

**Q1. Based on the candidates running for president today, who are you most likely to vote for?**

	Weighted (Online)	Weighted (Phone)	Weighted (All)	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Donald Trump	35.6%	42.3%	37.7%	3.2%	33.2%	76.4%
2. Cory Booker	1.8	0.6	1.4	2.0	1.8	0.6
3. Julian Castro	3.4	2.8	3.2	6.8	1.9	0.4
4. Kirsten Gillibrand	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.0	0.0
5. Kamala Harris	2.9	4.0	3.3	5.6	2.2	1.7
6. Amy Klobuchar	1.9	1.2	1.6	2.8	1.9	0.3
7. Beto O'Rourke	25.9	14.3	22.0	45.3	15.3	3.4
8. Howard Shultz	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.0	1.7	0.7
9. Elizabeth Warren	3.3	3.7	3.4	5.9	4.1	0.4
10. Undecided	24.4	30.0	26.5	28.1	37.9	16.2
Total =	692	352	1,046	328	294	424

**Q2. Do you consider yourself to be a Republican, Democrat, or neither?**

	Weighted
1. Republican	36.1%
2. Democrat	36.9
3. Neither	27.1
Total =	1,049

**Q3A. Would you call yourself a strong [Democrat or Republican] or a not very strong [Democrat or Republican]?**

	Weighted
1. Strong Republican	30.9%
2. Not Strong Republican	17.1
3. Not Sure, Republican	1.5
4. Not Sure, Democrat	2.7
5. Not Strong Democrat	12.9
6. Strong Democrat	35.0
Total =	752

**Q3B. [If independent, no preference, or other party] Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic Party?**

	Weighted
1. Democrat	39.5%
2. Republican	51.6
3. Neither	8.9
Total = 203	

**Q4. Using a 7-point scale where 1 is extremely liberal and 7 is extremely conservative, how would you rate your political views.**

	Weighted
1. Extremely liberal	5.4%
2. Liberal	15.5
3. Slightly Liberal	8.3
4. Moderate, Middle of the Road	29.4
5. Slightly Conservative	12.1
6. Conservative	17.4
7. Extremely Conservative	12.0
Total = 1,022	

**Q5. Given the Democratic gains in the U.S. House of Representatives after the 2018 election do you think there will be a positive, negative, or neutral effect on the activities of the legislature?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Negative	33.1%	8.1%	31.4%	60.2%
2. Neutral	23.6	25.1	25.8	20.3
3. Positive	30.4	55.8	24.5	8.5
4. Don't Know	13.0	11.0	18.3	11.0
Total =	1,044	328	293	423

**Q6. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way President Donald Trump is handling his job as President?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Approve	41.6%	6.4%	39.0%	79.5%
2. Disapprove	53.0	91.3	53.0	13.9
3. Don't Know	5.4	2.5	8.0	6.6
Total =	1,047	328	295	424

**Q7. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Senator John Cornyn is handling his job as Senator?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Approve	35.5%	16.8%	34.5%	55.4%
2. Disapprove	27.2	41.4	32.0	9.2
3. Don't Know	37.3	41.9	44.6	35.5
Total =	1,047	329	294	424

**Q8. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Senator Ted Cruz is handling his job as Senator?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Approve	42.0%	12.5%	40.2%	73.4%
2. Disapprove	44.7	73.2	48.6	12.8
3. Don't Know	13.3	14.3	11.3	13.9
Total =	1,047	328	295	424

**Q9. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Governor Greg Abbott is handling his job as Governor?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Approve	57.2%	32.4%	60.6%	80.1%
2. Disapprove	27.6	46.0	25.3	7.5
3. Don't Know	16.3	21.5	14.1	12.5
Total =	1,043	329	293	421

**Q10. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the way Lt. Governor Dan Patrick is handling his job as Lt. Governor?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Approve	34.2%	15.3%	31.7%	55.3%
2. Disapprove	29.0	44.3	32.4	10.8
3. Don't Know	36.8	30.5	35.9	33.8
Total =	1,048	329	294	425

**Q11. Do you prefer a leader who compromises to get things done or sticks to their beliefs even if little gets done?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Compromises to get things done	58.4%	69.1%	60.2%	46.2%
2. Sticks to their beliefs, even if little gets done	24.6	14.8	23.2	35.8
3. Neutral	17.0	16.2	16.6	18.1
Total = 1,048		329	295	422

**Q12. How serious of a problem is the lack of civil or respectful discourse in the political system?**

	Weighted
1. Very Serious	50.4%
2. Serious	31.7
3. Not too Serious	9.0
4. Not Sure	8.9
Total = 1,045	

**Q13. Generations of slavery and discrimination have created conditions that make it difficult for blacks to work their way out of the lower class.**

	Online	Phone	Weighted
1. Strongly disagree	23.7%	23.8%	23.7%
2. Somewhat disagree	21.6	22.2	21.7
3. Have a neutral position	22.9	14.2	20.3
4. Somewhat agree	19.4	16.8	18.6
5. Strongly agree	12.4	23.0	15.7
Total =		694	343
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**Q14: Irish, Italians, Jewish and many other minorities overcame prejudice and worked their way up. Blacks should do the same without any special favors.**

	Online	Phone	Weighted
1. Strongly disagree	9.1%	12.0%	10.0%
2. Somewhat disagree	14.0	14.0	14.1
3. Have a neutral position	27.6	15.7	24.0
4. Somewhat agree	22.7	21.7	22.3
5. Strongly agree	26.5	36.6	29.6
Total =		694	341
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**Q15. Would you say that economic conditions are better or worse today than 5 years ago?**

	Weighted
1. The economy is much worse today	13.2%
2. The economy is slightly worse today	15.8
3. The economy is about the same	20.3
4. The economy is slightly better today	24.5
5. The economy is much better today	26.2
Total = 1,009	

**Q16. How would you rate the K-12 public schools in your local community in the following areas? In providing the knowledge and skills needed for pursuing a four-year college degree**

	Weighted
1. Excellent	14.4%
2. Good	39.6
3. Fair	32.7
4. Poor	13.2
Total = 935	

**Q17. How would you rate the K-12 public schools in your local community in the following areas? In teaching reading, writing and mathematics**

	Weighted
1. Excellent	16.8%
2. Good	41.6
3. Fair	28.0
4. Poor	13.5
Total = 931	

**Q18. How would you rate the K-12 public schools in your local community in the following areas? In providing the knowledge and skills needed for pursuing a vocational or technical career**

	Weighted
1. Excellent	12.9%
2. Good	40.1
3. Fair	29.0
4. Poor	18.1
Total = 928	

**Q19. Please RANK the following items based on which improvements for K to 12 education should be a priority. A "1" designates your top priority:**

Rank items 1-4

	Rank 1	Rank 2	Rank 3	Rank 4
Teacher Salaries	39.7%	28.4%	15.9%	16.1%
Safer school buildings	35.9	24.0	22.8	17.3
Technology in the classroom	17.3	22.8	30.2	29.7
Counseling for students	11.6	22.1	29.9	36.4
Total = 994				

**Q20. This year the Texas Legislature is debating whether the state should regulate property taxes at the local level. Do you trust your city or state to control the local property tax rate?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. City	40.5%	41.2%	42.3%	38.7%
2. State	32.7	30.4	30.7	36.1
3. Neither	26.8	28.4	27.1	25.9
Total =	879	267	252	360

**Q21. On a scale of 1 to 5 where 1 means Strongly Support and 5 means Strongly Oppose, do you support or oppose the creation of a "guest worker" program that would give a temporary visa to non-citizens who want to work legally in the United States?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. Strongly support	25.0%	31.7%	29.7%	14.8%
2. Support	37.5	36.0	38.6%	38.1
3. Have a neutral position	19.8	20.6	15.8	22.0
4. Oppose	8.7	7.1	9.2	9.9
5. Strongly oppose	9.0	5.6	6.7	15.2
Total =	1,019	319	285	415

**Q22. On a scale of 1 to 5 where 1 means Strongly Support and 5 means Strongly oppose, do you support or oppose limiting transgendered people from serving in the military?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
Strongly support	15.4%	6.9%	13.9%	25.5%
Support	15.9	12.6	14.1%	20.4
Have a neutral position	27.0	19.3	32.3	30.8
Oppose	18.2	24.7	17.3	12.9
Strongly oppose	23.5	37.8	22.3	10.4
Total =	1,018	318	285	415

**Q23. Do you agree that a wall along the Texas-Mexico border is necessary for a safe border?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
Strongly disagree	29.8%	56.3%	28.8%	4.0%
Somewhat disagree	11.6	17.2	11.7	6.1
Have a neutral position	11.0	12.5	14.3	7.2
Agree	14.3	8.1	17.7	17.9
Strongly agree	33.3	5.8	27.7	64.4
Total =	1,029	318	285	422

**Q24. Do you believe modernizing the long-term trade agreement with the United States, Canada, and Mexico will benefit (everyone), (Canada and Mexico more than the US), (The United States more than Canada and Mexico), or none of the countries?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep.
1. No advantage	34.5%	32.1%	33.9%	37.3%
2. Canada and Mexico more than the U.S.	5.8	3.0	6.2	8.3
3. United States more	22.5	17.4	25.3	25.6
4. All three countries will benefit	8.6	12.9	10.0	3.3
5. Don't know	28.6	34.5	24.6	25.6
Total = 1,045	1,045	326	294	435

**Demographic Questions**

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

	Unweighted	Weighted
White	72.6%	59.0%
Hispanic or Latino	11.5	23.0
Black or African American	8.6	14.0
Asian	1.9	1.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	1.0	1.1
Two or more races	1.6	2.0
Total = 1,049		

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

	Unweighted	Weighted
Did not finish high school	1.5%	4.6%
High school graduation, no college	12.6	25.2
High school graduation, some college	24.6	23.9
Completed Associate's Degree	10.6	10.1
Completed Bachelor's Degree	26.6	25.5
Completed Bachelor's Degree and some Graduate or Professional coursework	6.2	4.7
Completed Graduate or Professional Degree	18.0	6.1
Total = 1,049		

**What is your age?**

	Unweighted	Weighted
18-29	10.4%	15.9%
30-44	19.4	25.7
45-64	36.3	35.6
65+	33.9	22.9
Total = 1,049		

**What is your marital status?**

	Weighted
Married	56.2%
Divorced/Separated	13.4
Widowed	25.5
Never Married	5.0
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Total = 1,049	

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

	Weighted
Roman Catholic	24.3%
Evangelical Protestant	26.9
Mainline Protestant	14.0
African-American Protestant	3.5
Church of Latter Day Saints	0.9
Jewish	0.5
Other	1.9
Secular/No Religious Affiliation	24.7
Muslim	0.4
Christian – unaffiliated	3.0
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Total = 1,028	

**Which of the following best describes the overall importance of religion in your life?**

	Weighted
Religion is not important	14.0%
Religion provides some guidance	27.2
Religion provides quite a lot of guidance	15.6
Religion provides a great deal of guidance	43.2
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Total = 970	

**How frequently do you attend worship services?**

	Weighted
Never/hardly ever	34.1%
A few times a year	20.7
Once or twice a month	12.7
Almost every week	14.4
Once a week or more	18.1
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Total = 1,001	

**What is your gender?**

	Unweighted	Weighted
Male	46.5%	48.0%
Female	53.1	51.5
Other	0.5	0.5
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Total = 1,049		



**What is your approximate level of household income?**

	Weighted
Less than \$30,000	22.7%
\$30,000-\$49,999	20.1
\$50,000-\$74,999	19.0
\$75,000-\$99,999	13.0
\$100,000-\$149,999	13.7
\$150,000-\$199,999	6.6
\$200,000-\$299,999	3.0
\$300,000 or more	2.0
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Total = 960	

**Did you vote in the 2016 presidential election?**

	Weighted
Yes	88.4%
No	11.6
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Total = 1,047	

**[If voted in 2016] In the 2016 election, did you vote for the Republican nominee Donald Trump, the Democratic nominee Hillary Clinton, or someone else?**

	Weighted	Dem.	Ind.	Rep
Donald Trump	48.6%	4.3%	53.0%	89.7%
Hillary Clinton	44.7	93.3	28.3	5.8
Other	6.7	2.5	18.8	4.5
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Total =	732	233	175	320

**Did you vote in the 2018 midterm election?**

	Weighted
Yes	78.0%
No	22.0
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Total = 1,041	