

YouGov / The Times Survey Results

Sample Size: 1714 adults in GB
Fieldwork: 14th - 15th December 2021



Weighted Sample
Unweighted Sample

	Westminster VI			Vote in 2019 GE			EU Ref 2016		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region					
Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	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	
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%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

How worried, if at all, are you about the Omicron variant?

Very worried	14	14	20	15	12	18	13	15	15	11	17	8	13	16	17	13	16	12	12	16	16	16
Fairly worried	40	39	46	50	40	43	52	46	38	36	44	30	39	39	49	43	37	47	42	39	37	36
TOTAL WORRIED	54	53	66	65	52	61	65	61	53	47	61	38	52	55	66	56	53	59	54	55	53	52
Not very worried	25	33	23	25	28	26	25	27	27	27	24	23	27	26	23	26	24	24	27	26	21	26
Not at all worried	14	12	7	10	16	9	8	8	15	20	8	23	16	13	7	12	16	7	13	12	20	15
TOTAL NOT WORRIED	39	45	30	35	44	35	33	35	42	47	32	46	43	39	30	38	40	31	40	38	41	41
Not sure	7	2	4	0	3	5	1	4	5	6	7	17	6	5	4	6	7	10	5	7	6	6

Have you changed your behaviour in response to the new Omicron variant in any of the following ways?

Please tick all that apply.

Stopped going into work	9	5	14	12	7	12	14	13	6	8	9	8	12	10	2	13	3	18	8	6	7	8
Stopped travelling on public transport	6	7	7	7	6	7	5	8	5	6	7	4	7	7	6	8	4	15	5	5	6	4
Stopped going to the gym	3	3	4	1	3	3	3	4	2	3	3	2	3	4	3	4	2	5	4	2	2	3
Not gone to a pub or restaurant that I would otherwise have gone to	11	12	15	8	10	15	10	15	10	9	13	7	11	13	11	12	10	20	10	9	9	12
Not visited friends or family who I would otherwise have visited	13	12	17	17	12	17	14	13	12	12	14	10	12	15	14	14	11	22	13	10	9	15
Not gone to a Christmas party that I would have otherwise have attended	16	13	23	16	14	20	18	20	13	14	18	14	17	18	12	20	11	22	16	14	13	14
None of these	64	69	57	61	68	59	60	58	71	65	62	51	63	64	71	58	71	46	64	67	69	64
Don't know	5	2	4	4	2	4	2	3	3	6	5	18	5	3	3	5	6	9	4	7	5	4

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

And looking forward, have you changed your Christmas or Boxing Days plans in response to the new Omicron variant in any of the following ways?
 Please tick all that apply.

I have cancelled plans to visit friends or family	5	5	9	4	5	7	4	6	5	6	5	3	5	6	7	6	5	11	6	5	3	7
I have cancelled plans to have visitors to my home	5	5	8	4	4	7	4	7	3	5	5	2	6	5	5	5	5	10	5	5	4	3
I have cancelled plans to meet up with friends or family	7	6	10	9	6	8	5	9	4	7	7	9	8	8	5	8	5	11	7	5	5	12
None of these	81	85	77	83	86	81	86	80	87	81	82	72	80	85	85	81	83	71	83	82	86	77
Don't know	6	3	6	6	3	5	4	4	4	7	5	17	6	3	4	6	7	10	5	7	5	6

Are you currently regularly using Lateral Flow Tests for any of the following reasons?
 Please tick all that apply.

If I am going to a particularly busy place or event	5	7	4	6	5	5	7	6	4	5	5	8	5	3	5	5	4	6	5	3	4	8
If I am going into work	9	7	13	7	8	10	15	12	8	9	10	10	13	9	3	12	6	13	10	7	9	7
If I am going to socialise with friends or family	8	8	12	6	7	11	13	13	6	7	9	6	7	9	10	10	5	9	9	6	9	6
If I have come into contact with someone who may have Covid	12	11	11	17	10	14	12	12	11	10	14	15	13	10	10	12	11	13	11	11	12	14
On a regular basis, regardless of where I am going or what I am doing	18	18	21	17	20	19	20	22	17	14	21	14	20	20	14	20	15	16	20	21	12	20
For some other reason	6	6	7	5	4	8	6	7	5	5	7	9	5	7	6	7	5	6	5	6	7	7
None of these	38	41	29	37	44	29	27	27	47	45	30	22	32	41	52	29	48	28	36	41	43	33
Don't know	5	3	3	3	2	4	1	2	3	5	4	17	4	2	2	4	5	8	4	5	4	4