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## YouGov homework

GB Sample: 16th - 29th August 2018

Are you the parent/ guardian of children of any of the following ages? (Please select all that apply. If you do not have any children, please select the "Not applicable option)

| Total | Gender |  | Age |  |  |  |  | Social Grade |  |
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|  | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55+ | ABC1 | C2DE |


| Unweighted base | 6062 | 2803 | 3259 | 541 | 943 | 1006 | 990 | 2582 | 3659 | 2403 |
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| Base: All GB Adults | 6062 | 2944 | 3118 | 681 | 957 | 1012 | 950 | 2462 | 3455 | 2607 |
| Under 6 months old | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 1\% | 0\% | 0\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| Between 6 and 12 months old | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 3\% | 2\% | 0\% | 0\% | 1\% | 1\% |
| 1 year old | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | 0\% | 5\% | 3\% | 0\% | 0\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| 2 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 5\% | 6\% | 0\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 3 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 0\% | 6\% | 6\% | 1\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 4 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 6\% | 1\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 5 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 1\% | 5\% | 7\% | 2\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 6 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 0\% | 3\% | 6\% | 1\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 7 years old | 2\% | 3\% | 2\% | 1\% | 4\% | 8\% | 2\% | 0\% | 2\% | 3\% |
| 8 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 3\% | 6\% | 2\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 9 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 2\% | 5\% | 3\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 10 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 0\% | 2\% | 5\% | 3\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 11 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 1\% | 6\% | 3\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 12 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 2\% | 4\% | 4\% | 0\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| 13 years old | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | - | 1\% | 4\% | 5\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 14 years old | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | 0\% | 1\% | 5\% | 5\% | 0\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 15 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 0\% | 4\% | 5\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| 16 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | 0\% | 0\% | 3\% | 6\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 17 years old | 2\% | 2\% | 2\% | - | 0\% | 4\% | 7\% | 1\% | 2\% | 2\% |
| 18 years old | 2\% | 1\% | 2\% | - | - | 2\% | 5\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% |
| Older than 18 years old | 36\% | 31\% | 41\% | 0\% | 0\% | 6\% | 34\% | 73\% | 36\% | 36\% |
| Not applicable - I do not have any children | 46\% | 52\% | 41\% | 94\% | 71\% | 47\% | 41\% | 25\% | 47\% | 46\% |

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| Base: All GB Adults | 6062 | 237 | 360 | 100 | 24 | 241 | 459 | 21 |
| Under 6 months old | 1\% | 1\% | 1\% | 2\% | - | 1\% | 1\% | - |
| Between 6 and 12 months old | 1\% | 4\% | 2\% | 4\% | - | 4\% | 2\% | - |
| 1 year old | 1\% | 3\% | 3\% | 3\% | - | 4\% | 3\% | - |
| 2 years old | 2\% | 6\% | 5\% | 6\% | - | 6\% | 5\% | - |
| 3 years old | 2\% | 8\% | 6\% | 6\% | 13\% | 7\% | 6\% | 13\% |
| 4 years old | 2\% | 9\% | 7\% | 3\% | 8\% | 6\% | 7\% | 10\% |
| 5 years old | 2\% | 9\% | 10\% | 12\% | - | 11\% | 9\% | 6\% |
| 6 years old | 2\% | 17\% | 15\% | 6\% | 16\% | 15\% | 13\% | 20\% |
| 7 years old | 2\% | 21\% | 17\% | 19\% | 20\% | 18\% | 20\% | 17\% |
| 8 years old | 2\% | 18\% | 15\% | 10\% | - | 12\% | 16\% | 23\% |
| 9 years old | 2\% | 17\% | 14\% | 18\% | 12\% | 17\% | 14\% | 16\% |
| 10 years old | 2\% | 18\% | 12\% | 20\% | 4\% | 16\% | 15\% | 6\% |
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| 14 years old | 2\% | 14\% | 14\% | 18\% | 22\% | 13\% | 16\% | 14\% |
| 15 years old | 2\% | 8\% | 15\% | 16\% | 11\% | 16\% | 11\% | 11\% |
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You previously told us you were a parent/ guardian of
child(ren) aged between 6 to 15... Do ANY of your child(ren) currently attend school?

Unweighted base
Base: All GB parents with children aged between 6 to 15
Yes, they do
No, they don't
Dont know 6 to 15
Overall, do you think school children aged between 6 to 15
in the UK are given too much homework, too little, or about in the UK are given too much homework, too little, or about
the right amount? the right amount?

Unweighted base

| Unweighted base | 728 | 323 | 405 | 4 | 113 | 333 | 230 | 48 | 414 | 314 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ged 6 to 15 who attend school | 721 | 332 | 389 | 4 | 119 | 331 | 222 | 44 | 385 | 336 |
| Too much | 33\% | 29\% | 36\% | 19\% | 31\% | 36\% | 31\% | 27\% | 33\% | 32\% |
| About the right amount | 50\% | 52\% | 48\% | 81\% | 51\% | 48\% | 49\% | 59\% | 51\% | 49\% |
| Too little | 14\% | 15\% | 13\% | - | 16\% | 12\% | 16\% | 10\% | 14\% | 14\% |
| Don't know | 3\% | 4\% | 3\% | - | 2\% | 3\% | 4\% | 4\% | 2\% | 5\% |

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the period of time children have off during the summer in
the UK, generally between the months of July and
August.Do you think schools in the UK should set
homework for children aged 6 to 15 over the summer holidays?
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| ghted base | 728 | 323 | 405 | 4 | 11 |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| who attend <br> school | 721 | 332 | 389 | 4 | 119 |
| Yes, I do | $33 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $31 \%$ | $53 \%$ | 43 |
| No, I don't | $64 \%$ | $60 \%$ | $67 \%$ | $47 \%$ | 53 |
| Don't know | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ | - | $4 \%$ |


| 113 | 333 | 2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 119 | 331 | 2 |
| $43 \%$ | $30 \%$ | 33 |
| $53 \%$ | $67 \%$ | $65 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $2 \%$ |


| 230 | 48 | 414 | 314 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 222 | 44 | 385 | 336 |
| $33 \%$ | $34 \%$ | $33 \%$ | $34 \%$ |
| $65 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $65 \%$ | $62 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $4 \%$ |

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| About the right amount | $50 \%$ | $100 \%$ | - | - | - | $9 \%$ | $46 \%$ | $14 \%$ |
| Too little | $14 \%$ | - | $100 \%$ | - | - | $59 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $63 \%$ |
| Don't know | $3 \%$ | - | - | $100 \%$ | - | $29 \%$ | $7 \%$ | - |

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| Yes, I do | $33 \%$ | $10 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $70 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $100 \%$ | - |
| No, I don't | $64 \%$ | $89 \%$ | $57 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $56 \%$ | - | $100 \%$ |
| Don't know | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $4 \%$ | - | $20 \%$ | - | - |

