

# DATA FOR PROGRESS

From August 10 to 11, 2023, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,202 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  $\pm 3$  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=1,202 unless otherwise specified.

## [1] Do you approve or disapprove each of the following actions by lawmakers?

— Lawmakers posting memes on social media

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	18 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65+
Strongly approve	5	3	6	5	3	6	5	3	6	3	11	11	9	3	2	1
Somewhat approve	21	23	22	19	20	22	21	21	17	21	27	33	22	25	19	13
Somewhat disapprove	30	32	29	29	32	29	28	34	29	31	22	18	33	38	29	33
Strongly disapprove	29	28	27	31	29	28	29	28	33	29	23	21	22	22	32	38
Don't know	15	13	17	16	16	15	17	13	15	16	18	17	14	12	18	14
APPROVE (TOTAL)	26	26	28	24	23	28	26	24	23	24	38	44	31	28	21	14
DISAPPROVE (TOTAL)	59	60	56	60	61	57	57	62	62	60	45	39	55	60	61	71
APPROVE (NET)	-33	-34	-28	-36	-38	-29	-31	-38	-39	-36	-7	+5	-24	-32	-40	-57
Weighted N	1,202	431	353	418	643	559	770	432	131	873	151	236	186	197	197	386

## [2] Do you approve or disapprove each of the following actions by lawmakers?

— Lawmakers posting about their personal lives on social media

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	18 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65+
Strongly approve	8	8	10	5	6	9	8	7	10	7	14	15	11	7	5	3
Somewhat approve	30	32	29	30	33	28	30	31	21	32	29	36	36	34	32	22
Somewhat disapprove	25	24	23	27	26	23	23	28	24	26	19	15	24	27	29	28
Strongly disapprove	25	23	23	27	22	28	25	23	34	25	19	15	16	23	24	35
Don't know	13	13	14	10	13	12	13	11	11	11	19	18	13	9	10	12
APPROVE (TOTAL)	38	40	39	35	39	37	38	38	31	39	43	51	47	41	37	25
DISAPPROVE (TOTAL)	50	47	46	54	48	51	48	51	58	51	38	30	40	50	53	63
APPROVE (NET)	-12	-7	-7	-19	-9	-14	-10	-13	-27	-12	+5	+21	+7	-9	-16	-38
Weighted N	1,202	431	353	418	643	559	770	432	131	873	151	236	186	197	197	386

**[3]** Do you approve or disapprove each of the following actions by lawmakers?

— Lawmakers posting updates about their states and districts, such as local news and events, on social media

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	18 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65+
Strongly approve	36	37	39	33	37	34	34	40	33	36	35	43	39	40	33	29
Somewhat approve	40	40	41	40	40	41	40	41	36	41	39	30	40	37	47	45
Somewhat disapprove	10	9	8	11	9	10	10	8	8	10	11	9	9	8	8	12
Strongly disapprove	6	8	5	6	5	8	8	4	16	5	5	8	5	7	4	8
Don't know	8	7	7	10	9	7	9	6	7	8	9	11	7	8	8	6
APPROVE (TOTAL)	76	77	80	73	77	75	74	81	69	77	74	73	79	77	80	74
DISAPPROVE (TOTAL)	16	17	13	17	14	18	18	12	24	15	16	17	14	15	12	20
APPROVE (NET)	+60	+60	+67	+56	+63	+57	+56	+69	+45	+62	+58	+56	+65	+62	+68	+54
Weighted N	1,202	431	353	418	643	559	770	432	131	873	151	236	186	197	197	386

**[4]** Do you approve or disapprove each of the following actions by lawmakers?

— Lawmakers posting about their political agendas on social media

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	18 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65+
Strongly approve	24	21	27	25	22	27	24	24	24	24	27	26	28	25	23	21
Somewhat approve	37	39	36	35	37	37	36	38	28	37	39	31	39	44	37	35
Somewhat disapprove	17	17	16	18	19	15	17	18	20	17	18	18	13	14	19	19
Strongly disapprove	12	13	11	11	12	13	13	11	17	12	7	10	9	9	10	17
Don't know	10	10	9	10	11	8	10	9	10	10	9	14	10	7	11	8
APPROVE (TOTAL)	61	60	63	60	59	64	60	62	52	61	66	57	67	69	60	56
DISAPPROVE (TOTAL)	29	30	27	29	31	28	30	29	37	29	25	28	22	23	29	36
APPROVE (NET)	+32	+30	+36	+31	+28	+36	+30	+33	+15	+32	+41	+29	+45	+46	+31	+20
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[5] Which of the following comes closest to your view, even if neither is exactly right?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	18 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65+
Lawmakers are public figures and should engage with the public in more ways. Rather than just speaking about politics, they should try to relate to voters by discussing other relevant topics, like pop culture.	23	28	25	15	23	23	22	24	34	21	29	39	29	20	15	16
Lawmakers have a specific important job to do. Rather than wasting time worrying about pop culture, they should invest more energy into passing legislation that benefits the American people.	71	65	68	78	70	72	69	73	58	73	60	50	64	72	80	81
Not sure	7	7	6	6	8	5	8	3	8	6	11	11	7	8	5	4
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[6] Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of lawmakers who post on social media about non-political events?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	18 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65+
Very favorable	4	4	6	2	4	5	4	4	8	4	5	7	8	3	3	1
Somewhat favorable	27	29	29	23	27	27	27	26	27	26	32	38	30	27	24	20
Somewhat unfavorable	40	36	38	46	41	39	38	44	36	41	31	26	37	41	44	47
Very unfavorable	16	17	14	16	14	18	17	14	17	15	17	12	12	16	17	19
Don't know	13	14	13	13	15	11	14	13	12	14	15	17	13	13	12	12
FAVORABLE (TOTAL)	31	33	35	25	31	32	31	30	35	30	37	45	38	30	27	21
UNFAVORABLE (TOTAL)	56	53	52	62	55	57	55	58	53	56	48	38	49	57	61	66
FAVORABLE (NET)	-25	-20	-17	-37	-24	-25	-24	-28	-18	-26	-11	+7	-11	-27	-34	-45
Weighted N	1,202	431	353	418	643	559	770	432	131	873	151	236	186	197	197	386

[7] Do you agree or disagree with the following statement:

"I feel like I can **relate** to my elected officials on a personal level."

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third party	Republican	Female	Male	No College	College	Black or African American	White	Latino/a	18 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 to 64	65+
Strongly agree	4	5	2	4	3	5	4	3	7	3	7	8	4	4	3	1
Somewhat agree	21	24	16	22	19	22	19	23	25	20	22	19	22	21	19	22
Somewhat disagree	36	34	36	37	34	37	35	37	30	36	40	32	33	37	37	38
Strongly disagree	34	30	39	32	36	31	34	33	30	36	25	30	34	34	36	34
Don't know	6	8	6	5	7	5	7	4	9	6	6	11	7	4	5	5
AGREE (TOTAL)	25	29	18	26	22	27	23	26	32	23	29	27	26	25	22	23
DISAGREE (TOTAL)	70	64	75	69	70	68	69	70	60	72	65	62	67	71	73	72
AGREE (NET)	-45	-35	-57	-43	-48	-41	-46	-44	-28	-49	-36	-35	-41	-46	-51	-49
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