

DATA FOR PROGRESS

From January 25 to 29, 2023, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,216 likely voters nationally using web panel respondents. The sample was weighted to be representative of likely voters by age, gender, education, race, geography, and voting history. The survey was conducted in English. The margin of error is ± 3 percentage points.

NB: subgroups with a n-size less than 50 (<50) are not shown on these cross-tabs. We choose not to display N<50 subgroups because the sample is too small to have statistical significance. We did, however, take samples of these subgroups for representational and weighting purposes to accurately reflect the electorate makeup. Some values may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

N=1,216 unless otherwise specified.

[1] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program, which would provide workers with paid time off to take care of a new child or seriously ill or disabled family member, or because they are suffering from a serious health condition themselves.

Do you support or oppose a federal paid leave program?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Strongly support	42	63	34	30	41	51
Somewhat support	37	29	40	42	37	35
Somewhat oppose	10	4	11	15	10	9
Strongly oppose	6	2	7	8	6	2
Don't know	5	3	7	6	5	4
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	79	92	74	72	78	86
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	16	6	18	23	16	11
SUPPORT (NET)	+63	+86	+56	+49	+62	+75
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[2] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. For each of the following, please say whether you would support or oppose paid leave.

— To allow workers to recover from their own serious illness or health condition

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Strongly support	63	77	58	53	62	71
Somewhat support	26	20	27	32	27	19
Somewhat oppose	4	2	3	7	4	7
Strongly oppose	4	1	6	4	4	2
Don't know	3	1	5	4	3	2
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	89	97	85	85	89	90
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	8	3	9	11	8	9
SUPPORT (NET)	+81	+94	+76	+74	+81	+81
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[3] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. For each of the following, please say whether you would support or oppose paid leave.

— To allow workers to care for a seriously ill or disabled family member

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Strongly support	55	70	49	45	54	68
Somewhat support	32	24	33	37	32	26
Somewhat oppose	6	3	6	9	6	3
Strongly oppose	4	1	5	5	4	0
Don't know	4	1	6	4	4	2
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	87	94	82	82	86	94
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	10	4	11	14	10	3
SUPPORT (NET)	+77	+90	+71	+68	+76	+91
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[4] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. For each of the following, please say whether you would support or oppose paid leave.

— To allow workers to take care of a new child

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Strongly support	55	72	51	43	53	71
Somewhat support	28	23	29	32	29	20
Somewhat oppose	9	4	10	13	9	3
Strongly oppose	4	1	7	6	5	3
Don't know	4	1	4	5	4	3
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	83	95	80	75	82	91
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	13	5	17	19	14	6
SUPPORT (NET)	+70	+90	+63	+56	+68	+85
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[5] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. How, if at all, could a paid leave program benefit you now or in the future?

Please select all that apply.

— I could need paid leave to take care of a new child

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Yes	14	16	12	14	13	24
No	86	84	88	86	87	76
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[6] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. How, if at all, could a paid leave program benefit you now or in the future?

Please select all that apply.

— I could need paid leave to care for a seriously ill or disabled family member

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Yes	33	38	31	28	31	49
No	67	62	69	72	69	51
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[7] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. How, if at all, could a paid leave program benefit you now or in the future?

Please select all that apply.

— I could need paid leave to treat or recover from my own serious health condition

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Yes	37	43	35	32	34	60
No	63	57	65	68	66	40
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[8] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. How, if at all, could a paid leave program benefit you now or in the future?

Please select all that apply.

— I would not need paid leave now or in the future

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Yes	35	29	35	40	38	10
No	65	71	65	60	62	90
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[9] Some lawmakers are considering a proposal to create a federal paid leave program. How, if at all, could a paid leave program benefit you now or in the future?

Please select all that apply.

— Not sure

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Yes	14	12	17	13	15	6
No	86	88	83	87	85	94
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[10] Who do you think should fund a federal paid leave program?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
A shared payroll contribution between workers and employers	38	38	40	37	38	38
Employers only	12	12	7	16	12	14
Workers only	3	3	3	4	3	7
The federal government	32	40	32	24	32	33
I do not support paid leave	7	0	9	11	7	4
Don't know	7	6	9	7	8	5
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127

[11] Some lawmakers have proposed giving federal tax credits to employers who offer workers paid leave.

Do you support or oppose giving tax credits to employers who offer workers paid leave?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Has not taken unpaid leave	Has taken unpaid leave
Strongly support	26	39	20	20	25	35
Somewhat support	48	46	51	47	48	47
Somewhat oppose	10	7	11	13	10	9
Strongly oppose	8	4	8	11	8	5
Don't know	8	4	11	9	9	4
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	74	85	71	67	73	82
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	18	11	19	24	18	14
SUPPORT (NET)	+56	+74	+52	+43	+55	+68
Weighted N	1,216	422	343	451	1,089	127