

DATA FOR **PROGRESS**

From October 3 to 6, 2025, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 1,232 U.S. likely voters nationally using web panel respondents. The sample was weighted to be representative of likely voters by age, gender, education, race, geography, and recalled presidential vote. The survey was conducted in English. The margin of error associated with the sample size is ± 3 percentage points. Results for subgroups of the sample are subject to increased margins of error. Partisanship reflected in tabulations is based on self-identified party affiliation, not partisan registration. For more information please visit dataforprogress.org/our-methodology.

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=1,232 unless otherwise specified.

[1] How much have you seen, read, or heard about the federal government shutdown that began on October 1?

| Response | Topline | Democrat | Independent / Third party | Republican | Female | Male | Under 45 | 45+ | No College | College | Black or African American | White | Latino | Consumes a great deal or a lot of political news | Consumes a moderate amount of political news | Consumes a little or no political news |
|----------------|---------|----------|---------------------------|------------|--------|------|----------|-----|------------|---------|---------------------------|-------|--------|--|--|--|
| A lot | 49 | 52 | 48 | 46 | 46 | 52 | 34 | 56 | 46 | 54 | 53 | 49 | 45 | 68 | 37 | 19 |
| Some | 33 | 31 | 29 | 36 | 35 | 30 | 40 | 29 | 31 | 35 | 25 | 33 | 28 | 28 | 42 | 29 |
| Only a little | 14 | 12 | 15 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 19 | 12 | 17 | 9 | 15 | 14 | 19 | 4 | 18 | 36 |
| Nothing at all | 5 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 17 |
| Weighted N | 1,232 | 487 | 269 | 476 | 657 | 575 | 418 | 814 | 794 | 438 | 133 | 879 | 164 | 606 | 399 | 227 |

[2] Who do you blame the most for the ongoing government shutdown?

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|---|---------|----------|---------------------------|------------|--------|------|----------|-----|------------|---------|---------------------------|-------|--------|--|--|--|
| President Trump and Republicans in Congress | 44 | 75 | 43 | 14 | 47 | 41 | 47 | 43 | 40 | 52 | 55 | 40 | 57 | 52 | 39 | 36 |
| Democrats in Congress | 34 | 7 | 26 | 65 | 30 | 38 | 24 | 38 | 36 | 30 | 16 | 40 | 17 | 34 | 33 | 33 |
| Blame both equally | 20 | 15 | 28 | 20 | 21 | 18 | 26 | 16 | 21 | 16 | 23 | 18 | 22 | 14 | 25 | 24 |
| Not sure | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 4 | <0.5 | 3 | 7 |
| Weighted N | 1,232 | 487 | 269 | 476 | 657 | 575 | 418 | 814 | 794 | 438 | 133 | 879 | 164 | 606 | 399 | 227 |

[3] How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement:

Republicans' health care cuts will kick millions off their plans and hike health care premiums by an average of 75% for those who can stay insured.

Democrats in Congress should only vote for a government funding bill that reverses Republican health care cuts, **even if that means the government shutdown continues.**

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|-------------------|---------|----------|--------------------------------------|----------------|--------|------|-------------|-----|---------------|---------|---------------------------------|-------|--------|---|--|--|
| Strongly agree | 29 | 51 | 23 | 11 | 28 | 31 | 28 | 30 | 27 | 34 | 35 | 28 | 34 | 37 | 26 | 15 |
| Somewhat agree | 24 | 28 | 26 | 19 | 26 | 22 | 28 | 22 | 22 | 28 | 27 | 24 | 22 | 22 | 28 | 24 |
| Somewhat disagree | 13 | 7 | 16 | 18 | 12 | 14 | 15 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 18 | 13 | 15 | 12 | 15 | 13 |
| Strongly disagree | 21 | 3 | 18 | 41 | 18 | 24 | 14 | 24 | 22 | 18 | 4 | 24 | 10 | 23 | 18 | 21 |
| Don't know | 13 | 11 | 17 | 12 | 16 | 9 | 15 | 12 | 16 | 6 | 17 | 11 | 19 | 6 | 14 | 27 |
| AGREE (TOTAL) | 53 | 79 | 49 | 30 | 54 | 53 | 56 | 52 | 49 | 62 | 62 | 52 | 56 | 59 | 54 | 39 |
| DISAGREE (TOTAL) | 34 | 10 | 34 | 59 | 30 | 38 | 29 | 36 | 35 | 31 | 22 | 37 | 25 | 35 | 33 | 34 |
| AGREE (NET) | +19 | +69 | +15 | -29 | +24 | +15 | +27 | +16 | +14 | +31 | +40 | +15 | +31 | +24 | +21 | +5 |
| Weighted N | 1,232 | 487 | 269 | 476 | 657 | 575 | 418 | 814 | 794 | 438 | 133 | 879 | 164 | 606 | 399 | 227 |