



Texas Voter Sample

Field Dates: November 9 – 16, 2021

N= 1,106 Adults (Registered Voters)

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**Survey of Texas Voters**

**Do you consider yourself to be a Republican, Democrat, or neither?**

Code		Total	Latino	Black	White
1	Democrat	36%	44%	74%	23%
2	Republican	39	29	8	53
3	Neither	25	27	18	24
Total =		1,106	290	139	601

**[If Republican or Democrat] Do you consider yourself to be a strong [Republican/ Democrat] or not strong [Republican/ Democrat]?**

**OR [If independent, no preference, or other party] Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic Party?**

Code		Total	Latino	Black	White
1	Strong Democrat	21%	22%	44%	16%
2	Not strong Democrat	15	22	29	7
3	Lean Democratic, Independent	6	6	8	5
4	Lean to no Party, Independent	10	16	9	7
5	Lean Republican, Independent	9	5	2	12
6	Not strong Republican	13	11	4	16
7	Strong Republican	26	18	4	37
Total =		1,106	290	139	601

**Using a 7-point scale where 1 is extremely liberal and 7 is extremely conservative, how would you rate your political views.**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Extremely Liberal	7%	12%	5%	3%
2	Liberal	9	20	5	1
3	Slightly Liberal	8	14	8	2
4	Moderate, Middle of the Road	29	36	42	15
5	Slightly Conservative	11	5	14	13
6	Conservative	20	4	10	4
7	Extremely Conservative	13	5	5	25
8	Don't Know	5	4	11	1
Total =		1,106	397	275	433

**Focusing on Texas, do you think that things are headed in the right direction, or do you think that things are headed off on the wrong track?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
1	Right Direction	48%	46%	39%	56%	49%	41%	50%
0	Wrong Track	51	54	57	32	49	59	49
3	Neither	2	0	4	1	2	0	2
Total =		1,103	396	276	431	289	139	600

**What party do you trust more on education in Texas?**

	Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Parents
2 (Rep)	50%	6%	49%	90%	38%	15%	64%	45%
1 (Dem)	47	92	46	8	60	81	34	53
7 (Other)	3	2	5	2	3	4	2	3
Total	1,101	396	272	433	289	138	598	373

**What party do you trust more to address the needs at the Texas-Mexico Border?**

	Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
2 (Rep)	54%	8%	58%	93%	40%	13%	71%
1 (Dem)	43	87	37	6	57	80	28
7 (Other)	3	4	4	1	3	7	1
Total	1,095	392	270	433	289	138	598

**What party do you trust more on race issues in Texas?**

	Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
2 (Rep)	47%	7%	42%	87%	33%	10%	63%
1 (Dem)	50	93	52	11	64	89	34
7 (Other)	3	0	6	2	2	1	3
Total	1,091	390	270	432	286	133	596

**In 1973 the Roe v. Wade decision established a woman's constitutional right to an abortion, at least in the first three months of pregnancy. Texas's law now restricts access to an abortion after six weeks of pregnancy. Would you like to see the Supreme Court overturn its Roe v. Wade decision and allow states to decide?**

	Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Married	Latino	Women	Catholic	White Evangelical
1 Yes, it should be overturned	50%	46%	44%	57%	52%	54%	48%	61%	60%
0 No, it should not be overturned	49	53	53	42	46	44	51	37	38
8 (v) Don't Know	1	1	3	2	2	2	1	3	2
Total =	1,104	397	275	432	556	289	563	265	152

**Do you agree or disagree that K-12 teachers should be permitted to discuss how historical examples of discrimination in our laws apply to inequalities today?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Parent
5	Strongly Agree	36%	56%	34%	20%	40%	59%	29%	44%
4	Somewhat agree	23	23	26	20	26	20	21	27
3	Neither	17	15	21	16	18	16	17	14
2	Somewhat disagree	9	4	7	15	7	2	13	7
1	Strongly Disagree	15	2	12	29	9	3	20	8
8	Don't know enough	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total =		1,104	395	275	433	290	137	601	372

**How much do you trust the judgement of elected state leaders in reviewing what books are controversial and should be removed from K-12 schools?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Parents
3	A great deal	9%	14%	3%	8%	9%	13%	9%	16%
2	Fair amount	19	20	14	22	17	19	20	23
1	Not too much	31	30	31	33	34	36	29	29
0	No confidence	35	31	42	33	32	26	37	27
8	Don't know enough	6	5	9	4	8	5	4	5
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601	374

**In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job President Joe Biden has done in his job as President?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	19%	43%	8%	4%	18%	34%	16%
4	Approve	23	42	24	5	34	38	14
3	Neither	6	7	10	3	8	7	4
2	Disapprove	12	6	15	15	12	12	12
1	Strongly Disapprove	41	3	43	74	28	9	54
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Greg Abbott is handing his job as Governor?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	23%	10%	16%	41%	18%	13%	28%
4	Approve	26	15	23	37	22	9	32
3	Neither	10	10	11	9	10	12	9
2	Disapprove	12	14	16	7	13	18	9
1	Strongly Disapprove	29	51	34	7	36	48	22
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**As part of your evaluation, would you rate the Governor favorably or poorly on his outlook for Texas?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Parent
1	Favorable	51%	28%	38%	80%	43%	25%	61%	54%
0	Poorly	39	64	42	13	47	63	28	36
9	Don't know	10	8	19	7	10	11	11	10
Total =		1,104	396	275	433	290	139	599	373

**As part of your evaluation, would you rate the Governor favorably or poorly on his policy record in office?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Parent
1	Favorable	46%	22%	35%	74%	36%	24%	56%	47%
0	Poorly	40	66	44	15	48	63	32	37
9	Don't know	14	12	21	11	17	14	13	15
Total =		1,105	397	275	433	289	139	601	374

**As part of your evaluation, would you rate the Governor favorably or poorly on his response to crises?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Parent
1	Favorable	45%	23%	37%	71%	35%	19%	56%	45%
0	Poorly	44	67	49	19	54	69	34	44
9	Don't know	11	10	14	10	11	12	10	11
Total =		1,102	394	276	432	289	137	601	372

**In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Lt. Governor Dan Patrick is handling his job as Lieutenant Governor?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	16%	10%	9%	26%	9%	8%	21%
4	Approve	22	14	18	32	19	13	27
3	Neither	31	30	34	31	39	33	27
2	Disapprove	8	9	14	4	10	11	6
1	Strongly Disapprove	23	37	26	7	23	35	20
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Attorney General Ken Paxton is handling his job as Attorney General?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	15%	9%	11%	23%	12%	10%	18%
4	Approve	22	14	18	31	14	16	27
3	Neither	32	33	31	31	39	31	28
2	Disapprove	9	8	12	7	10	13	8
1	Strongly Disapprove	22	35	28	7	26	29	19
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**In light of recent headline news about Attorney General Ken Paxton, do you agree or disagree that he has the integrity to serve as attorney general?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Men	Women
1	I agree	34%	30%	22%	45%	40%	28%
0	I disagree	31	44	35	15	32	30
8	Unsure	35	26	42	39	28	42
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	536	563

**Is your impression of Senator John Cornyn favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Very favorable	15%	11%	5%	23%	12%	11%	18%
4	Somewhat favorable	15	14	23	28	21	17	26
3	Neither	23	18	26	22	25	22	21
2	Somewhat unfavorable	23	22	13	7	10	11	10
1	Very unfavorable	10	13	13	5	19	21	10
8	Don't Know Enough	14	23	20	15	14	18	14
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**Is your impression of Senator Ted Cruz favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Very favorable	26%	11%	19%	43%	18%	12%	33%
4	Somewhat favorable	18	13	15	24	15	13	21
3	Neither	9	10	10	8	13	15	6
2	Somewhat unfavorable	11	12	12	11	14	11	10
1	Very unfavorable	31	50	36	9	37	45	25
8	Don't Know Enough	5	4	7	4	4	6	5
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**Is your impression of Vice President Kamala Harris favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Very favorable	20%	42%	11%	5%	20%	45%	14%
4	Somewhat favorable	17	32	14	6	24	20	13
3	Neither	12	17	16	5	16	15	8
2	Somewhat unfavorable	8	5	9	9	9	9	7
1	Very unfavorable	39	2	43	72	25	7	54
8	Don't Know Enough	4	2	7	4	5	4	4
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**Is your impression of Beto O'Rourke favorable, unfavorable, or don't know?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Very favorable	18%	40%	9%	5%	25%	31%	13%
4	Somewhat favorable	19	34	19	6	22	33	16
3	Neither	11	10	18	8	16	9	9
2	Somewhat unfavorable	9	6	9	12	9	9	10
1	Very unfavorable	34	3	35	61	22	4	46
8	Don't Know Enough	8	7	10	7	7	13	7
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**How likely are you to vote in the 2022 March primary election?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Under 65	Over 65
4	Certain to vote	68%	67%	58%	75%	59%	70%	73%	65%	79%
3	Likely	16	20	15	15	19	15	15	18	10
2	Not sure	10	9	16	7	13	13	6	11	6
1	Probably not	3	2	5	2	4	3	5	3	3
0	Won't vote	3	1	6	1	4	0	2	3	2
Total =		1,104	397	276	431	290	139	600	864	239

**If the 2022 primary election for the Governor were held today, are you more likely to choose the Democratic or Republican ballot?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	White
1	Democratic Primary	43%	92%	31%	5%	55%	28%
2	Republican Primary	47	4	39	91	32	64
8	I would not vote in a primary election	10	4	30	3	13	8
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	652

**[If voting in the Democratic Primary] Do you believe Beto O'Rourke is the best opportunity for Democrats to win a statewide election?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Women	Latino	Black
1	Yes	65%	68%	47%	62%	77%	58%
0	No	11	9	20	8	7	12
8	Don't Know	24	23	33	30	16	30
Total =		474	367	85	251	159	114

**[If voting in the Democratic Primary] How familiar are you with the candidates that have announced they are running for statewide office?**

Candidate	Support	Do not support	Haven't Heard of them	Unsure	Total
Mike Collier	20%	10%	44%	26%	473
Matthew Dowd	17	13	44	26	472
Rochelle Garza	17	9	46	28	473
Lee Merritt	16	11	46	27	472
Joe Jaworski	17	9	47	26	473

**[If voting in the Democratic Primary] Mike Collier and Matthew Dowd are running for the Democratic Nomination for Texas Lieutenant Governor. Are you more likely to support Mike Collier or Matthew Dowd in the Democratic primary for Lieutenant Governor?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Certain	Probably
1	I would vote for Mike Collier	35%	37%	24%	40%	28%
2	I would vote for Matthew Dowd	20	20	14	18	25
7	I would vote for someone else	29	27	40	24	37
9	(v) Haven't heard of them	14	14	21	16	9
99	(v) Refused	2	2	1	2	1
Total =		468	362	83	330	87

**[If voting in the Republican Primary] How familiar are you with these challengers in the Republican Primary?**

Candidate	Support	Do not support	Haven't Heard of them	Unsure	Total
Don Huffines	8%	13	50	28	518
Chad Prather	11	13	56	21	518
Allen West	26	15	21	38	514
George P. Bush	34	18	17	31	518
Eva Guzman	13	13	48	26	516
Matt Krause	7	12	57	25	518

**[If voting in Republican Primary]**

**In the Republican primary for Governor of Texas. Do you plan to vote for:**

Code		Total	Ind.	Rep.	Certain	Probably
1	Governor Greg Abbott	65%	51%	71%	69%	51%
2	Don Huffines	3	1	3	2	4
3	Allen West	6	5	4	3	7
4	Chad Prather	6	13	4	6	5
7	I would vote for someone else	3	6	2	3	1
8	Don't know	18	23	16	15	32
Total =		520	107	396	391	84

**In the Republican primary for Attorney General, are you most likely to support the incumbent Ken Paxton, George P. Bush, or Eva Guzman?**

Code		Total	Ind.	Rep.	Certain	Probably
1	Ken Paxton	46%	43%	48%	46%	56%
2	George P. Bush	32	34	31	33	22
3	Eva Guzman	7	3	6	4	14
7	Someone else	7	11	7	8	0
8	Don't know	8	10	8	9	8
Total =		401	79	308	317	56

**In a race for Governor would you vote for Governor Abbott, Beto O'Rourke, or someone else?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	White	Women	Parents
0	Greg Abbott	45%	11%	37%	81%	32%	59%	49%	39%
1	Beto O'Rourke	39	78	32	7	50	26	38%	43
7	Someone else	16	11	31	12	18	15	13	18
Total =		1,105	396	276	433	290	600	536	373

**Matthew McConaughey has been talked about as a potential candidate for Governor of Texas. If he ran, would you be likely to support him more than Governor Abbott?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	White	Women	Parents
0	Greg Abbott	35%	9%	28%	62%	27%	45%	38%	29%
1	Matthew McConaughey	43	64	41	25	41	39	42	53
7	Someone else	22	26	31	12	31	16	20	19
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	601	536	374

**Would you be likely to support Matthew McConaughey more than Beto O'Rourke?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Matthew McConaughey	49%	34%	51%	61%
2	Beto O'Rourke	27	52	20	8
7	Someone else	19	10	23	29
8	(v) REFUSED	4	4	5	3
Total =		1,103	396	274	433

**Ranked Preference for Governor, if Matthew McConaughey emerges to run against Governor Greg Abbott and Beto O'Rourke. Based on the three head-to-head comparisons.**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Greg Abbott	37%	10%	33%	69%
2	Beto O'Rourke	26	74	32	7
3	Matthew McConaughey	27	11	22	21
7	Someone else	10	5	14	3
Total =		1,106	397	276	433

**Do you want Matthew McConaughey to run for Governor?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Yes	40%	49%	38%	32%
0	No	33	27	26	43
7	It doesn't matter to me	27	24	37	24
Total =		1,106	397	276	433



**Last month, the Texas Legislature adopted new district boundaries for our representation. How often have you paid attention to updates about the legislature’s work on redistricting during the past year?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
0	Rarely	34%	27%	36%	39%	33%	28%	35%
1	A little	39	39	40	37	44	43	35
2	Fairly often	18	23	16	16	16	20	20
3	Frequently	9	12	7	8	7	8	10
9	REFUSED	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601

**Did the recent round of redistricting in Texas increase your trust in the state government, reduce your trust, or have no effect?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
2	Increase	14%	19%	7%	14%	16%	12%	14%
0	Reduce	33	48	33	19	37	37	27
1	No Effect	50	31	59	62	45	49	56
8	Don’t Know	3	2	2	5	3	2	3
Total =		1,105	397	276	432	290	139	600

**Do you agree or disagree that a party in power should be able to intentionally draw districts to favor one party?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Agree	10%	15%	3%	11%	10%	15%	10%
4	Somewhat agree	12	15	8	12	16	11	10
3	Neither	28	23	30	30	25	30	28
2	Disagree	15	11	15	18	11	12	17
1	Strongly Disagree	35	36	44	29	38	32	35
Total =		1,103	395	275	433	289	139	599

**Do you think the state legislature drew a map of districts to:**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
3	Unnaturally favor one party	27%	39%	27%	16%	27%	31%	26%
2	fairly favor one party	22	29	17	20	29	28	19
1	fairly represent both parties	22	17	18	29	20	19	23
8	Don’t Know	29	15	38	35	23	22	33
Total =		1,105	396	276	433	290	139	600

**Should Texas be allowed to revise the district plan adopted this year, before the next ten-year Census?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
1	Yes	46%	55%	39%	42%	54%	54%	40%
0	No	21	22	25	17	20	20	21
8	(Vol) Don’t Know	33	23	36	40	26	25	39
Total =		1,105	396	276	433	290	139	600

**When redistricting is done again, who would you trust most to determine these district boundaries:**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
3	State legislature	18%	17%	10%	25%	17%	18%	19%
2	Panel of federal judges	12	18	8	9	16	12	10
1	Board of statewide elected officials	11	12	7	12	12	11	9
0	Independent Commission	39	39	50	32	34	34	42
8	Don't know	21	15	26	23	21	25	20
	Total =	1,106	397	297	433	290	139	601

**[If Citizen Commission is selected] Texas does not have an Independent Redistricting Commission today, so of the other available options which group do you still trust to draw districts?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
3	State legislature	14%	11%	8%	23%	23%	17%	9%
2	Panel of federal judges	34	36	39	26	27	29	37
1	Board of statewide elected officials	22	22	21	22	21	21	24
0	None	7	9	10	3	6	10	6
8	Don't know	24	23	22	25	23	22	25
	Total =	428	154	137	137	100	48	252

**Do you approve or disapprove of how Joe Biden is handling immigration at the U.S. Mexico Border?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	14%	26%	7%	6%	17%	19%	11%
4	Approve	19	39	15	4	27	34	13
3	Neither	13	18	18	4	12	27	9
2	Disapprove	12	12	12	12	11	14	13
1	Strongly Disapprove	42	5	47	74	33	7	55
	Total =	1,106	397	297	433	290	139	601

**Do you approve or disapprove of how Governor Greg Abbott is handling immigration at the U.S. Mexico Border?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Approve	27%	12%	18%	48%	17%	10%	35%
4	Approve	22	16	20	29	23	11	25
3	Neither	13	15	15	10	15	15	11
2	Disapprove	12	14	17	7	12	19	10
1	Strongly Disapprove	26	44	31	7	33	45	19
	Total =	1,106	397	297	433	290	139	601

**Do you support or oppose the use of state funds to extend the barrier at the Texas-Mexico border, yes or no?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Support	51%	28%	42%	78%
0	Oppose	36	57	39	16
8	Don't Know	13	15	19	6
Total =		1,101	394	274	433

**Do you support or oppose the use of state funds to deploy the National Guard and DPS officers to patrol the border?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Support	59%	35%	56%	83%
0	Oppose	28	50	25	10
8	Don't Know	13	15	19	6
Total =		1,098	390	275	433

**Do you agree or disagree that a wall along the Texas-Mexico border is necessary for a safe border? Would you say...**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
5	Strongly Agree	34%	13%	26%	57%	18%	11%	46%
4	Somewhat agree	16	13	20	16	14	15	18
3	Neither	13	16	16	9	19	22	9
2	Disagree	12	19	11	7	17	18	9
1	Strongly Disagree	24	38	27	10	32	34	18
Total =		1,106	397	297	433	290	139	601

**Do you support or oppose granting permanent legal status to immigrants who came to the U.S. illegally when they were children?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
5	Strongly support	26%	42%	26%	23%
4	Support	22	29	21	17
3	Neither oppose nor support	22	20	21	24
2	Oppose	11	4	8	18
1	Strongly oppose	19	5	24	29
Total =		1,104	397	276	431

**Do you support or oppose a federal requirement that employees must be vaccinated or tested weekly for COVID-19 at companies that employ over 100 people?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Support	48%	75%	41%	27%
0	Oppose	42	16	46	64
8	Don't know	10	8	13	9
Total =		1,102	397	275	430

**Do you support or oppose Governor Abbott's ban on mask mandates?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Support	48%	29%	42%	70%
0	Oppose	45	67	47	24
8	Don't know	7	4	11	6
Total =		1,106	397	276	433

**Do you support or oppose Governor Abbott's ban on vaccine mandates?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	Support	49%	33%	44%	68%
0	Oppose	42	58	45	24
8	Don't know	9	10	10	8
Total =		1,101	393	275	432

**Some school districts have mandated masks be worn in school and others have not. Should masks be required in all K-12 classrooms, allow school districts to decide, or no mandates at all?**

Code		Total	Latino	Black	White	Parent	Under 45	45 and older
2	Required	40%	48%	58%	31%	46%	42%	37%
1	Allow schools to decide	31	26	29	34	25	30	31
0	No Mandate	25	17	7	32	23	21	27
8	Don't know	5	9	5	3	6	6	4
Total =		1,106	290	139	601	374	478	628

**Have you worn a mask in the past 7 days?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	18-34	35-44	45-64	65+	Vaccinated	Not Vaccinated
0	No	29%	13%	31%	41%	32%	29%	29%	23%	21%	44%
1	Yes	71	86	69	59	47	71	71	76	79	56
99	Refused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total		1,100	394	274	432	300	179	387	240	720	375

**The COVID-19 vaccine is available to all adults. Do you plan to take it?**

Code		Total	Latino	Black	White	Under 45
5	I have received a booster	19%	13%	13%	25%	9%
4	I have received one or two doses	46	52	36	44	42
3	Definitely	6	6	14	3	10
2	Probably	6	10	7	4	9
1	Unlikely	5	4	8	4	7
0	No	18	14	22	20	23
Total =		1,106	290	139	601	478

**[If received 3<sup>rd</sup> shot] Did you find the process of getting the booster to be easier or more difficult than receiving the first doses?**

Code		Total
1	Easier	69%
0	More difficult	5
7	The same	26
9	I don't know	1
Total =		210

**[If received the vaccine] Do you plan to get a booster vaccine soon or wait?**

Code		Total	Latino	Black	White	Under 45
0	No, not interested	15%	12%	4%	18%	18%
7	Second dose was less than 6 months ago	20	18	26	21	20
1	I will probably get it later	22	24	22	20	23
2	Yes, I will get it soon	43	47	48	41	39
Total		493	149	49	252	194

**[If vaccine not taken] Have you tried to make an appointment to get the vaccine?**

Code		Total	Parent	Under 45
0	No	62%	56%	56%
1	Yes	38	44	44
Total		179	88	121

**[If no to appointment] What is the top reason you have not made an appointment to get a vaccine?**

Code		Total	Latino	Black	White	Under 45
6	Already had COVID-19	27%	29%	35%	25%	32%
5	Waiting to see	29	29	28	26	28
4	I do not have enough information	6	5	10	6	6
3	Too busy	3	4	2	3	3
2	Concerned with side effects	9	18	9	5	10
1	I don't want it	11	5	1	18	9
7	Other	14	10	15	16	12
Total =		312	72	55	169	179

**[If a parent has a child over 5 and under the age of 18]**

**The COVID-19 vaccine is now available to children as young as 5 years old as a smaller dose. Are you planning for your child to receive the COVID-19 vaccine?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White
4	They have received the vaccine	27%	25%	21%	22%	22%	37%	27%
3	Definitely	21	31	16	13	32	22	14
2	Probably	15	14	15	14	14	14	13
1	Probably not	9	10	10	7	13	7	7
0	No	28	10	38	44	19	19	38
Total =		253	106	60	86	91	31	115

**[If a parent has a child over 5 and under the age of 18]**

**What source of information is most important as you consider if your child will be vaccinated?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	White
5	Medical experts (CDC, FDA)	35%	50%	25%	22%	31%	34%
4	Pediatrician	21	29	31	32	43	27
3	School districts	4	6	2	2	4	3
2	Other parents	3	5	0	3	3	3
1	My own research	17	3	25	30	13	22
0	My child's choice	6	4	9	8	4	7
7	Other (Open end)	4	2	9	3	2	5
Total =		252	106	60	86	90	115

**What is your main source of news?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1	National broadcast (ABC, CBS, NBC, PBS)	24%	30%	22%	19%
2	Cable News (CNN, Fox News, MSNBC)	23	24	14	28
3	Local television news	18	17	14	21
4	National newspapers (New York Times, Washington Post, etc.)	4	7	5	2
5	Local newspapers (Austin American-Statesman, Dallas Morning News, etc.)	3	3	5	3
6	Radio or Radio Broadcasts (NPR, Talk Radio)	4	2	6	4
7	Social media	12	12	17	10
8	Spanish News (Telemundo, Univision, etc.)	2	3	1	1
9	Other	10	2	16	13
Total =		1,106	397	276	433

**[If cable] Which cable news network do you watch most?**

Code		Total
1	CNN	27%
2	Fox News Channel	57
3	MSNBC	10
4	Newsmax	2
5	OAN	2
7	Other cable news network	2
Total =		258

**[if social media] Which social media platform do you primarily get your news from?**

Code		Total
1	Facebook	52%
2	Instagram	9
3	LinkedIn	0
4	Reddit	0
5	Snapchat	1
6	TikTok	3
7	Twitter	13
8	YouTube	16
9	WhatsApp	1
10	Other	5
Total =		136

**[If news is from social networks] On social networking sites, do you follow any newspapers, news organizations, or news channels (For example: ABC News, Dallas Morning News)?**

Code		Total
1	Yes	55
0	No	45
Total =		136

**[If news is from social networks] On social networking sites, do you follow individual journalists who produce pieces for newspapers, news organizations or news channels**

Code		Total
1	Yes	45
0	No	55
Total =		136

**[if radio] Which source of radio news do you listen to most?**

Code		Total
1	News Talk Radio (ABC, CBS, Fox News, etc.)	37%
2	Public Radio (NPR, BBC, etc.)	48
3	Sports Talk Radio (ESPN, Fox Sports, NBC Sports, etc.)	2
4	Other	13
Total =		42

**Do you have a favorable, unfavorable or neutral view of the Local Police?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
2	Favorable	64%	53%	58%	78%
1	Neutral	26	35	27	17
0	Unfavorable	10	12	15	5
Total =		1,102	397	273	432

**Do you have a favorable, unfavorable or neutral view of the National Rifle Association?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
2	Favorable	44%	22%	35%	70%
1	Neutral	30	32	36	24
0	Unfavorable	26	46	29	6
Total =		1,100	395	275	430

**Do you have a favorable, unfavorable or neutral view of the Black Lives Matter movement?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
2	Favorable	33%	63%	26%	11%
1	Neutral	28	29	38	21
0	Unfavorable	39	8	36	68
Total =		1,102	395	276	432

**In November, did you vote for Donald Trump, Joe Biden, another candidate or not vote?**

Code		Total	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.	Latino	Black	White	Men	Women
1	Donald Trump	45%	7%	36%	86%	30%	9%	62%	48%	43%
2	Joe Biden	40	83	33	5	46	76	28	39	41
3	Someone else	5	3	11	3	8	5	4	5	4
4	Did not vote	10	7	20	6	17	11	6	8	12
99	Refused	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total =		1,106	397	276	433	290	139	601	536	564

**Which of the following best describes your employment last week?**

Code		Total	Latino	Black	White	Men	Women
9	Retired	24%	13%	15%	33%	26%	23%
0	Unemployed, not seeking work	10	11	10	10	5	15
1	Seeking employment	6	9	10	3	4	7
2	Employed part-time	10	15	15	6	8	11
3	Self employed	10	10	7	10	11	9
4	Employed full-time	40	42	45	38	46	35
Total =		1,104	290	139	599	536	562

**Do you happen to have in your home, garage, or car any guns or revolvers?**

Code		Total	Metro	Large City	Medium City	Small Town, Rural
1	Yes	43%	42%	40%	43%	54%
0	No	55	57	56	56	44
97	Refused	2	1	3	2	3
Total =		1,106	729	175	76	125

**[If Yes to gun in home] Do any of these guns personally belong to you?**

Code		Total
1	Yes	78%
0	No	22
Total =		472



**What do you identify as your racial or ethnic background?**

Code		Total
4	White, Non-Hispanic	54%
1	Hispanic or Latino	26
2	Black or African American	13
3	Asian	4
5	American Indian	1
6	Native Hawaiian	0
7	Other	1
8	More than Two Races	1
Total =		1,106

**[If Hispanic] What is the origin of the ethnicity background?**

Code		Total
1	Mexican, Mexican American	73%
2	Tejano	3
3	Puerto Rican	9
4	Cuban	2
5	Other	13
Total =		290

**How many generations has your family been in America?**

	Total	Latino
One	10%	16%
Two	14	27
Three	16	21
Four or more	60	36
Total =	1,106	290

**What is the highest level of education you have attained?**

Code		Total
1	High school, or less	21%
2	High school graduation, some college	23
3	Completed Associate's Degree	14
4	Completed Bachelor's Degree	24
5	Graduate or Professional Degree/Coursework	17
Total =		1,106

**What is your age?**

Code		Total
1	18-24	9%
2	25-34	17
3	35-44	17
4	45-64	35
5	65+	22
Total =		1,106

**In the last calendar year, what was your total household income, including wages, salaries, Social Security, and retirement benefits before taxes?**

Code		Total
1	Less than \$5,000 (less than \$416 per month)	5%
2	\$5,000-\$7,499 (between \$417 and \$624 per month)	3
3	\$7,500-\$9,999 (between \$625 and \$833 per month)	2
4	\$10,000-\$19,999 (between \$834 and \$1,666 per month)	8
5	\$20,000-\$29,999 (between \$1,667 and \$2,500 per month)	10
6	\$30,000-\$39,999 (between \$2,500 and \$3,333 per month)	9
7	\$40,000-\$49,999 (between \$3,334 and \$4,169 per month)	6
8	\$50,000-\$59,999 (between \$4,170 and \$4,999 per month)	9
9	\$60,000-\$69,999 (between \$5,000 and \$5,833 per month)	7
10	\$70,000 and \$74,999 (between \$5,834 and \$6,249 per month)	4
11	\$75,000-\$79,999 (between \$6,250 and \$6,666 per month)	3
12	\$80,000-\$89,999 (between \$6,667 and \$7,499 per month)	4
13	\$90,000-\$99,999 (between \$7,500 and \$11,999 per month)	4
14	\$100,000-\$149,999 (between \$12,000 and \$12,499 per month)	12
15	\$150,000-\$199,999 (between \$12,500 and \$16,666 per month)	6
16	\$200,000 or More (\$16,667 or more per month)	3
97	Not given	4
Total =		1,096

**How would you best describe your religious affiliation?**

Code		Total
1	Roman Catholic	24%
9	Secular/No Religious Affiliation	23
2	Evangelical Protestant	21
3	Mainline Protestant	13
4	African-American Protestant	4
12	Christian – unaffiliated	7
5	Church of Latter Day Saints	2
6	Jewish	1
7	Other (Buddhist, Hindu, Muslim etc)	5
Total =		1,104

**[If a faith is selected] Which of the following best describes the overall importance of religion in your life?**

Code		Total
1	Religion is not important	7%
2	Religion provides some guidance	24
3	Religion provides quite a lot of guidance	21
4	Religion provides a great deal of guidance	47
8	Don't Know	2
Total =		854

**What is your marital status?**

Code		Total
1	Married	50%
0	Single (Never married)	29
2	Divorced	12
4	Separated	4
5	Widowed	5
Total =		1,106

**Are you a parent or guardian of a child 18 years old or younger?**

	Total
0 No	66%
1 Yes	34
Total =	1,106

**[If Parent] Which age range captures the age of your child? Please select all that apply if you have more than one child.**

Code		Percent
3	12 to 18 years old	50%
2	5 to 11 years old	73%
1	0 to 4 years old	26%
99	REFUSED	2
Total =		371

**What is your gender?**

	Total
0 Male	48%
1 Female	51
3 (v) Neither	1
Total =	1,106

## **Methodology**

The Dallas Morning News/UT-Tyler Poll is a statewide random sample of 1,106 registered voters conducted between November 9-16. The mixed-mode sample includes 244 registered voters surveyed over the phone by the University of Texas at Tyler with support from ReconMR and 866 registered voters randomly selected from Dynata's panel of online respondents. The margin of error for a sample of 1,106 registered voters in Texas is +/- 2.9 percentage points, and the more conservative margin of sampling error that includes design effects from this poll is +/- 3.2 percentage points for a 95% confidence interval.

The online and phone surveys were conducted in English and Spanish. Using information from the 2020 Current Population Survey and Office of the Texas Secretary of State. The sample's gender, age, race/ethnicity, education, metropolitan density and vote choice were matched to the population of registered voters in Texas.

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