

Reuters/Ipsos Poll: 2020 Democratic Primary Tracker

About the Study

These are some of the findings of an Ipsos poll conducted between February 19-25, 2020 on behalf of Thomson Reuters. For this survey, a sample of 4,439 adults age 18+ from the continental U.S., Alaska and Hawaii were interviewed online in English. The sample includes 3,809 registered voters, 1,808 Democratic registered voters,1,565 Republican registered voters, and 334 independent registered voters. Weighting was then employed to balance demographics to ensure that the sample's composition reflects that of the adult population according to Census data and to provide results intended to approximate the sample universe. The precision of Ipsos online polls is measured using a credibility interval. In this case, the poll is accurate to within \pm 1.7 percentage points, 19 times out of 20, had all Americans been polled. The credibility interval will be wider among subsets of the population. All sample surveys and polls may be subject to other sources of error, including, but not limited to coverage error, and measurement error. The poll also has a credibility interval \pm 1.8 percentage points for registered voters, \pm 2.6 percentage points for Democratic registered voters, \pm 2.8 percentage points for Republican registered voters, and \pm 6.1 percentage points for independent registered voters.

For full results, please refer to the following annotated questionnaire.





		All Respondents	All Registered Voters	Democratic Registered Voters	Republican Registered Voters	Independent Registered Voters
Do you consider	Democrat	45%	47%	100%	0%	0%
yourself a	Republican	38%	41%	0%	100%	0%
Democrat, a Republican, an	Independent	10%	9%	0%	0%	100%
independent or	None/DK	7%	3%	0%	0%	0%
none of these?	Total	4439	3809	1808	1565	334
	Yes	83%	100%	100%	100%	100%
P1. Are you currently registered	No	15%	0%	0%	0%	0%
to vote, or not? (Select one)	Don't know / Refused	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%
(23.23.21.2)	Total	4439	3809	1808	1565	334
	10- Completely certain you will vote	65%	77%	78%	81%	63%
	9	6%	6%	7%	6%	6%
P7. In November	8	5%	5%	5%	4%	9%
2020, the next	7	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
presidential election will be	6	3%	2%	2%	1%	4%
held. Using a 1-to-	5	5%	3%	2%	3%	6%
10 scale how	4	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
likely are you to vote in the next	3	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%
presidential	2	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
election? (Select one)	1- Completely certain you will NOT vote	7%	1%	1%	0%	2%
	Don't know	3%	1%	1%	0%	4%
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	Joe Biden	13%	15%	17%	-	8%
	Elizabeth Warren	8%	10%	12%	-	3%
	Bernie Sanders	25%	26%	29%	-	17%
TM1634Y19. If the 2020 Democratic	Amy Klobuchar	4%	4%	4%	-	5%
presidential primary election	Pete Buttigieg	8%	10%	11%	-	6%
were held today, and you had to	Tulsi Gabbard	1%	1%	1%	-	3%
choose from the	Tom Steyer	3%	3%	3%	-	2%
list of candidates below, for whom	Michael Bloomberg	14%	15%	16%	-	12%
would you vote? - NOT ASKED OF	Other	1%	1%	1%	-	3%
REPUBLICANS	Don't know	14%	11%	6%	-	21%
	I can't/won't vote in the Democratic primary	8%	4%	1%	-	19%
	Total	2706	2244	1808	0	334
	Joe Biden	15%	16%	18%	-	11%
	Bernie Sanders	22%	21%	23%	-	15%
TM1662Y19 - For each of the	Elizabeth Warren	11%	12%	13%	-	7%
following, please select the candidate from the list below you think is the best on that particular issueImmigrationNOT ASKED OF REPUBLICANS	Pete Buttigieg	7%	8%	8%	-	5%
	Michael Bloomberg	9%	9%	9%	-	8%
	Tom Steyer	2%	2%	2%	-	2%
	Amy Klobuchar	4%	5%	5%	-	5%
	Some other candidate	3%	3%	1%	-	10%
	Don't know	26%	24%	20%	-	37%
	Total	2503	2147	1792	0	267



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TM1662Y19 - For each of the	Elizabeth Warren	11%	12%	13%	-	5%
following, please select the	Pete Buttigieg	6%	6%	7%	-	4%
candidate from the list below you think	Michael Bloomberg	13%	14%	14%	-	13%
is the best on that particular	Tom Steyer	3%	2%	2%	-	2%
issueHealthcare.	Amy Klobuchar	4%	4%	4%	-	3%
REPUBLICANS	Some other candidate	2%	2%	1%	-	10%
	Don't know	17%	13%	9%	-	29%
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TM1662Y19 - For	Bernie Sanders	26%	27%	28%	-	21%
each of the following, please	Elizabeth Warren	11%	11%	12%	-	7%
select the candidate from the	Pete Buttigieg	7%	8%	9%	-	5%
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	Tom Steyer	6%	7%	7%	-	6%
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list below you think is the best on that	Michael Bloomberg	21%	22%	23%	-	23%
particular	Tom Steyer	5%	4%	4%	-	6%
issueThe economy and jobs.	Amy Klobuchar	3%	3%	3%	-	3%
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particular issueA	Tom Steyer	5%	5%	5%	-	5%
new and different voiceNOT	Amy Klobuchar	6%	6%	7%	-	6%
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Full Questionnaire Text:

PV23. Thinking about politics and government, do you consider yourself: (Select one) **ROTATE RESPONSE SCALE EXCEPT DK/REF (1,2,3,4,5,6 AND 6,5,4,3,2,1)**

[RANDOMLY ROTATE SCALE]

Very conservative
Moderately conservative
Lean conservative
Lean liberal
Moderately liberal
Very liberal
Don't know/Refuse [ANCHOR]

REUP1. Are you currently registered to vote, or not? (Select one)

Yes No

Don't know / Refused

REUS8. In your opinion, what is the most important problem facing the U.S. today? (Select from below or write in)

[RANDOMIZE: ANCHOR OTHER AND DON'T KNOW]

Economy generally
Unemployment / lack of jobs
War / foreign conflicts
Immigration
Terrorism / terrorist attacks
Healthcare
Energy issues
Morality
Education
Crime
Environment
Other [INSERT TEXT BOX]



Don't know



[IF ECONOMY GENERALLY IN S8 ASK]

TM1692Y19. You mentioned the economy is the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about the economy?

[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

Lack of high paying jobs
Lack of skilled workers
Too much government regulation
Not enough government regulation
High income taxes
High federal deficit
Tariffs on goods
Inflation
Interest rates
Stock market/ 401K account performance
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF UNEMPLOYMENT/LACK OF JOBS IN S8 ASK]

TM1693Y19. You mentioned unemployment as the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about unemployment?

[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

I personally can't find a job
Lack of high paying jobs
Lack of skilled workers
Not enough good jobs to go around
Jobs are disappearing because of technology
Jobs are being outsourced to other countries
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF WAR/FOREIGN CONFLICTS IN S8 ASK]

TM1694Y19. You mentioned war and foreign conflicts as the important problem facing the country. Which country concerns you most when you think of war and foreign conflict?

[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

Iran
North Korea
Russia
China
Afghanistan
Iraq
Venezuela





Saudi Arabia
Turkey
Yemen
Syria
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF IMMIGRATION IN S8 ASK]

TM1695Y19. You mentioned immigration as the most important problem facing the country. What is the most important issue to you concerning immigration?

[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

Securing the U.S – Mexico border Protecting American jobs from immigrants Reforming the legal immigration process Immigrant families being separated Immigrants receiving public services/aid Immigrants committing crimes Immigrants not being able to assimilate Turning away or mistreating asylum seekers America as we know it being lost Other [ANCHOR]

[IF TERRORISM IN S8 ASK]

TM1696Y19. You mentioned terrorism as the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about terrorism?

A foreign national committing an attack
A U.S. citizen committing an attack
Non-violent forms of terrorism, like cyberattacks
Terrorists killing Americans in other countries
Being the victim of a violent terrorist attack
Americans being radicalized
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF HEALTHCARE IN S8 ASK]

TM1697Y19. You mentioned healthcare as the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about healthcare?

[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

Insurance premiums are unaffordable
Out of pocket costs are too high for medical care





Quality healthcare isn't accessible to everyone
Cost of prescription drugs
I don't have access to specialists
The government is forcing people to buy insurance
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF ENERGY ISSUES IN S8 ASK]

TM1698Y19. You mentioned energy issues as the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about energy issues?

Gasoline/diesel prices are unaffordable
Running out of fossil fuels
Climate change
Not enough reliable renewable energy alternatives
Renewable energy is too expensive
Corporate America is not committed to renewable energy
Renewable options are not available in every state
Environmental damage from drilling/fracking/oil spills
Too many government subsidies for renewable energy
Not enough government subsidies for renewable energy
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF MORALITY IN S8 ASK]

TM1699Y19. You mentioned morality is the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about morality?

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[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

America is losing its Judeo-Christian heritage Abortion remains legal Same-sex marriage is legal Over-sexualization in the media Rampant drug use Decline in marriage Income inequality Sexism/Gender inequality Dishonest people get ahead in America Increasing socialist values Other [ANCHOR] Don't know [ANCHOR]





[IF EDUCATION IN S8 ASK]

TM1700Y19. You mentioned education is the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about education?

[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

Cost of education
Teachers' unions
Bloated school administration
Low pay for teachers
Unequal funding of public schools
Curriculum/subject matter is inadequate
Not enough arts in school
Overcrowding in classrooms
Charter schools/school choice programs devastating schools
Not enough school choice
Schools aren't held accountable for poor performance
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF CRIME IN S8 ASK]

TM1701Y19. You mentioned crime is the most important problem facing the country. What concerns you most about crime?

[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

Gun violence
Violent crime in general
"White-collar" crime, like tax evasion, wire fraud, etc.
Property crime
Corruption in the police force
Other [ANCHOR]
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF ENVIRONMENT IN S8 ASK]

TM1702Y19. You mentioned the environment is the most important problem facing the country. ? What is the most important issue to you concerning the environment?

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[RANDOMIZE, SINGLE PUNCH]

Climate change
Losing public lands to private businesses
Not allowing private businesses to operate on public lands
Habitat loss/Deforestation
Environmental regulations taking a toll on businesses
Lack of renewable energy sources
Disposable plastic usage

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Pollution generally Increasing extreme weather events, like fires, floods, tornados, hurricanes, etc. Other [ANCHOR] Don't know [ANCHOR]

P7. In November 2020, the next presidential election will be held. Using a 1-to-10 scale, where 10 means you are completely certain you will vote and 1 means you are completely certain you will NOT vote, how likely are you to vote in the next presidential election? (Select one)

SCALE 1-10

Don't know

REUAB1. Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are heading in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?

[ROTATE 1-2; 2-1]

Right direction Wrong track Don't know [ANCHOR]

REUAB11. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President?

[ROTATE 1-2; 2-1]

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[IF "APPROVE" OR "DISAPPROVE" TO REUAB11, ASK QUESTION REUAB12.]
REUAB12. Is that strongly [INSERT RESPONSE FROM AB11-DO NOT CAPITALIZE FIRST LETTER] or somewhat [INSERT RESPONSE FROM AB11-DO NOT CAPITALIZE FIRST LETTER]?

[ROTATE 1-2; 2-1]

Strongly [INSERT RESPONSE FROM AB11-DO NOT CAPITALIZE FIRST LETTER]
Somewhat [INSERT RESPONSE FROM AB11-DO NOT CAPITALIZE FIRST LETTER]





[IF "DK" TO AB11, ASK QUESTION REUAB13]

AB13. If you had to choose, do you lean more towards approve or disapprove?

[ROTATE 1-2; 2-1]

Approve
Disapprove
Don't know / Refused [ANCHOR]

REUTM3. How familiar are you with the following public figures, taking into account all the ways you may have heard about them?

[GRID ACROSS: PROGRESSIVE ROTATE 1-5;5-1]

Very familiar
Somewhat familiar
Not very familiar
Have heard of them, but that's it
Have not heard about them

[GRID DOWN: RANDOMIZE]

Donald Trump
Joe Biden
Elizabeth Warren
Bernie Sanders
Amy Klobuchar
Pete Buttigieg
Tom Steyer
Michael Bloomberg

REUTM4. Would you say you are generally favorable or unfavorable towards these public figures?

[GRID ACROSS: PROGRESSIVE ROTATE 1-6;6-1]

Very favorable Somewhat favorable Lean towards favorable Lean towards unfavorable Somewhat unfavorable Very unfavorable





[GRID DOWN: ONLY INCLUDE INDIVIDUALS RESPONDENT IS AWARE OF (REUTM3:1-4); RANDOMIZE IN SAME ORDER]

Donald Trump
Joe Biden
Elizabeth Warren
Bernie Sanders
Amy Klobuchar
Pete Buttigieg
Tom Steyer
Michael Bloomberg

[ASK STRONG/MODERATE/LEAN DEMOCRAT AND INDEPENDENTS ONLY FROM PID] TM1634Y19. If the 2020 Democratic presidential primary election were held today, and you had to choose from the list of candidates below, for whom would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE LIST]

Joe Biden

Elizabeth Warren

Bernie Sanders

Amy Klobuchar

Pete Buttigieg

Tulsi Gabbard

Tom Steyer

Michael Bloomberg

I can't/won't vote in the Democratic primary [ASK INDEPENDENTS/DON'T KNOW/NOT CLOSER TO EITHER PARTY IN PID, DO NOT ASK TM1657Y19 IF SAYS CAN'T/WON'T VOTE]
Other [ANCHOR]

Don't know [ANCHOR]

[ASK STRONG/MODERATE/LEAN DEMOCRAT AND INDEPENDENTS ONLY FROM PID] TM1800Y20. Below are the candidates who are currently running in the Democratic presidential primary election. Please rank order the candidates 1 through 8, with 1 being your first choice and 8 being your last choice to run in the general election against Donald Trump.

[RANDOMIZE LIST]

- 1. Joe Biden
- 2. Elizabeth Warren
- 3. Bernie Sanders
- 4. Amy Klobuchar
- 5. Pete Buttigieg
- 6. Tulsi Gabbard
- 7. Tom Steyer
- 8. Michael Bloomberg

[RANK ORDER 1 THROUGH 8, DO NOT ALLOW DOUBLE RANKINGS]





[ASK SERIES ON THIS WAVE, ASK EVERYONE] [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF TM651Y15_1 - TM651Y15_7]

TM651Y15_1. If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were as below, for whom would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE ITEMS, ANCHOR LAST THREE ITEMS (Neither/Wouldn't vote/DK) FOR EACH.

Joe Biden (Democrat)
Donald Trump (Republican)
Neither / Other
Wouldn't vote
Don't know/Refused

TM651Y15_2. If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were as below, for whom would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE ITEMS, ANCHOR LAST THREE ITEMS (Neither/Wouldn't vote/DK) FOR EACH.

Donald Trump (Republican) Bernie Sanders (Democrat) Neither / Other Wouldn't vote Don't know / Refused

TM651Y15_3. If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were as below, for whom would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE ITEMS, ANCHOR LAST THREE ITEMS (Neither/Wouldn't vote/DK) FOR EACH.

Donald Trump (Republican) Elizabeth Warren (Democrat) Neither / Other Wouldn't vote Don't know / Refused





TM651Y15_4. If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were as below, for whom would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE ITEMS, ANCHOR LAST THREE ITEMS (Neither/Wouldn't vote/DK) FOR EACH.

Donald Trump (Republican)
Pete Buttigieg (Democrat)
Neither / Other
Wouldn't vote
Don't know / Refused

TM651Y15_5. If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were as below, for whom would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE ITEMS, ANCHOR LAST THREE ITEMS (Neither/Wouldn't vote/DK) FOR EACH.

Donald Trump (Republican)
Michael Bloomberg (Democrat)
Neither / Other
Wouldn't vote
Don't know / Refused

TM651Y15_7. If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were as below, for whom would you vote?

[RANDOMIZE ITEMS, ANCHOR LAST THREE ITEMS (Neither/Wouldn't vote/DK) FOR EACH.

Donald Trump (Republican) Amy Klobuchar (Democrat) Neither / Other Wouldn't vote Don't know / Refused

TM1801Y20. Using a 1-to-10 scale, where <u>10 means</u> you are completely certain <u>you will vote</u> and <u>1 means</u> you are completely certain <u>you will NOT vote</u>, how likely are you to vote in the election for president if the election is between <u>the following candidates?</u>

[PROGRESSIVE GRID - MATCH CANDIDATE ORDER TO TM651Y15 SERIES]

- 1- Donald Trump vs Joe Biden [RANDOMLY ROTATE ORDER 'Joe Biden vs Donald Trump' AND 'Donald Trump vs Joe Biden']
- 2- Donald Trump vs Bernie Sanders [RANDOMLY ROTATE ORDER 'Bernie Sanders vs Donald Trump' AND 'Donald Trump vs Bernie Sanders']
- 3- Donald Trump vs Elizabeth Warren [RANDOMLY ROTATE ORDER 'Elizabeth Warren vs Donald Trump AND ' Elizabeth Warren vs Donald Trump']
- 4- Donald Trump vs Pete Buttigieg [RANDOMLY ROTATE ORDER 'Pete Buttigieg vs Donald Trump' AND 'Donald Trump vs Pete Buttigieg']





- 5- Donald Trump vs Michael Bloomberg [RANDOMLY ROTATE ORDER 'Michael Bloomberg vs Donald Trump' AND 'Donald Trump vs Michael Bloomberg']
- 6- Donald Trump vs Amy Klobuchar [RANDOMLY ROTATE ORDER 'Amy Klobuchar vs Donald Trump' AND 'Donald Trump vs Amu Klobuchar']

[ROTATE SCALE] 1 – Completely certainly you will NOT vote 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 – Completely certain you will vote

[ASK STRONG/MODERATE/LEAN DEMOCRAT AND INDEPENDENTS ONLY FROM PID AND ONLY THOSE DID NOT SAY 'CAN'T/WON'T VOTE IN THE DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY' IN

TM1634Y19 OR TM1634Y19_2, SKIP IF DON'T KNOW IN TM1660Y19, TM1634Y19_2]

TM1662Y19 - For each of the following, please select the candidate from the list below you think is the best on that particular issue.

[COLUMNS; SELECT ONE CANDIDATE PER ISSUE]

Immigration
Healthcare
The environment
The economy and jobs
Most likely to beat President Trump in the general election
Strong progressive
Can unify the Democratic Party
A new and different voice
National security

[ROWS - RANDOMIZE LIST]

Joe Biden
Bernie Sanders
Elizabeth Warren
Pete Buttigieg
Michael Bloomberg
Tom Steyer
Amy Klobuchar
Some other candidate
Don't know [ANCHOR]

Not sure [ANCHOR]





[ASK ALL]

TM1802Y20. If the Democratic nominee is a woman, do you think that would make it...

[ROTATE 1-2]

Easier to beat Trump
Harder to beat Trump
No difference [ANCHOR]

[ASK FOR THIS WAVE]

TM1128Y17. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling the following issues? (Select one per row)

[PROGRESSIVE GRID, ROTATE 1-6;6-1]

Strongly approve
Somewhat approve
Lean towards approve
Lean towards disapprove
Somewhat disapprove
Strongly disapprove
Don't know [ANCHOR]

[GRID DOWN: RANDOMIZE SPLIT SCREEN SHOWING 7 ON EACH]

The U.S. economy
U.S. foreign policy
Healthcare reform
Employment and jobs
Dealing with Congress
International trade
Taxation
Corruption
The environment
Immigration
The way he treats people like me
The effort he is making to unify the country
Russia
Iran





[ROTATE ORDER OF TM1275Y17 AND TM1276Y17]

TM1275Y17. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the **Democratic Party**?

PROGRESSIVE GRID [RANDOMIZE STATEMENTS]

I know who the main leaders are of the Democratic Party now

The Democratic Party has lost its way

I understand what the Democratic Party stands for

The Democratic Party has a clear message

The Democratic Party understands the problems that impact me and my community

The Democratic Party is in touch with my values

[ROTATE SCALE 1:4]

Strongly agree Somewhat agree Somewhat disagree Strongly disagree Don't know [ANCHOR]

TM1276Y17. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements about the **Republican Party**?

PROGRESSIVE GRID [RANDOMIZE STATEMENTS]

I know who the main leaders are of the Republican Party now

The Republican Party has lost its way

I understand what the Republican Party stands for

The Republican Party has a clear message

The Republican Party understands the problems that impact me and my community

The Republican Party is in touch with my values

[ROTATE SCALE 1:4]

Strongly agree Somewhat agree Somewhat disagree Strongly disagree Don't know [Anchor]





TM514Y15. On a scale of 1 to 5, with one being no threat and 5 being an imminent threat, how much of a threat do the following beliefs, movements, trends or phenomena pose to the United States?

[RANDOMIZE]

[RANDOMLY REVERSE SCALE, 1-5, 5-1]

1 – No threat

2

3

4

5 - Imminent threat

Not sure [ANCHOR]

PV9. When thinking about gun ownership rights and gun laws, which of the following comes closest to your personal opinion? **REVERSE RESPONSE SCALE EXCEPT 'UNSURE'** (1,2,3,4 AND 4,3,2,1)

Gun ownership should have strong regulations or restrictions Gun ownership should have moderate regulations or restrictions Gun ownership should have basic regulations or restrictions Gun ownership should have no or very few restrictions Unsure

TM1591Y19: In your opinion, which is a better approach to stop gun violence in the U.S.?

[RANDOMLY ROTATE 1-2, 2-1]

Policies that make it tougher to own guns Policies that make it easier to own guns Other [ANCHOR] Don't Know [ANCHOR]

TM401Y14. Thinking about immigration reform, please indicate if you support or oppose each of the following:

[RANDOMIZE]

- 1. Allowing young people who were brought into the country as children to apply for deportation deferrals and work permits
- 2. Creating a path to citizenship for illegal immigrants
- 3. Making it easier for highly skilled workers to work in the US
- Implementing an entry-exit visa tracking system to prevent people from overstaying their visas

[RANDOMLY REVERSE SCALE 1-2,2-1]

Support

Oppose

Not sure [ANCHOR]





PV3. When you think about the planet and global warming, which of the following comes closest to your personal opinion? The planet has been getting warmer because of... **REVERSE RESPONSE SCALE EXCEPT 'UNSURE'** (1,2,3,4 AND 4,3,2,1) [single punch]

Natural patterns in the earth's environment
Mostly natural patterns but some impact from human activity
Mostly human activity but some natural patterns in the earth's environment
Human activity such as burning fossil fuels
Unsure

V4. When you think about healthcare reform in the United States, which of the following solutions comes closest to your opinion? REVERSE RESPONSE SCALE EXCEPT 'UNSURE' (1,2,3,4 AND 4,3,2,1) [single punch]

The Government should be the sole provider of healthcare insurance
The Government should have a major role in providing healthcare insurance
The Government should have a limited role in providing healthcare insurance
Only private companies should provide healthcare insurance
Unsure

V16. When you think about abortion, which of the following is closest to your personal opinion? **REVERSE RESPONSE SCALE EXCEPT 'UNSURE'** (1,2,3,4 AND 4,3,2,1) [single punch]

Abortion should be illegal in all cases Abortion should be illegal in most cases Abortion should be legal in most cases Abortion should be legal in all cases Unsure

DIM6. Do you agree or disagree with the following statements? (Select one for each row)

[RANDOMLY FLIP SCALE; ANCHOR 'DON'T KNOW']

Strongly agree
Somewhat agree
Neither agree nor disagree
Somewhat disagree
Strongly disagree
Don't know

[PROGRESSIVE GRID, RANDOMIZE; PROGRESSIVE]

To fix America, we need a strong leader willing to break the rules

America needs a strong leader to take the country back from the rich and powerful

The American economy is rigged to advantage the rich and powerful

Traditional parties and politicians don't care about people like me

The mainstream media is more interested in making money than telling the truth

When jobs are scarce, employers should prioritize hiring people of this country over immigrants





TM1742Y19. For whom did you vote for President in 2016?

[RANDOMIZE FIRST TWO RESPONSES - CLINTON AND TRUMP]

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Hillary Clinton (Democrat)
Donald Trump (Republican)
Other
I did not vote in the 2016 presidential election
Unsure / Refuse





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