	31%	35%	36%	39%	28%	30%	29%
Not very concerned	20%	20%	21%	18%	19%	20%	24%	21%	15%	21%	20%
Not concerned at all	10%	12%	8%	6%	8%	12%	13%	10%	9%	8%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(449)	(549)	(166)	(262)	(361)	(209)	(569)	(130)	(175)	(124)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	34%	41%	37%	21%	45%	23%	37%	32%	29%	28%	32%	36%	36%
Somewhat concerned	36%	40%	32%	36%	36%	33%	35%	40%	31%	38%	33%	35%	37%
Not very concerned	20%	13%	21%	27%	13%	29%	20%	17%	28%	24%	22%	20%	17%
Not concerned at all	10%	5%	10%	15%	7%	15%	8%	12%	11%	10%	13%	8%	9%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(339)	(400)	(259)	(349)	(324)	(451)	(247)	(191)	(183)	(210)	(378)	(227)

3C. Local School Concerns — Students not meeting learning objectives

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	45%	47%	43%	31%	38%	51%	57%	45%	53%	42%	37%
Somewhat concerned	38%	35%	40%	49%	40%	31%	33%	39%	30%	37%	40%
Not very concerned	13%	12%	13%	15%	16%	13%	6%	13%	8%	13%	15%
Not concerned at all	5%	6%	4%	6%	6%	5%	3%	3%	10%	8%	8%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(450)	(550)	(166)	(263)	(361)	(210)	(570)	(130)	(175)	(125)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	45%	41%	47%	47%	42%	54%	46%	43%	46%	39%	46%	45%	50%
Somewhat concerned	38%	42%	35%	35%	41%	32%	35%	43%	34%	39%	34%	40%	35%
Not very concerned	13%	14%	11%	12%	12%	10%	12%	11%	17%	17%	12%	12%	11%
Not concerned at all	5%	3%	6%	6%	4%	3%	7%	3%	3%	6%	8%	3%	4%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(339)	(401)	(260)	(349)	(325)	(452)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(210)	(379)	(228)

3D. Local School Concerns — A lack of parent involvement

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	35%	36%	34%	24%	32%	43%	37%	34%	40%	39%	25%
Somewhat concerned	36%	34%	38%	34%	38%	32%	41%	37%	31%	36%	36%
Not very concerned	21%	20%	22%	33%	21%	16%	16%	22%	19%	16%	28%
Not concerned at all	8%	10%	6%	9%	9%	9%	5%	7%	10%	9%	11%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(449)	(546)	(166)	(261)	(358)	(210)	(566)	(130)	(175)	(124)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	35%	29%	36%	41%	25%	51%	36%	31%	34%	29%	31%	40%	35%
Somewhat concerned	36%	36%	37%	34%	39%	31%	37%	41%	31%	42%	38%	34%	33%
Not very concerned	21%	29%	18%	16%	27%	12%	18%	23%	26%	18%	21%	21%	24%
Not concerned at all	8%	6%	9%	9%	9%	6%	9%	6%	9%	11%	11%	6%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(337)	(400)	(258)	(348)	(325)	(449)	(248)	(189)	(181)	(209)	(379)	(226)

3E. Local School Concerns — A lack of access to classroom technology

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	21%	23%	20%	21%	23%	22%	17%	16%	39%	29%	24%
Somewhat concerned	38%	36%	40%	40%	37%	36%	41%	41%	36%	30%	33%
Not very concerned	26%	27%	25%	26%	24%	27%	27%	29%	14%	27%	23%
Not concerned at all	14%	14%	15%	13%	16%	14%	14%	14%	12%	14%	19%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(449)	(549)	(166)	(263)	(360)	(209)	(568)	(130)	(175)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	21%	26%	21%	15%	27%	18%	26%	18%	18%	24%	17%	21%	23%
Somewhat concerned	38%	42%	35%	38%	44%	34%	37%	43%	39%	28%	37%	42%	41%
Not very concerned	26%	24%	28%	26%	19%	31%	23%	25%	30%	33%	24%	27%	21%
Not concerned at all	14%	7%	16%	20%	10%	17%	14%	14%	12%	14%	22%	10%	15%
Totals	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(339)	(399)	(260)	(348)	(324)	(450)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(210)	(378)	(227)

3F. Local School Concerns — Depression and anxiety among students

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	40%	35%	44%	46%	45%	35%	33%	37%	46%	45%	43%
Somewhat concerned	41%	41%	42%	35%	35%	46%	47%	44%	37%	37%	36%
Not very concerned	13%	16%	10%	14%	11%	13%	14%	14%	8%	11%	15%
Not concerned at all	6%	8%	4%	5%	8%	6%	6%	5%	10%	6%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(450)	(545)	(166)	(263)	(357)	(209)	(567)	(130)	(175)	(123)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	40%	44%	38%	36%	44%	35%	42%	35%	36%	41%	30%	42%	42%
Somewhat concerned	41%	40%	44%	40%	41%	41%	41%	46%	43%	36%	49%	40%	41%
Not very concerned	13%	13%	12%	14%	11%	16%	9%	14%	18%	19%	12%	12%	11%
Not concerned at all	6%	3%	7%	9%	4%	8%	8%	5%	3%	4%	9%	6%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(995)	(338)	(400)	(257)	(347)	(323)	(449)	(246)	(191)	(181)	(209)	(378)	(227)

3G. Local School Concerns — Bullying

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	50%	43%	57%	48%	51%	53%	47%	48%	54%	56%	48%
Somewhat concerned	32%	32%	31%	34%	28%	27%	39%	34%	23%	27%	28%
Not very concerned	14%	19%	9%	14%	15%	14%	12%	14%	15%	11%	17%
Not concerned at all	5%	6%	3%	4%	5%	6%	2%	3%	8%	6%	6%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(449)	(549)	(166)	(262)	(361)	(209)	(570)	(130)	(174)	(124)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	50%	54%	49%	46%	54%	44%	56%	44%	40%	48%	47%	54%	47%
Somewhat concerned	32%	32%	31%	31%	33%	33%	27%	40%	34%	31%	30%	30%	36%
Not very concerned	14%	12%	14%	17%	11%	17%	10%	13%	25%	20%	14%	11%	13%
Not concerned at all	5%	2%	5%	6%	2%	6%	6%	3%	1%	1%	9%	4%	3%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(338)	(400)	(260)	(348)	(325)	(452)	(248)	(190)	(183)	(208)	(379)	(228)

3H. Local School Concerns — Sexual abuse

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	43%	42%	43%	41%	50%	43%	37%	39%	61%	46%	43%
Somewhat concerned	30%	30%	30%	31%	24%	31%	34%	33%	14%	29%	30%
Not very concerned	21%	21%	21%	24%	20%	19%	21%	21%	17%	21%	22%
Not concerned at all	6%	7%	6%	4%	6%	7%	7%	6%	8%	4%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(449)	(550)	(166)	(263)	(360)	(210)	(570)	(129)	(175)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	43%	42%	42%	45%	37%	45%	48%	39%	30%	37%	38%	46%	46%
Somewhat concerned	30%	32%	31%	26%	34%	29%	28%	34%	35%	30%	30%	31%	29%
Not very concerned	21%	21%	21%	22%	24%	20%	18%	23%	27%	22%	24%	20%	19%
Not concerned at all	6%	5%	6%	7%	4%	7%	6%	5%	8%	10%	8%	3%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(339)	(400)	(260)	(348)	(325)	(451)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(209)	(379)	(228)

3I. Local School Concerns — Students being indoctrinated with liberal ideas

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	37%	41%	34%	25%	34%	41%	48%	42%	24%	32%	32%
Somewhat concerned	19%	18%	20%	22%	25%	18%	12%	15%	33%	25%	24%
Not very concerned	18%	16%	20%	21%	19%	18%	14%	18%	24%	16%	12%
Not concerned at all	25%	26%	25%	32%	21%	23%	26%	25%	19%	28%	31%
Totals	99%	101%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(450)	(548)	(166)	(263)	(360)	(209)	(569)	(130)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	37%	14%	36%	67%	10%	74%	34%	35%	44%	34%	40%	38%	37%
Somewhat concerned	19%	19%	23%	15%	18%	15%	20%	22%	14%	28%	13%	24%	12%
Not very concerned	18%	25%	17%	11%	21%	8%	21%	14%	15%	18%	20%	16%	20%
Not concerned at all	25%	42%	24%	7%	52%	3%	25%	28%	27%	21%	27%	22%	31%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(339)	(399)	(260)	(349)	(325)	(452)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(208)	(379)	(228)

3J. Local School Concerns — Students being indoctrinated with conservative ideas

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	22%	22%	23%	26%	24%	22%	19%	19%	35%	24%	32%
Somewhat concerned	26%	25%	28%	35%	29%	22%	21%	24%	32%	34%	27%
Not very concerned	22%	21%	24%	25%	24%	23%	18%	24%	19%	20%	19%
Not concerned at all	29%	32%	26%	14%	23%	33%	43%	33%	13%	23%	21%
Totals	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	99%
Unweighted N	(994)	(449)	(545)	(166)	(261)	(359)	(208)	(567)	(130)	(174)	(123)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	22%	32%	23%	11%	34%	13%	24%	21%	24%	22%	17%	23%	27%
Somewhat concerned	26%	36%	27%	14%	32%	13%	28%	27%	20%	30%	22%	29%	24%
Not very concerned	22%	22%	21%	25%	20%	20%	23%	22%	23%	24%	24%	20%	23%
Not concerned at all	29%	10%	29%	50%	14%	54%	26%	30%	33%	24%	37%	28%	26%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(994)	(335)	(399)	(260)	(345)	(325)	(451)	(247)	(189)	(181)	(209)	(379)	(225)

3K. Local School Concerns — The spread of COVID-19

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	18%	19%	18%	21%	26%	17%	9%	11%	45%	25%	22%
Somewhat concerned	25%	22%	27%	31%	20%	23%	27%	25%	21%	27%	28%
Not very concerned	31%	30%	32%	33%	26%	29%	37%	35%	22%	24%	25%
Not concerned at all	26%	29%	23%	15%	28%	31%	26%	29%	12%	24%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(449)	(549)	(166)	(262)	(360)	(210)	(568)	(130)	(175)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	18%	29%	16%	8%	24%	6%	22%	17%	12%	16%	12%	22%	20%
Somewhat concerned	25%	30%	25%	19%	34%	15%	25%	27%	20%	30%	27%	23%	22%
Not very concerned	31%	31%	32%	29%	30%	33%	28%	33%	35%	35%	21%	32%	35%
Not concerned at all	26%	10%	27%	44%	11%	45%	24%	22%	33%	19%	41%	23%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(338)	(400)	(260)	(349)	(324)	(451)	(247)	(191)	(182)	(210)	(379)	(227)

3L. Local School Concerns — COVID-19 restrictions

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	21%	23%	19%	16%	25%	20%	22%	19%	30%	24%	14%
Somewhat concerned	20%	21%	19%	24%	20%	19%	19%	18%	27%	27%	21%
Not very concerned	33%	29%	36%	41%	28%	29%	35%	36%	24%	23%	36%
Not concerned at all	26%	27%	25%	19%	26%	32%	23%	27%	18%	26%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(996)	(449)	(547)	(166)	(262)	(358)	(210)	(569)	(129)	(174)	(124)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	21%	19%	20%	25%	13%	30%	21%	21%	22%	20%	21%	19%	25%
Somewhat concerned	20%	20%	21%	19%	20%	19%	24%	21%	13%	24%	17%	21%	19%
Not very concerned	33%	34%	34%	29%	36%	28%	27%	34%	37%	34%	31%	36%	28%
Not concerned at all	26%	26%	25%	27%	31%	22%	28%	24%	29%	22%	31%	23%	29%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%
Unweighted N	(996)	(335)	(401)	(260)	(345)	(325)	(451)	(246)	(191)	(182)	(210)	(376)	(228)

3M. Local School Concerns — Learning loss due to COVID-19

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	32%	35%	29%	27%	33%	31%	38%	31%	41%	35%	24%
Somewhat concerned	37%	34%	40%	40%	37%	33%	40%	39%	32%	33%	34%
Not very concerned	20%	19%	20%	25%	17%	20%	17%	20%	12%	21%	26%
Not concerned at all	11%	12%	10%	8%	13%	16%	5%	10%	15%	11%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(450)	(548)	(166)	(262)	(360)	(210)	(569)	(130)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	32%	31%	31%	36%	30%	40%	28%	35%	35%	29%	30%	33%	35%
Somewhat concerned	37%	45%	35%	31%	46%	28%	39%	36%	36%	41%	36%	38%	34%
Not very concerned	20%	19%	21%	19%	18%	18%	19%	21%	20%	22%	15%	21%	20%
Not concerned at all	11%	6%	13%	15%	7%	14%	15%	8%	9%	8%	19%	9%	11%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(338)	(400)	(260)	(348)	(325)	(450)	(248)	(191)	(182)	(209)	(379)	(228)

3N. Local School Concerns — Too much parent involvement

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	11%	12%	10%	13%	14%	9%	7%	9%	11%	21%	12%
Somewhat concerned	20%	20%	21%	32%	23%	14%	15%	17%	28%	25%	24%
Not very concerned	35%	34%	37%	34%	36%	36%	35%	37%	35%	29%	32%
Not concerned at all	34%	35%	33%	21%	28%	41%	42%	37%	26%	26%	31%
Totals	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	99%
Unweighted N	(999)	(450)	(549)	(166)	(262)	(361)	(210)	(570)	(130)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	11%	15%	10%	7%	17%	7%	10%	8%	15%	12%	7%	10%	13%
Somewhat concerned	20%	27%	21%	11%	29%	10%	19%	27%	17%	25%	20%	18%	20%
Not very concerned	35%	37%	35%	34%	33%	33%	35%	33%	37%	42%	27%	36%	37%
Not concerned at all	34%	21%	34%	49%	22%	51%	36%	31%	30%	20%	46%	35%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	101%	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(339)	(400)	(260)	(349)	(324)	(451)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(210)	(378)	(228)

30. Local School Concerns — Too much access to classroom technology

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	10%	8%	12%	11%	17%	8%	3%	6%	19%	15%	16%
Somewhat concerned	26%	25%	27%	29%	23%	27%	26%	28%	24%	22%	23%
Not very concerned	38%	37%	39%	38%	39%	34%	44%	40%	33%	36%	38%
Not concerned at all	26%	30%	22%	23%	20%	31%	27%	26%	24%	28%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(450)	(546)	(166)	(261)	(360)	(209)	(569)	(129)	(173)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	10%	9%	13%	6%	9%	8%	9%	7%	10%	11%	8%	10%	9%
Somewhat concerned	26%	24%	24%	32%	19%	32%	32%	25%	20%	29%	28%	29%	19%
Not very concerned	38%	38%	39%	37%	39%	37%	33%	42%	43%	40%	35%	36%	44%
Not concerned at all	26%	29%	24%	24%	33%	23%	26%	25%	27%	21%	29%	25%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(996)	(338)	(399)	(259)	(347)	(324)	(450)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(207)	(378)	(228)

3P. Local School Concerns — The banning of books

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	44%	45%	43%	33%	42%	48%	48%	43%	49%	39%	46%
Somewhat concerned	25%	20%	29%	36%	24%	22%	19%	24%	22%	29%	27%
Not very concerned	19%	21%	16%	24%	21%	16%	17%	20%	15%	18%	15%
Not concerned at all	13%	14%	12%	6%	13%	14%	16%	12%	14%	14%	11%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(450)	(548)	(166)	(263)	(359)	(210)	(570)	(129)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	44%	54%	43%	31%	63%	31%	44%	47%	38%	39%	42%	46%	45%
Somewhat concerned	25%	26%	25%	22%	20%	22%	29%	19%	18%	28%	26%	22%	25%
Not very concerned	19%	13%	19%	26%	9%	25%	15%	20%	29%	27%	12%	19%	19%
Not concerned at all	13%	7%	12%	20%	7%	21%	12%	13%	14%	6%	20%	12%	11%
Totals	101%	100%	99%	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(338)	(400)	(260)	(348)	(325)	(451)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(210)	(377)	(228)

3Q. Local School Concerns — The availability of inappropriate books

How concerned are you about the following issues in public schools in your local area?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very concerned	26%	28%	25%	19%	30%	26%	30%	25%	34%	28%	27%
Somewhat concerned	22%	24%	19%	20%	23%	23%	20%	21%	27%	21%	21%
Not very concerned	24%	18%	29%	30%	24%	22%	21%	25%	15%	24%	27%
Not concerned at all	28%	30%	27%	30%	24%	29%	29%	29%	24%	27%	25%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(450)	(548)	(166)	(262)	(360)	(210)	(570)	(130)	(174)	(124)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very concerned	26%	16%	27%	37%	14%	39%	24%	23%	30%	24%	27%	26%	28%
Somewhat concerned	22%	19%	21%	25%	15%	28%	23%	25%	16%	22%	17%	28%	16%
Not very concerned	24%	25%	23%	23%	23%	21%	24%	20%	30%	26%	23%	22%	26%
Not concerned at all	28%	39%	28%	15%	48%	12%	28%	32%	25%	28%	33%	24%	30%
Totals	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(338)	(400)	(260)	(348)	(325)	(452)	(247)	(191)	(183)	(209)	(378)	(228)

4. Local Teacher Shortage

Do you think there is a shortage of K-12 teachers in your local area?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	39%	37%	41%	32%	41%	42%	38%	42%	27%	41%	30%
No	25%	28%	22%	27%	26%	23%	26%	25%	30%	20%	26%
Not sure	36%	36%	36%	41%	33%	35%	36%	33%	43%	39%	43%
Totals	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(449)	(549)	(165)	(262)	(361)	(210)	(569)	(130)	(174)	(125)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	39%	43%	38%	36%	48%	39%	38%	37%	47%	28%	41%	41%	42%
No	25%	20%	26%	30%	18%	31%	24%	26%	27%	32%	23%	23%	25%
Not sure	36%	37%	37%	35%	34%	30%	38%	38%	26%	40%	37%	36%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(339)	(400)	(259)	(349)	(325)	(451)	(248)	(190)	(183)	(209)	(378)	(228)

5. Size of Teacher Shortage

How big of a problem is the K-12 teacher shortage in your local area?

Asked of people who say there is a shortage of K-12 teachers in their local area

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A very big problem	28%	28%	29%	*	31%	28%	*	27%	*	*	*
Somewhat of a problem	52%	49%	54%	*	47%	52%	*	53%	*	*	*
Not a very big problem	9%	12%	7%	*	6%	9%	*	10%	*	*	*
Not a problem	1%	2%	0%	*	1%	1%	*	0%	*	*	*
Not sure	10%	9%	10%	*	15%	10%	*	10%	*	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	100%	*	100%	*	*	*
Unweighted N	(391)	(170)	(221)	(58)	(109)	(146)	(78)	(243)	(37)	(71)	(40)

	Party ID				2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A very big problem	28%	33%	28%	*	29%	24%	28%	*	*	*	*	30%	*
Somewhat of a problem	52%	53%	51%	*	57%	52%	50%	*	*	*	*	54%	*
Not a very big problem	9%	3%	10%	*	4%	16%	9%	*	*	*	*	6%	*
Not a problem	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	*	*	*	*	0%	*
Not sure	10%	11%	9%	*	9%	7%	12%	*	*	*	*	10%	*
Totals	100%	101%	99%	*	100%	100%	100%	*	*	*	*	100%	*
Unweighted N	(391)	(146)	(155)	(90)	(165)	(122)	(175)	(93)	(84)	(52)	(80)	(165)	(94)

6A. Support for Solutions Local Teacher Shortage — Paying teachers more

Below is a list of proposed solutions for places with shortages of K-12 teachers and funding. To what extent do you support or oppose...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	47%	40%	54%	55%	54%	44%	38%	43%	61%	53%	53%
Somewhat support	24%	29%	20%	23%	19%	26%	29%	28%	17%	18%	20%
Neither support nor oppose	18%	19%	17%	17%	19%	17%	18%	17%	17%	21%	16%
Somewhat oppose	5%	5%	5%	4%	3%	4%	9%	6%	2%	4%	3%
Strongly oppose	6%	7%	4%	2%	5%	9%	5%	6%	3%	3%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(448)	(549)	(166)	(261)	(360)	(210)	(570)	(129)	(173)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	47%	64%	42%	35%	66%	30%	48%	53%	44%	35%	45%	49%	56%
Somewhat support	24%	21%	25%	28%	23%	29%	24%	24%	29%	29%	28%	21%	22%
Neither support nor oppose	18%	11%	21%	20%	10%	22%	18%	14%	15%	23%	15%	18%	15%
Somewhat oppose	5%	2%	5%	8%	1%	8%	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	5%
Strongly oppose	6%	2%	6%	8%	1%	11%	5%	4%	8%	7%	8%	5%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	98%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(338)	(400)	(259)	(348)	(324)	(450)	(247)	(191)	(183)	(209)	(378)	(227)

6B. Support for Solutions Local Teacher Shortage — Paying teachers less

Below is a list of proposed solutions for places with shortages of K-12 teachers and funding. To what extent do you support or oppose...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	4%	5%	4%	3%	6%	5%	3%	4%	6%	3%	4%
Somewhat support	5%	6%	4%	6%	8%	3%	3%	5%	9%	3%	2%
Neither support nor oppose	14%	15%	14%	18%	13%	16%	11%	13%	15%	18%	18%
Somewhat oppose	18%	20%	16%	14%	18%	18%	21%	19%	12%	17%	20%
Strongly oppose	59%	54%	62%	59%	56%	58%	62%	59%	58%	60%	56%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(447)	(548)	(166)	(263)	(360)	(206)	(566)	(130)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	4%	5%	3%	6%	2%	7%	5%	3%	6%	4%	6%	5%	2%
Somewhat support	5%	5%	4%	6%	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%	4%	6%	6%	3%
Neither support nor oppose	14%	8%	23%	10%	6%	16%	16%	11%	13%	15%	11%	17%	13%
Somewhat oppose	18%	11%	19%	24%	14%	21%	17%	17%	20%	24%	23%	15%	13%
Strongly oppose	59%	72%	51%	53%	73%	50%	58%	63%	58%	54%	54%	57%	69%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(995)	(339)	(401)	(255)	(349)	(321)	(449)	(248)	(189)	(183)	(209)	(378)	(225)

6C. Support for Solutions Local Teacher Shortage — Allowing people who did not graduate college to teach

Below is a list of proposed solutions for places with shortages of K-12 teachers and funding. To what extent do you support or oppose...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	7%	9%	5%	5%	10%	7%	5%	5%	8%	10%	10%
Somewhat support	18%	18%	19%	18%	14%	22%	19%	19%	14%	23%	11%
Neither support nor oppose	29%	31%	27%	35%	32%	28%	23%	27%	40%	32%	26%
Somewhat oppose	18%	19%	18%	17%	17%	18%	21%	20%	14%	13%	17%
Strongly oppose	27%	23%	32%	25%	27%	26%	32%	28%	25%	22%	35%
Totals	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(449)	(549)	(166)	(263)	(360)	(209)	(568)	(130)	(175)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	7%	5%	8%	7%	2%	9%	7%	4%	9%	2%	6%	10%	5%
Somewhat support	18%	15%	19%	22%	18%	22%	22%	16%	17%	20%	21%	17%	17%
Neither support nor oppose	29%	26%	32%	29%	27%	28%	33%	31%	19%	28%	29%	31%	28%
Somewhat oppose	18%	23%	17%	15%	23%	14%	14%	23%	18%	21%	14%	16%	25%
Strongly oppose	27%	31%	24%	27%	30%	27%	25%	27%	36%	29%	30%	26%	26%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(998)	(339)	(401)	(258)	(349)	(323)	(451)	(247)	(191)	(183)	(209)	(378)	(228)

6D. Support for Solutions Local Teacher Shortage — Recruiting uncertified veterans to teach

Below is a list of proposed solutions for places with shortages of K-12 teachers and funding. To what extent do you support or oppose...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	8%	10%	6%	5%	8%	10%	9%	8%	6%	10%	13%
Somewhat support	17%	19%	15%	13%	16%	19%	20%	18%	18%	14%	13%
Neither support nor oppose	31%	32%	31%	38%	32%	35%	18%	30%	36%	36%	26%
Somewhat oppose	18%	18%	19%	16%	17%	16%	26%	20%	11%	19%	18%
Strongly oppose	25%	21%	29%	28%	26%	21%	28%	25%	29%	21%	30%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(450)	(549)	(166)	(263)	(361)	(209)	(569)	(130)	(175)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	8%	5%	10%	10%	3%	13%	9%	8%	9%	5%	8%	10%	8%
Somewhat support	17%	14%	17%	20%	15%	25%	19%	16%	14%	18%	21%	16%	15%
Neither support nor oppose	31%	25%	34%	33%	21%	30%	33%	28%	27%	34%	31%	29%	32%
Somewhat oppose	18%	21%	16%	19%	24%	14%	16%	22%	17%	22%	15%	19%	17%
Strongly oppose	25%	35%	22%	18%	37%	18%	24%	26%	33%	22%	25%	25%	28%
Totals	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(999)	(339)	(401)	(259)	(349)	(324)	(452)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(210)	(378)	(228)

6E. Support for Solutions Local Teacher Shortage — Reducing the school week from five days to four days

Below is a list of proposed solutions for places with shortages of K-12 teachers and funding. To what extent do you support or oppose...?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	12%	10%	15%	15%	20%	10%	5%	10%	17%	19%	17%
Somewhat support	19%	18%	20%	28%	20%	18%	10%	20%	11%	23%	14%
Neither support nor oppose	26%	27%	25%	30%	22%	28%	21%	24%	33%	25%	25%
Somewhat oppose	18%	19%	17%	17%	16%	17%	22%	19%	16%	14%	20%
Strongly oppose	25%	27%	23%	10%	21%	26%	42%	27%	23%	20%	23%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%
Unweighted N	(997)	(448)	(549)	(166)	(262)	(360)	(209)	(569)	(129)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	12%	14%	13%	11%	16%	10%	15%	11%	11%	9%	12%	15%	11%
Somewhat support	19%	20%	19%	17%	20%	17%	22%	17%	15%	20%	19%	19%	18%
Neither support nor oppose	26%	24%	29%	22%	23%	21%	31%	21%	17%	22%	24%	29%	24%
Somewhat oppose	18%	18%	17%	19%	19%	16%	12%	24%	25%	25%	17%	14%	21%
Strongly oppose	25%	23%	22%	31%	23%	36%	21%	27%	31%	25%	29%	22%	26%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%	101%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(338)	(400)	(259)	(349)	(324)	(451)	(248)	(190)	(183)	(209)	(378)	(227)

6F. Support for Solutions Local Teacher Shortage — Increasing taxes on local residents to fund schools

Below is a list of proposed solutions for places with shortages of K-12 teachers and funding. To what extent do you support or oppose...?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly support	9%	11%	8%	15%	12%	6%	7%	9%	12%	7%	18%
Somewhat support	15%	17%	14%	20%	17%	12%	14%	16%	11%	16%	11%
Neither support nor oppose	28%	26%	31%	35%	30%	29%	21%	26%	32%	39%	26%
Somewhat oppose	19%	18%	19%	16%	13%	20%	25%	18%	24%	15%	20%
Strongly oppose	28%	28%	28%	14%	28%	33%	34%	31%	21%	22%	25%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(450)	(548)	(166)	(262)	(360)	(210)	(569)	(130)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly support	9%	16%	8%	4%	19%	3%	8%	11%	12%	7%	7%	11%	11%
Somewhat support	15%	22%	13%	11%	24%	8%	14%	18%	19%	13%	16%	15%	16%
Neither support nor oppose	28%	33%	29%	23%	28%	21%	33%	23%	21%	31%	29%	25%	32%
Somewhat oppose	19%	18%	20%	18%	19%	20%	17%	26%	14%	19%	22%	19%	14%
Strongly oppose	28%	12%	30%	45%	10%	47%	27%	23%	34%	30%	25%	30%	26%
Totals	99%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(338)	(400)	(260)	(348)	(325)	(451)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(209)	(379)	(227)

7. Is or Knows Public School Teacher

Do you know anyone who is or was a K-12 public school teacher? Select all that apply.

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes, me	5%	4%	6%	2%	9%	4%	6%	5%	7%	6%	1%
Yes, a family member	25%	23%	28%	26%	20%	22%	35%	27%	18%	27%	23%
Yes, a close friend	31%	30%	32%	24%	29%	32%	40%	33%	31%	24%	32%
None of the above	49%	51%	46%	56%	53%	50%	34%	47%	52%	53%	52%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(450)	(550)	(166)	(263)	(361)	(210)	(570)	(130)	(175)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes, me	5%	7%	4%	5%	7%	6%	6%	4%	6%	6%	6%	5%	3%
Yes, a family member	25%	28%	21%	28%	33%	30%	20%	31%	36%	26%	26%	23%	28%
Yes, a close friend	31%	29%	31%	33%	35%	40%	25%	35%	41%	37%	34%	31%	25%
None of the above	49%	47%	53%	45%	40%	38%	56%	40%	35%	46%	48%	49%	50%
Unweighted N	(1,000)	(339)	(401)	(260)	(349)	(325)	(452)	(248)	(191)	(183)	(210)	(379)	(228)

8A. Support for Schools Providing Free Meals — Free breakfast

Do you think public schools should provide the following to . . ?

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
All students	57%	51%	63%	65%	63%	58%	42%	51%	72%	73%	57%
Low-income students only	30%	30%	29%	24%	29%	29%	38%	35%	20%	19%	22%
No students	8%	13%	4%	4%	3%	9%	17%	9%	4%	6%	13%
Not sure	5%	6%	4%	7%	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%	2%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(997)	(450)	(547)	(166)	(263)	(358)	(210)	(569)	(129)	(174)	(125)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
All students	57%	68%	57%	45%	66%	40%	61%	57%	41%	55%	50%	61%	59%
Low-income students only	30%	24%	29%	39%	27%	37%	29%	29%	40%	29%	39%	27%	28%
No students	8%	3%	9%	14%	2%	19%	5%	9%	15%	7%	8%	9%	8%
Not sure	5%	6%	5%	3%	6%	3%	6%	4%	4%	9%	3%	3%	5%
Totals	100%	101%	100%	101%	101%	99%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(338)	(401)	(258)	(349)	(325)	(449)	(248)	(191)	(182)	(208)	(379)	(228)

8B. Support for Schools Providing Free Meals — Free lunch

Do you think public schools should provide the following to . . ?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
All students	60%	55%	65%	75%	64%	58%	43%	56%	67%	71%	61%
Low-income students only	29%	31%	28%	17%	27%	31%	41%	33%	25%	22%	22%
No students	6%	10%	3%	3%	3%	7%	11%	7%	4%	3%	9%
Not sure	4%	5%	4%	5%	6%	3%	4%	4%	5%	3%	8%
Totals	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	101%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(450)	(548)	(166)	(263)	(359)	(210)	(569)	(130)	(174)	(125)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
All students	60%	68%	62%	47%	67%	43%	65%	57%	49%	57%	53%	64%	61%
Low-income students only	29%	25%	27%	38%	26%	40%	26%	31%	36%	29%	39%	24%	29%
No students	6%	2%	6%	11%	2%	14%	3%	7%	11%	6%	4%	8%	6%
Not sure	4%	5%	5%	3%	5%	3%	5%	5%	4%	8%	4%	4%	3%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(998)	(339)	(401)	(258)	(349)	(325)	(450)	(248)	(191)	(182)	(209)	(379)	(228)

8C. Support for Schools Providing Free Meals — Free dinner

Do you think public schools should provide the following to . . ?

		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
All students	31%	29%	34%	41%	41%	30%	13%	24%	48%	49%	34%
Low-income students only	29%	26%	31%	27%	32%	26%	31%	30%	26%	25%	28%
No students	24%	29%	20%	11%	15%	30%	38%	29%	8%	14%	24%
Not sure	16%	17%	16%	21%	13%	15%	17%	17%	18%	12%	14%
Totals	100%	101%	101%	100%	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(993)	(447)	(546)	(166)	(262)	(356)	(209)	(563)	(130)	(175)	(125)

		Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
All students	31%	36%	34%	21%	33%	17%	37%	28%	18%	31%	25%	35%	30%
Low-income students only	29%	30%	28%	28%	32%	28%	28%	27%	32%	31%	28%	25%	34%
No students	24%	14%	23%	38%	14%	43%	18%	27%	38%	20%	33%	22%	23%
Not sure	16%	20%	15%	14%	21%	12%	18%	17%	12%	18%	14%	18%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(993)	(337)	(399)	(257)	(348)	(322)	(449)	(245)	(190)	(182)	(207)	(377)	(227)

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Interviewing Dates	August 10 - 15, 2023
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.
Weighting	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to March 15, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 28% Republican). The weights range from 0.143 to 5.553, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.571.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.6% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	61 questions not reported.