

YouGov Survey: Current events, politics, and culture



Sample 1000 U.S. Adult Citizens
Conducted May 27 - June 3, 2022
Margin of Error $\pm 3.3\%$

1. Would you support or oppose the federal government creating a board to counter disinformation?

Asked of a randomly assigned half of the sample

Strongly support	22%
Somewhat support	21%
Somewhat oppose	15%
Strongly oppose	25%
Not sure	17%

2. Would you support or oppose the Biden administration creating a board to counter disinformation?

Asked of a randomly assigned half of the sample

Strongly support	17%
Somewhat support	21%
Somewhat oppose	14%
Strongly oppose	29%
Not sure	19%

3. Do you agree or disagree with the following? "Unless each individual person has decision making power over our own bodies, men and women, we're not living in a democracy."

Agree	61%
Disagree	18%
Not sure	22%

4. Should state governments spend taxpayer money to help build pro-sports stadiums?

Yes	14%
No	68%
Not sure	18%

5. Do you think it is ever acceptable for a state government to use its regulatory powers to punish legal artistic and political speech?

Yes	12%
No	65%
Not sure	22%

6. How effective do you think laws against price gouging are at limiting inflation?

Very effective	7%
Somewhat effective	17%
Somewhat ineffective	25%
Very ineffective	35%
Not sure	17%

7. What rate of pay do you think employers should be required to pay hourly employees for hours they work in overtime?

The regular rate of pay	5%
1.25 times the regular rate of pay	5%
1.5 times the regular rate of pay	43%
1.75 times the regular rate of pay	6%
2 times the regular rate of pay	22%
More than double the regular rate of pay	6%
Not sure	12%

8. On average, do you think that full-time workers making \$100,000 per year work harder on a day-to-day basis than full-time workers making \$25,000 per year?

Harder	15%
Less hard	32%
About the same	30%
Not sure	23%

9. How big of a problem do you think social media addiction is among children in the U.S.?

A very big problem	48%
A somewhat big problem	33%
Not a very big problem	9%
Not a problem at all	2%
Not sure	9%

10. Would you support or oppose a law in your state allowing parents to sue social-media companies if their children become addicted to their products?

Strongly support	11%
Somewhat support	18%
Somewhat oppose	25%
Strongly oppose	30%
Not sure	15%

11. Should law enforcement agencies publicly post mug shots of people who have been arrested but not yet convicted of non-violent crimes?

Yes	21%
No	59%
Not sure	21%

12. Should social-media platforms allow users to post mug shots of people who have been arrested but not yet convicted of non-violent crimes?

Yes	20%
No	61%
Not sure	19%

13. Do you think that online disinformation spreads more because of supply (platforms sharing it) or because of demand (people seeking it out)?

Supply	24%
Demand	16%
Equally supply and demand	45%
Not sure	15%

14. Who do you trust more to handle ...

	Democrats	Republi- cans	Both equally	Not sure
Health care	37%	30%	10%	22%
Mental health care	35%	26%	14%	25%

15. Should health-care workers be criminally prosecuted for medical errors that result in the death of a patient?

Yes	35%
No	29%
Not sure	36%

16. Among people who test positive for COVID, do you think vaccines provide any protection against long COVID?

Yes	37%
No	35%
Not sure	28%

17. What percentage of Americans do you think change the race they identify with at some point in their lives?

0% - 4%	26%
5% - 9%	13%
10% - 14%	12%
15% - 19%	7%
20% - 24%	4%
25% or more	7%
Not sure	32%

18. Do you think using the word "chief" in job titles is OK or not OK?

OK	66%
Not OK	13%
Not sure	22%

19. Do you think that climate scientists engaging in activism related to climate change undermine the credibility of their research?

Yes	35%
No	41%
Not sure	24%

20. Is it ever OK to secretly record and publish audio of a private work meeting?

Yes	27%
No	51%
Not sure	22%

21. On average, would you say that restaurant portion sizes in this country are...?

Too big	30%
Too small	18%
About right	34%
I don't eat at restaurants	6%
Not sure	11%

22. Do you think fathers who have daughters should learn how to style their daughters' hair if they don't already know how to?

Yes	48%
No	25%
Not sure	27%

23. Do you or does anyone in your household own a gun?

Personally own a gun	22%
Don't personally own a gun, but someone in the household owns a gun	17%
No one in the household owns a gun	53%
Not sure	8%

24. In general, do you feel the laws covering the sale of handguns should be made more strict than they are now?

Make gun laws more strict	51%
No change	27%
Make gun laws less strict	13%
Not sure	9%

25. Should civilians be prohibited from owning guns?

Asked of a randomly assigned half of the sample

Yes	20%
No	67%
Not sure	13%

26. Should gun ownership be limited to only law enforcement and the military?

Asked of a randomly assigned half of the sample

Yes	24%
No	64%
Not sure	11%

27. Do you think that gun violence is primarily a problem with guns, or a problem with people?

Guns	11%
People	54%
Both equally	30%
Not sure	5%

28. Would you support or oppose the following?

	Strongly support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	Not sure
Requiring firearm training for concealed carry	55%	21%	9%	6%	8%
Making all public schools gun-free zones	50%	10%	9%	19%	11%
Rewriting the Second Amendment to make it more restrictive	27%	13%	11%	33%	15%
Requiring people to pass a psychiatric evaluation in order to buy a gun	44%	20%	11%	14%	11%
Requiring people to take a class and pass a test on gun safety in order to buy a gun	54%	21%	9%	9%	7%
Requiring people to take a class and pass a test on gun-violence statistics in order to buy a gun	41%	17%	14%	16%	11%
Hiring retired veterans to provide armed protection in schools	34%	26%	15%	12%	14%
Barring the sale of ammunition other than rubber ammo	17%	14%	16%	35%	17%
Changing the Second Amendment to reflect current gun technology	30%	13%	11%	29%	16%
Requiring gun manufacturers to pay for part of the costs of gunshot violence to victims	29%	16%	13%	29%	13%
Providing mental-health therapy in every school	53%	22%	9%	5%	10%
Requiring licenses to own guns	53%	14%	8%	17%	8%

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Interviewing Dates	May 27 - June 3, 2022
Target population	U.S. Citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2018 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2018 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
Weighting	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, news interest, and 2020 Presidential vote (or non-vote). The weights range from 0.254 to 3.655, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.374.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 3.3% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	57 questions not reported.