



The Associated Press-NORC
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The June 2019 AP-NORC Center Poll

Conducted by The Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research
With funding from The Associated Press and NORC at the University of Chicago

Interviews: 6/13-17/2019

1,116 adults

Margin of error: +/- 4.0 percentage points at the 95% confidence level among all adults

NOTE: All results show percentages among all respondents, unless otherwise labeled.

CUR2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

If don't know, skipped, or refused in CUR2

CUR3. If you had to choose, do you lean more toward approving or disapproving of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

If approve in CUR2

CUR3A. Would you say you approve of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president strongly or do you approve just somewhat?

If disapprove in CUR2

CUR3B. Would you say you disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president strongly or do you disapprove just somewhat?

[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC All adults	Approve NET	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Lean toward approv- ing	Do not lean either way	Dis- approve NET	Lean toward disapp- roving	Some- what dis- approve	Strongly dis- approve	DK	SKP /REF
6/13-17/2019 (N=1,116)	38	19	19	*	*	60	*	17	43	-	1
5/17-20/2019 (N=1,137)	38	19	18	*	1	61	1	13	47	*	1
4/11-14/2019 (N=1,108)	39	19	20	*	1	60	*	13	46	-	*
3/14-18/2019 (N=1,063)	40	22	18	*	*	58	1	15	42	-	1
1/16-20/2019 (N=1,062)	34	18	16	*	*	65	1	11	53	*	*
12/13-16/2018 (N=1,067)	42	21	21	*	1	56	*	14	42	-	1
10/11-14/2018 (N=1,152)	40	21	19	*	1	59	*	14	45	-	1
8/16-20/2018 (N=1,055)	38	18	20	-	1	60	1	17	43		
6/13-18/2018 (N=1,109)	41	21	20	*	1	57	*	16	42	*	*
4/11-16/2018 (N=1,140)	40	19	20	*	1	59	*	15	44	-	1
3/14-19/2018 (N=1,122)	42	20	21	*	1	58	*	14	44	-	*
2/15-19/2018 (N=1,337)	35	19	17	-	1	64	*	17	46	*	*

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12/7-11/2017 (N=1,020)	32	15	17	*	*	67	*	16	51	-	*
9/28- 10/2/2017 (N=1,150)	32	20	12	*	*	67	*	17	50	*	*
6/8-11/2017 (N=1,068)	35	16	18	*	1	64	*	17	47	*	1
3/23-27/2017 (N=1,110)	42	20	22	*	*	58	*	14	43	-	1

CURY2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling...?

[ITEMS RANDOMIZED; HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

The Russia investigation

AP-NORC All adults	Approve NET	Approve	Lean toward approve	Don't lean either way	Disapprove NET	Lean toward disapprove	Disapprove	DK	SKP/ REF
6/13-17/2019 (N=1,116)	-	34	-	-	-	-	64	1	1
1/16-20/2019 (N=1,062)	-	30	-	-	-	-	66	2	2
8/16-20/2018 (N=1,020)	34	34	*	*	65	*	65	1	*
12/7-11/2017 (N=1,020)	30	30	*	1	68	*	67	1	-

CAND6. How concerned are you about foreign governments interfering with the 2020 presidential election by:

[ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019	Extremely/ Very concerned NET	Extremely concerned	Very concerned	Somewhat concerned	Not very / Not at all concerned NET	Not very concerned	Not at all concerned	DK	SKP/ REF
Tampering with voting systems or election results	50	28	22	28	21	15	6	*	1
Influencing what Americans think about political candidates	47	24	24	28	24	18	6	*	1

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Influencing political candidates themselves	47	23	23	31	21	16	5	*	1
Stealing information from political candidates or parties	49	24	25	28	22	17	5	*	1

N=1,116

RUS1. Do you think Special Counsel Robert Mueller’s report on the investigation into Donald Trump’s ties to Russia completely cleared Trump of coordinating with Russia, did not completely clear Trump, or don’t you know enough to say?

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Completely cleared Trump of coordinating with Russia	24
Did not completely clear Trump of coordinating with Russia	44
Don’t know enough	31
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1

N=

1,116

RUS2. Do you think Special Counsel Robert Mueller’s report on the investigation into Donald Trump’s ties to Russia completely cleared Trump of obstruction of justice, did not completely clear Trump, or don’t you know enough to say?

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Completely cleared Trump of obstruction of justice	20
Did not completely clear Trump of obstruction of justice	48
Don’t know enough	30
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2

N=

1,116

PID. Combines PID1, PIDI, PIDa, and PIDb.

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Democrat NET	46
Strong Democrat	14
Moderate Democrat	19
Lean Democrat	13
Independent/None – Don't lean	18
Republican NET	36
Lean Republican	12
Moderate Republican	14
Strong Republican	10
Unknown	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,116</i>

G11B. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself a...?

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Liberal	23
Conservative	31
Moderate	42
DON'T KNOW	1
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,116</i>

DM5. How would you describe the community you live in now?

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Urban	28
Suburban	50
Rural	20
DON'T KNOW	1
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,116</i>

AGE

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
18-24	12
25-34	20
35-44	16
45-54	13
55-64	18
65-74	14
75+	7

N= 1,116

GENDER

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Male	48
Female	52

N= 1,116

RACE/ETHNICITY

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
White	63
Black or African American	12
Hispanic	16
Other	9

N= 1,116

MARITAL STATUS

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Married	46
Widowed	6
Divorced	11
Separated	2
Never married	27
Living with partner	9

N= 1,116

EMPLOYMENT STATUS

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Employed	56
Not employed	44
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,116</i>

EDUCATION

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Less than a high school diploma	10
High school graduate or equivalent	28
Some college	28
College graduate or above	33
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,116</i>

INCOME

	AP-NORC 6/13-17/2019
Under \$10,000	6
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	10
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	14
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	11
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	7
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	16
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	13
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	13
\$150,000 or more	9
<i>N</i> =	1,116

Study Methodology

This survey was conducted by The Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research and with funding from The Associated Press and NORC at the University of Chicago.

Data were collected using the AmeriSpeak Omnibus®, a monthly multi-client survey using NORC’s probability-based panel designed to be representative of the U.S. household population. The survey was part of a larger study that included questions about other topics not included in this report. During the initial recruitment phase of the panel, randomly selected U.S. households were sampled with a known, non-zero probability of selection from the NORC National Sample Frame and then contacted by U.S. mail, email, telephone, and field interviewers (face-to-face). The panel provides sample coverage of approximately 97 percent of the U.S. household population. Those excluded from the sample include people with P.O. Box only addresses, some addresses not listed in the USPS Delivery Sequence File, and some newly constructed dwellings.

Interviews for this survey were conducted between June 13 and 17, 2019, with adults age 18 and over representing the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Panel members were randomly drawn from AmeriSpeak, and 1,116 completed the survey—987 via the web and 129 via telephone. Interviews were conducted in both English and Spanish, depending on respondent preference. The final stage completion rate is 19.8 percent, the weighted household panel response rate is 30.3 percent, and the weighted household panel retention rate is 85.4 percent, for a cumulative response rate of 5.1 percent. The overall margin of sampling error is +/- 4.0 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level, including the design effect. The margin of sampling error may be higher for subgroups.

Once the sample has been selected and fielded, and all the study data have been collected and made final, a poststratification process is used to adjust for any survey nonresponse as well as any noncoverage or under and oversampling resulting from the study specific sample design. Poststratification variables included age, gender, census division, race/ethnicity, and education. Weighting variables were obtained from the 2018 Current Population Survey. The weighted data reflect the U.S. population of adults age 18 and over.

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