

YouGov / The Sun Survey Results

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Thinking ahead to the next general election, which of the following best reflects your position?

I am certain who I am going to vote for	41	42	61	45	52	41	44	37	24	37	45	49	43	37	40	39	42	46	37	39	39
I have an idea of who I am going to vote for, but have not made a final decision	30	34	29	44	35	31	28	32	27	32	28	32	33	26	30	29	34	26	27	35	32
I have no idea who I am going to vote for	13	18	7	9	9	16	9	16	17	12	13	11	12	13	13	12	12	10	16	14	13
I am unlikely to vote at all	17	6	3	2	4	12	18	15	33	19	14	8	11	23	17	20	12	18	20	12	16

Who do you think is the better leader, Rishi Sunak, Keir Starmer, or Ed Davey?

Rishi Sunak	22	47	5	14	16	35	23	21	10	16	23	36	21	23	22	22	16	20	22	18	26
Keir Starmer	22	6	50	31	39	11	23	22	19	26	23	15	26	18	23	24	17	26	17	27	22
Ed Davey	4	2	4	13	6	4	5	3	4	4	5	3	5	2	4	5	2	4	4	4	4
None of these	31	30	27	21	22	37	32	30	27	31	32	32	29	33	30	28	45	29	35	31	27
Don't know	17	11	11	19	13	12	11	23	29	18	16	13	15	20	17	14	16	20	18	14	17
Refused	4	3	3	3	3	2	5	3	12	5	2	1	3	5	4	8	4	2	4	6	4

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The next general election is scheduled for 2024.
At the next election, please say how you'd feel about each of the following possible election outcomes?

A Conservative majority government

Delighted	8	21	1	1	4	16	10	7	3	3	8	20	8	9	9	8	5	7	7	9	11
Pleased	9	21	1	4	5	15	10	9	6	8	7	14	10	8	9	7	7	9	11	6	11
TOTAL DELIGHTED/PLEASSED	17	42	2	5	9	31	20	16	9	11	15	34	18	17	18	15	12	16	18	15	22
Wouldn't really mind	13	20	3	17	10	17	14	12	14	12	13	14	13	13	13	13	10	12	12	14	14
Disappointed	13	11	11	19	12	13	11	14	11	13	13	13	12	13	13	12	13	15	14	11	11
Dismayed	43	16	79	56	64	29	45	42	37	49	48	32	49	36	42	52	54	45	38	43	41
TOTAL DISAPPOINTED/DISMAYED	56	27	90	75	76	42	56	56	48	62	61	45	61	49	55	64	67	60	52	54	52
Don't know	14	9	5	3	5	10	11	16	30	15	11	6	9	20	14	8	9	13	18	18	12

A Labour majority government

Delighted	15	3	43	12	27	8	14	17	11	17	18	12	18	12	16	16	10	18	12	21	14
Pleased	19	8	32	33	28	10	19	19	24	23	15	12	21	16	19	21	17	21	16	24	17
TOTAL DELIGHTED/PLEASSED	34	11	75	45	55	18	33	36	35	40	33	24	39	28	35	37	27	39	28	45	31
Wouldn't really mind	15	13	9	27	18	12	17	14	17	17	17	10	17	13	15	14	24	12	17	17	14
Disappointed	13	20	6	13	10	18	14	13	9	14	13	15	15	12	13	14	16	13	11	9	15
Dismayed	23	48	3	11	11	42	27	20	9	13	27	43	20	27	23	29	20	22	26	13	26
TOTAL DISAPPOINTED/DISMAYED	36	68	9	24	21	60	41	33	18	27	40	58	35	39	36	43	36	35	37	22	41
Don't know	14	9	6	4	6	10	10	18	30	16	9	8	10	19	15	7	13	13	17	15	14

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A Conservative led coalition with the Liberal Democrats

Delighted	1	2	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	2
Pleased	6	11	2	8	4	8	5	6	7	5	5	7	6	5	6	5	2	4	5	8	7
TOTAL DELIGHTED/PLEASSED	7	13	3	11	5	10	6	7	8	6	6	8	7	6	7	6	2	5	5	10	9
Wouldn't really mind	16	26	4	18	15	19	15	16	14	15	15	18	17	14	15	21	16	12	18	17	16
Disappointed	28	32	30	32	29	30	29	28	23	28	30	31	31	25	28	32	30	29	24	27	30
Dismayed	35	20	58	33	45	32	39	30	24	35	38	35	35	34	34	35	40	39	33	30	32
TOTAL DISAPPOINTED/DISMAYED	63	52	88	65	74	62	68	58	47	63	68	66	66	59	62	67	70	68	57	57	62
Don't know	15	9	6	6	7	10	10	19	31	17	11	7	10	21	16	6	12	15	20	16	14

A Labour led coalition with the Liberal Democrats

Delighted	4	0	8	9	7	1	4	4	4	6	2	2	5	3	4	9	2	4	2	5	4
Pleased	16	4	32	39	28	7	17	16	21	20	15	9	20	11	17	9	14	16	14	24	17
TOTAL DELIGHTED/PLEASSED	20	4	40	48	35	8	21	20	25	26	17	11	25	14	21	18	16	20	16	29	21
Wouldn't really mind	24	14	32	31	33	16	23	24	22	26	24	20	27	20	23	26	29	25	24	26	20
Disappointed	18	25	14	10	15	22	18	17	9	17	19	21	18	17	17	19	24	19	14	12	19
Dismayed	22	45	5	5	8	43	26	18	7	12	26	40	18	26	22	28	17	20	26	14	24
TOTAL DISAPPOINTED/DISMAYED	40	70	19	15	23	65	44	35	16	29	45	61	36	43	39	47	41	39	40	26	43
Don't know	17	11	9	5	8	11	12	21	37	19	14	8	12	23	17	8	14	17	20	19	16

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A Labour led coalition with the Liberal Democrats and the SNP

Delighted	3	0	5	3	4	1	2	3	4	4	2	1	3	2	2	3	4	3	2	3	2
Pleased	11	2	23	18	20	3	12	11	16	15	9	6	14	7	11	8	15	11	10	17	10
TOTAL DELIGHTED/PLEASSED	14	2	28	21	24	4	14	14	20	19	11	7	17	9	13	11	19	14	12	20	12
Wouldn't really mind	20	8	33	35	31	12	21	20	20	24	18	17	23	17	20	23	22	20	18	24	20
Disappointed	19	23	18	21	23	21	19	20	13	19	25	17	19	19	19	25	20	19	17	17	21
Dismayed	28	57	8	15	14	52	34	23	9	18	32	51	26	31	28	33	25	29	31	17	31
TOTAL DISAPPOINTED/DISMAYED	47	80	26	36	37	73	53	43	22	37	57	68	45	50	47	58	45	48	48	34	52
Don't know	18	10	12	7	9	12	12	23	37	20	15	8	14	23	19	8	13	19	23	21	16

A Labour led coalition with the SNP

Delighted	2	0	5	4	4	1	2	3	3	3	3	1	3	2	2	3	9	2	1	3	1
Pleased	10	1	23	8	17	3	11	10	15	15	6	3	13	6	10	8	16	11	7	15	8
TOTAL DELIGHTED/PLEASSED	12	1	28	12	21	4	13	13	18	18	9	4	16	8	12	11	25	13	8	18	9
Wouldn't really mind	18	7	28	28	26	9	18	17	21	20	17	13	20	14	18	15	17	18	16	23	17
Disappointed	18	19	20	27	24	17	17	19	12	19	20	18	19	17	18	26	18	18	17	15	20
Dismayed	33	63	10	26	19	58	38	28	11	21	39	57	31	36	33	37	28	32	38	23	35
TOTAL DISAPPOINTED/DISMAYED	51	82	30	53	43	75	55	47	23	40	59	75	50	53	51	63	46	50	55	38	55
Don't know	18	10	14	7	9	12	13	23	38	21	15	9	14	25	20	10	12	19	22	20	18

To what extent would you support or oppose all EU nationals living in the UK being allowed to vote?

Strongly support	17	4	32	25	30	4	18	16	20	23	14	8	20	13	17	11	22	16	14	24	16
Tend to support	22	14	32	39	32	14	21	23	25	24	23	16	26	18	22	27	24	22	21	32	19
TOTAL SUPPORT	39	18	64	64	62	18	39	39	45	47	37	24	46	31	39	38	46	38	35	56	35
Tend to oppose	18	23	14	16	17	21	17	18	12	17	19	19	18	17	17	22	19	18	16	11	19
Strongly oppose	25	48	8	8	9	48	30	19	6	16	27	45	21	29	25	27	18	24	29	14	28
TOTAL OPPOSE	43	71	22	24	26	69	47	37	18	33	46	64	39	46	42	49	37	42	45	25	47
Don't know	19	11	14	12	12	13	14	24	36	19	17	13	15	24	19	14	17	21	20	18	19

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And to what extent would you support or oppose EU nationals living in the UK being given the right to vote in cases where their home country has granted British citizens living there the right to vote?

Strongly support	20	7	37	36	35	8	23	18	24	26	18	11	26	13	21	13	24	19	18	29	19
Tend to support	29	26	36	40	38	23	26	31	23	30	29	30	32	25	28	33	33	27	26	33	29
TOTAL SUPPORT	49	33	73	76	73	31	49	49	47	56	47	41	58	38	49	46	57	46	44	62	48
Tend to oppose	12	20	6	6	8	19	13	11	9	11	14	15	12	12	12	19	13	13	13	10	11
Strongly oppose	16	31	5	5	5	32	21	12	3	11	21	27	13	20	17	20	8	16	20	8	19
TOTAL OPPOSE	28	51	11	11	13	51	34	23	12	22	35	42	25	32	29	39	21	29	33	18	30
Don't know	22	16	15	13	14	18	16	28	40	22	19	18	17	29	22	15	22	25	23	19	21

If EU nationals were to be given the right to vote in the UK, do you think this would increase, decrease or have no impact on the likelihood of the UK re-joining the EU at some point in the future?

Increase the likelihood of joining the EU	38	41	42	43	40	42	40	37	33	41	35	40	41	35	39	33	31	39	39	43	38
Have no real impact on the likelihood of joining the EU	33	34	36	40	42	31	36	30	21	32	35	37	36	29	32	46	39	31	28	30	34
Decrease the likelihood of joining the EU	2	2	1	0	1	3	3	1	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	3	0	2	3	3	2
Don't know	27	23	22	17	17	24	22	31	43	25	27	22	21	33	27	19	30	27	31	24	25

Currently, only those aged 18 or older can vote in general elections in the UK.

To what extent would you support or oppose lowering the voting age to 16?

Strongly support	12	3	28	12	22	5	13	12	16	17	10	6	15	9	12	13	20	13	9	16	10
Tend to support	17	8	28	22	27	9	16	18	15	23	19	8	19	15	17	18	21	16	18	22	15
TOTAL SUPPORT	29	11	56	34	49	14	29	30	31	40	29	14	34	24	29	31	41	29	27	38	25
Tend to oppose	23	20	22	30	24	21	20	26	19	23	23	23	24	21	23	26	17	24	19	25	24
Strongly oppose	37	64	14	31	19	60	41	32	20	25	41	60	34	40	37	38	27	37	39	24	42
TOTAL OPPOSE	60	84	36	61	43	81	61	58	39	48	64	83	58	61	60	64	44	61	58	49	66
Don't know	11	4	8	5	7	5	10	12	30	12	7	4	7	16	11	4	15	10	14	12	9

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Generally speaking, do you think the level of immigration into Britain over the last ten years has been too high, too low or about right?

Too high	51	77	30	35	30	80	52	50	17	41	61	73	46	58	52	55	39	55	55	39	53
Too low	8	2	15	12	15	3	8	7	8	11	7	3	10	4	7	7	14	7	6	11	6
About right	24	13	39	35	37	10	24	23	31	28	19	18	29	17	24	25	25	19	21	36	24
Don't know	17	8	16	18	18	7	15	19	44	20	12	6	15	20	17	12	22	18	18	14	17

How likely or unlikely do you think it is that the government will meet its targets to reduce immigration?

Very likely	1	1	1	3	2	1	2	1	0	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	0	3	1
Quite likely	7	7	7	4	6	6	6	7	9	7	6	5	7	6	7	2	4	6	10	12	5
TOTAL LIKELY	8	8	8	7	8	7	8	8	9	9	7	6	8	7	8	4	5	7	10	15	6
Quite unlikely	31	38	29	31	33	32	27	35	30	31	27	36	33	29	32	32	26	34	28	28	33
Very unlikely	46	45	50	49	48	52	52	39	19	42	57	52	46	45	45	52	48	46	49	39	45
TOTAL UNLIKELY	77	83	79	80	81	84	79	74	49	73	84	88	79	74	77	84	74	80	77	67	78
Don't know	15	8	13	12	11	8	12	18	41	17	9	6	13	18	15	13	22	13	13	18	15

*Any percentages calculated on bases fewer than 100 respondents do not represent a wide enough cross-section of the target population to be considered statistically reliable. These figures should not be used.