

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 1090 adults in Wales (16+)
Fieldwork: 11th - 13th April 2022

	Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region					
	Total	Male	Female	16-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	Mid and West	North	Cardiff and South Central	South East	South West
Weighted Sample	1090	531	559	150	401	264	275	545	543	208	226	243	226	187
Unweighted Sample	1090	458	632	89	370	293	338	557	532	226	231	201	225	207
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

How interested, if at all, are you in football?

Very interested	17	31	4	20	21	16	12	15	19	9	20	19	23	15
Fairly interested	14	16	12	13	12	13	18	16	12	14	12	16	11	16
TOTAL VERY / FAIRLY INTERESTED	31	47	16	33	33	29	30	31	31	23	32	35	34	31
Not very interested	15	14	16	21	14	15	12	18	11	14	13	13	17	17
Not at all interested	52	38	66	41	50	56	58	48	56	60	53	50	48	50
TOTAL NOT VERY / NOT AT ALL INTERESTED	67	52	82	62	64	71	70	66	67	74	66	63	65	67
Don't know	2	2	2	4	4	0	0	2	2	2	1	2	2	1

How likely, if at all, do you think it is that Wales will qualify for a World Cup in the next twenty years?

[Shown only to respondents who said they are very or fairly interested in football; n=313]

Very likely	28	30	24	50	29	22	20	28	29	23	34	31	30	18
Fairly likely	54	57	44	46	60	47	54	53	54	56	48	50	53	65
TOTAL VERY / FAIRLY LIKELY	82	87	68	96	89	69	74	81	83	79	82	81	83	83
Not very likely	12	7	25	1	6	25	14	12	12	12	7	14	12	13
Not at all likely	1	1	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	0	3
TOTAL NOT VERY / NOT AT ALL LIKELY	13	8	27	3	6	25	16	14	12	16	7	14	12	16
Don't know	5	5	6	0	5	6	9	5	5	4	11	5	5	1

It has been suggested that Ukraine be granted automatic qualification to the World Cup because of the disruption caused by the war. At present, there is one qualification slot left, with Scotland and Ukraine still to play a match, with the winner of that match to play Wales, and the winner of this second match qualifying for the World Cup finals. Which of the following do you think should happen?

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Ukraine should automatically be given the last slot in the group for qualification to the World Cup finals, meaning that neither Wales nor Scotland will qualify	2	1	4	1	2	0	3	2	2	0	4	0	2	4
An extra space should be created for specifically for Ukraine at the World Cup finals, and Wales and Scotland should play for the final slot in the group for qualification	32	28	44	34	24	39	38	30	34	36	25	35	27	40
Ukraine should not automatically be given a slot in the World Cup finals, and should have to play its remaining qualification games as normal	61	67	45	65	71	57	46	63	59	54	70	58	65	53
Don't know	5	4	7	0	3	4	13	5	6	10	1	7	7	2

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And if the choice was between the following, which do you think should happen?

[Shown only to respondents who said they are very or fairly interested in football, and that an extra space should be created for Ukraine; n=112]

Ukraine should automatically be given the last slot in the group for qualification to the World Cup finals, meaning that neither Wales nor Scotland will qualify	7	6	9	17	3	7	8	10	4	2	11	10	5	4
Ukraine should not automatically be given a slot in the World Cup finals, and should have to play its remaining qualification games as normal	81	85	71	83	85	86	70	80	83	81	79	76	89	82
Don't know	12	8	20	0	12	7	23	10	13	17	10	13	6	14