

**1. Financial Worries**

Thinking about your own personal finances, which TWO of the following expenses worry you the most? Select up to two answers.

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Basic necessities, such as food or clothing	24%	20%	27%	25%	20%	27%	22%	21%	26%	23%
Housing costs, such as rent, mortgage payments, utility bills or home maintenance	42%	37%	47%	37%	41%	48%	38%	40%	44%	42%
Transportation costs, such as car loans, car maintenance, gasoline or public transit fares	15%	18%	13%	25%	13%	14%	8%	18%	11%	17%
Childcare costs	3%	1%	4%	3%	8%	—	—	2%	3%	2%
Health care or other medical expenses	33%	33%	33%	23%	31%	36%	44%	32%	32%	38%
Student loan debts	8%	8%	8%	14%	12%	4%	2%	11%	7%	5%
Credit card debts	16%	16%	17%	10%	17%	15%	25%	21%	13%	15%
Saving enough for retirement	27%	32%	23%	17%	34%	36%	11%	25%	26%	31%
Something else	3%	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	4%
None of the above worry me	8%	11%	5%	12%	5%	4%	16%	7%	10%	8%
Not sure	3%	2%	3%	6%	3%	1%	1%	3%	3%	1%
Totals	(1,000)	(469)	(531)	(182)	(241)	(392)	(185)	(363)	(393)	(244)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Basic necessities, such as food or clothing	24%	25%	21%	17%	35%	18%	7%	29%	23%	26%	16%
Housing costs, such as rent, mortgage payments, utility bills or home maintenance	42%	44%	34%	41%	47%	41%	28%	45%	42%	39%	45%
Transportation costs, such as car loans, car maintenance, gasoline or public transit fares	15%	14%	15%	19%	20%	11%	7%	18%	15%	11%	18%
Childcare costs	3%	2%	5%	3%	2%	3%	3%	6%	2%	2%	0%
Health care or other medical expenses	33%	35%	20%	35%	30%	37%	37%	21%	37%	34%	40%
Student loan debts	8%	8%	12%	3%	5%	9%	13%	6%	15%	8%	4%
Credit card debts	16%	16%	19%	16%	16%	19%	18%	21%	15%	14%	17%
Saving enough for retirement	27%	28%	27%	24%	16%	34%	51%	24%	27%	31%	24%
Something else	3%	3%	1%	0%	1%	3%	6%	3%	2%	2%	4%
None of the above worry me	8%	6%	17%	10%	6%	7%	10%	6%	7%	10%	8%
Not sure	3%	2%	5%	5%	3%	1%	1%	5%	1%	3%	3%
Totals	(1,000)	(768)	(107)	(125)	(386)	(294)	(182)	(154)	(225)	(386)	(235)

**2. Current Debt**

Which of the following types of debt do you currently have? Select all that apply.

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Student loan debt	17%	17%	18%	29%	28%	11%	1%	18%	15%	20%
Auto loan debt	25%	24%	25%	15%	30%	25%	28%	23%	23%	31%
Credit card debt	44%	43%	44%	26%	40%	51%	55%	46%	37%	52%
Medical debt	20%	19%	21%	20%	23%	19%	16%	22%	18%	21%
Home mortgage debt	30%	31%	29%	7%	34%	36%	39%	27%	25%	42%
Other debt	12%	13%	11%	5%	16%	15%	9%	18%	8%	12%
None of the above	22%	25%	19%	33%	14%	20%	23%	17%	26%	21%
Prefer not to answer	4%	2%	5%	5%	5%	2%	3%	4%	5%	0%
Not sure	2%	2%	3%	5%	4%	1%	—	1%	4%	1%
Totals	(1,000)	(469)	(531)	(182)	(241)	(392)	(185)	(363)	(393)	(244)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Student loan debt	17%	18%	23%	7%	15%	20%	18%	23%	23%	16%	9%
Auto loan debt	25%	27%	23%	15%	18%	31%	44%	28%	24%	27%	18%
Credit card debt	44%	44%	40%	44%	46%	46%	46%	51%	41%	42%	43%
Medical debt	20%	20%	18%	22%	27%	21%	15%	17%	26%	22%	15%
Home mortgage debt	30%	33%	19%	24%	16%	41%	55%	25%	40%	27%	30%
Other debt	12%	12%	15%	11%	14%	15%	9%	14%	13%	14%	7%
None of the above	22%	21%	17%	29%	22%	21%	16%	22%	17%	22%	25%
Prefer not to answer	4%	3%	6%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%	3%	3%	7%
Not sure	2%	1%	8%	4%	3%	1%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%
Totals	(1,000)	(768)	(107)	(125)	(386)	(294)	(182)	(154)	(225)	(386)	(235)

**3. Student Debt Issue**

How serious of an issue do you think student debt is for young people in the United States?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Very serious	60%	58%	61%	57%	61%	62%	57%	72%	57%	48%
Somewhat serious	33%	33%	32%	33%	33%	31%	34%	24%	34%	42%
Not very serious	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%	3%	6%	9%
Not serious at all	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	1%	4%	0%	4%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(467)	(530)	(181)	(241)	(391)	(184)	(363)	(391)	(243)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very serious	60%	58%	72%	57%	64%	57%	53%	50%	61%	63%	61%
Somewhat serious	33%	34%	19%	38%	28%	38%	36%	42%	29%	30%	32%
Not very serious	6%	6%	4%	4%	5%	4%	9%	4%	9%	5%	6%
Not serious at all	2%	2%	5%	1%	2%	1%	2%	5%	1%	2%	1%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(766)	(106)	(125)	(386)	(293)	(182)	(154)	(223)	(385)	(235)

**4. Help For Student Debt**

Which comes closer to your view?

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The government should do more to help students pay for college and pay off student loan debt	55%	50%	59%	65%	62%	51%	41%	81%	48%	31%
It's not the government's job to help people pay for college	34%	40%	28%	18%	29%	42%	43%	13%	37%	57%
Not sure	12%	10%	13%	17%	10%	7%	16%	7%	15%	12%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (468)	100% (531)	100% (182)	100% (241)	100% (391)	100% (185)	100% (363)	100% (392)	100% (244)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The government should do more to help students pay for college and pay off student loan debt	55%	49%	80%	62%	61%	47%	52%	56%	56%	58%	49%
It's not the government's job to help people pay for college	34%	40%	8%	24%	27%	45%	41%	30%	33%	34%	37%
Not sure	12%	11%	12%	14%	11%	8%	7%	14%	12%	8%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (768)	100% (107)	100% (124)	100% (385)	100% (294)	100% (182)	100% (154)	100% (225)	100% (385)	100% (235)

**5. Party of Student Debt**

Which party do you think has better ideas for dealing with student debt and the price of a college education?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The Democratic Party	27%	29%	26%	28%	35%	21%	27%	65%	11%	5%
The Republican Party	18%	20%	16%	15%	15%	19%	22%	1%	13%	51%
Neither	33%	35%	31%	25%	30%	36%	39%	14%	50%	27%
Not sure	22%	16%	27%	31%	19%	24%	11%	20%	26%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(469)	(528)	(181)	(240)	(391)	(185)	(363)	(391)	(243)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The Democratic Party	27%	21%	57%	33%	27%	25%	32%	18%	31%	31%	27%
The Republican Party	18%	22%	3%	10%	15%	19%	23%	16%	16%	21%	17%
Neither	33%	36%	18%	27%	30%	35%	37%	38%	32%	29%	36%
Not sure	22%	20%	22%	30%	28%	21%	7%	29%	22%	20%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(766)	(107)	(124)	(383)	(294)	(182)	(153)	(223)	(386)	(235)