



# The September 2022 AP-NORC Center Poll

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*Interviews: 09/9-12/2022*

*1,054 adults*

*Margin of sampling error: +/- 3.9 percentage points at the 95% confidence level among all adults*

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

**CUR1. Generally speaking, would you say things in this country are headed in the...**

**[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC All adults	Right direction	Wrong direction	DON'T KNOW	SKIPPED ON WEB/ REFUSED
09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	27	72	*	1
07/14-17/2022 (N=1,085)	17	83	-	*
06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	14	85	1	*
05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	21	78	*	*
4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085)	29	70	1	1
3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	31	68	*	1
2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	29	70	*	1
1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	26	74	*	*
12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	33	66	1	1
10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	32	67	1	*
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	34	64	*	1
8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	39	61	*	*
7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	44	55	1	1
6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	46	53	*	1
4/29-5/3/2021 (N=1,842)	54	44	1	1
3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	50	50	*	*
2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	48	51	*	1
1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	49	49	1	1
12/3-7/2020 (N=1,117)	37	62	1	1
10/8-12/2020 (N=1,121)	25	74	1	1
9/11-14/2020 (N = 1,108)	27	72	*	1
8/17-19/2020 (N=1,075)	23	75	1	*
7/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	20	80	*	*
6/11-15/2020 (N=1,310)	24	74	1	1
5/14-18/2020 (N=1,056)	33	65	1	1
4/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	36	63	1	-
3/26-29/2020 (N=1,057)	42	58	*	*
2/13-16/2020 (N=1,074)	41	59	*	*
1/16-21/2020 (N=1,353)	38	62	*	*
12/5-9/2019 (N=1,053)	36	63	*	*
10/24-28/2019 (N=1,075)	39	60	1	1
9/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	38	60	1	1
8/15-18/2019 (N=1,059)	33	66	*	1
6/13-17/2019 (N=1,116)	36	63	*	1
5/17-20/2019 (N=1,137)	35	62	2	1
4/11-14/2019 (N=1,108)	37	62	*	*
3/14-18/2019 (N=1,063)	35	63	*	1
1/16-20/2019 (N=1,062)	28	70	1	*
12/13-16/2018 (N=1,067)	39	59	*	1
10/11-14/2018 (N=1,152)	39	60	*	1
8/16-20/2018 (N=1,055)	38	62	*	*
6/13-18/2018 (N=1,109)	40	58	1	1
4/11-16/2018 (N=1,140)	39	60	*	*
3/14-19/2018 (N=1,222)	37	62	1	1
2/15-19/2018 (N=1,337)	32	68	*	*

AP-NORC All adults	Right direction	Wrong direction	DON'T KNOW	SKIPPED ON WEB/ REFUSED
12/7-11/2017 (N=1,020)	30	69	1	*
9/28-10/2/2017 (N=1,150)	24	74	1	*
6/8-11/2017 (N=1,068)	34	65	2	*

**CUR2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden 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 Joe Biden is handling his job as president?**

*If approve in CUR2:*

**CUR3A. Would you say you approve of the way Joe Biden 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 Joe Biden 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
09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	45	16	30	*	1	53	*	20	33	*	*
07/14-17/2022 (N=1,085)	36	8	27	*	1	62	*	18	44	*	1
06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	39	12	27	*	1	60	*	19	41	-	*
05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	39	12	26	1	*	60	1	21	39	*	*
4/14-18/2022 (N=1,085)	45	15	30	*	*	54	*	18	36	*	*
3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	43	16	27	*	*	56	*	19	37	*	*
2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	44	15	29	*	1	55	1	19	35	*	*
1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	43	13	30	*	1	56	1	19	36	-	1
12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	48	18	30	*	1	51	*	20	30	-	*
10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	48	17	31	*	1	51	*	17	34	*	*
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	50	18	31	1	1	49	*	17	32	*	*
8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	54	24	30	*	*	46	*	15	30	*	*

AP-NORC	Approve NET	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	Lean toward approving	Do not lean either way	Disapprove NET	Lean toward disapproving	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
All adults											
7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	59	25	33	1	*	41	1	14	26	-	*
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	50	18	31	1	1	49	*	17	32	*	*
8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	54	24	30	*	*	46	*	15	30	*	*
7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	59	25	33	1	*	41	1	14	26	-	*
6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	55	26	29	*	1	44	1	14	29	-	-
4/29-5/3/2021 (N=1,842)	63	34	29	*	1	36	*	11	25	*	*
3/25-29/2021 (N=1,166)	61	31	29	*	*	38	*	13	25	-	1
2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	60	32	28	*	*	40	*	15	24	*	*
1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	61	35	26	*	1	38	*	11	26	*	*

**CURY2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling...?**

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

AP-NORC		Approve	Disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
The economy	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	38	61	*	1
	06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	28	69	1	1
	05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	33	67	*	1
	4/14-18 2022 (N=1,085)	33	66	*	1
	3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	34	65	1	*
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	38	61	*	1
	1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	37	62	*	1
	12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	41	57	*	1
	10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	41	58	1	1
	9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	47	51	1	1
	8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	49	49	*	1

		Approve	Disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
	7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	52	47	*	*
	6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	51	47	*	2
	4/29-5/3/2021 (N=1,842)	57	42	*	2
	3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	60	39	*	1
	2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	55	44	*	1
The coronavirus pandemic	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	55	43	1	1
	06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	53	45	1	1
	05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	53	47	*	*
	4/14-18 2022 (N=1,085)	50	49	*	1
	3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	53	46	1	1
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	50	49	*	1
	1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	45	54	*	1
	12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	57	42	*	1
	10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	54	45	*	1
	9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	57	43	*	1
	8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	54	45	*	1
	7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	66	33	1	*
	6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	68	31	*	1
	4/29-5/3/2021 (N=1,842)	71	27	*	1
	3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	73	26	*	1
	2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	70	29	*	1
	Climate Change	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	49	48	1
06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)		42	56	2	1
1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)		48	50	*	1
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)		52	46	1	2

Abortion policy	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	40	57	3	*
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**B1A. How would you describe the nation's economy these days? Would you say...**

*If neither good nor poor, don't know, Skipped, or Refused in B1A:*

**B1B. If you had to choose, do you lean more toward the nation's economy being good or the nation's economy being poor?**

[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC	Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward good NET	Very good	Some- what good	Lean toward good	Neither good nor poor	Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward poor NET	Lean toward poor	Some- what poor	Very poor	DK	SKP /REF
09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	<b>29</b>	1	15	12	*	<b>71</b>	11	35	25	*	-
06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	<b>20</b>	2	10	9	<b>1</b>	<b>79</b>	9	35	35	-	-
05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	<b>22</b>	2	10	9	*	<b>78</b>	11	34	34	-	*
4/14-18 2022 (N=1,085)	<b>29</b>	2	16	12	*	<b>70</b>	11	35	24	-	*
3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	<b>31</b>	2	18	10	*	<b>69</b>	11	37	22	-	-
12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	<b>35</b>	3	21	11	*	<b>64</b>	16	33	16	-	*
10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	<b>35</b>	2	20	13	*	<b>65</b>	12	33	19	-	-
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	<b>45</b>	2	27	16	-	<b>54</b>	17	25	12	*	-
7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	<b>45</b>	4	28	13	<b>1</b>	<b>54</b>	15	28	11	-	*
6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	<b>47</b>	3	27	17	*	<b>53</b>	14	26	13	-	-
3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	<b>46</b>	2	25	19	*	<b>54</b>	16	27	11	-	-
2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	<b>37</b>	1	22	14	*	<b>63</b>	16	34	12	-	*
1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	<b>31</b>	1	17	12	*	<b>69</b>	15	37	17	-	-
12/3-7/2020 (N=1,117)	<b>38</b>	5	22	11	*	<b>62</b>	11	34	17	*	-
10/8-12/2020 (N=1,121)	<b>39</b>	6	22	11	*	<b>61</b>	10	31	20	-	*
9/11-14/2020 (N=1,108)	<b>40</b>	6	24	11	*	<b>60</b>	10	33	16	-	-
8/17-19/2020 (N=1,075)	<b>37</b>	4	21	12	*	<b>62</b>	12	32	18	-	-

AP-NORC	Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward good NET	Very good	Some- what good	Lean toward good	Neither good nor poor	Very/ Somewhat/ Lean toward poor NET	Lean toward poor	Some- what poor	Very poor	DK	SKP /REF
07/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	<b>38</b>	4	22	12	-	<b>62</b>	11	30	21	-	-
6/11-15/2020 (N=1,310)	<b>36</b>	5	19	12	*	<b>63</b>	14	28	21	-	1
5/14-18/2020 (N=1,056)	<b>29</b>	3	13	13	*	<b>70</b>	9	31	30	-	*
4/16-20/2020 (N=1,057)	<b>29</b>	3	15	11	-	<b>71</b>	8	30	33	-	-
03/26-29/2020 (N=1,057)	<b>39</b>	9	17	12	*	<b>60</b>	10	29	21	-	-
1/16-21/2020 (N=1,353)	<b>67</b>	21	36	10	*	<b>33</b>	13	15	5	-	*
9/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	<b>61</b>	18	31	11	*	<b>38</b>	11	19	8	1	*
6/13-17/2019 (N=1,116)	<b>63</b>	15	35	14	*	<b>36</b>	13	16	7	-	1

**KIDS1. Are you the parent or guardian of...**

AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022	Yes	No	DK	SKP/ REF
A child not old enough to be in kindergarten	13	86	*	1
A child attending a K-12 public school	23	76	*	1
A child attending a K-12 private or parochial school	5	94	*	1
A child being home schooled	3	95	*	2

*N=1,054*

**SPT1. Overall, do you think that in the United States religion currently has too much influence, about the right amount, or too little influence on each of the following?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC		Too much	About the right amount	Too little	DK	SKP/REF
What children are taught in public school	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	30	31	36	1	1
	8/16-20/2018 N=1,055	38	30	30	*	2
Public high school sports	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	25	46	27	1	1
College sports	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	24	50	24	1	2
Professional sports	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	25	48	25	1	2

**SPT2. Do you think each of the following should be allowed or should not be allowed in a public school?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]**

AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022	Allowed	Not allowed	DK	SKP/REF
Teachers or other school officials leading a class in prayer	48	51	*	1
Students leading a class in prayer	52	46	*	1
Teachers praying in the classroom, but not asking the class to join in	57	42	*	1
Religious leaders saying a prayer at a graduation ceremony or other school function as part of the official program	61	38	*	1

*N=1,054*



SPT3. Do you think each of the following should be allowed or should not be allowed in public high school sports?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022	Allowed	Not allowed	DK	SKP/ REF
A coach leading a team in prayer	60	38	*	1
A player leading a team in prayer	64	34	*	1
A coach praying on the field, but not asking the team to join in	71	28	*	1
Playing "God Bless America" before a game	78	21	*	1

*N=1,054*

SPT4. How much have you heard or read about a recent Supreme Court decision involving a public high school football coach praying on the field after games?

[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
<b>A lot/somewhat NET</b>	<b>32</b>
A lot	10
Some	22
<b>Only a little/nothing at all NET</b>	<b>68</b>
Only a little	22
Nothing at all	45
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/ REFUSED	*

*N=*

*1,054*

SPT5. As you may know, the Supreme Court ruled that a public high school football coach can pray on the field after games. Do you approve, disapprove, or neither approve nor disapprove of this decision?

[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
<b>Strongly/somewhat approve NET</b>	<b>54</b>
Strongly approve	41
Somewhat approve	13
<b>Neither approve nor disapprove</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Somewhat/strongly disapprove</b>	<b>22</b>
Somewhat disapprove	10
Strongly disapprove	12
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/ REFUSED	*

*N=*

*1,054*

**SPT6. How concerned are you, if at all, that the Supreme Court ruling that a public high school football coach can pray on the field after games might:**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC 09/09- 12/2022	<b>Extremely/ Very concerned NET</b>	Extremely concerned	Very concerned	<b>Somewhat concerned</b>	<b>Not very/Not at all concerned NET</b>	Not very concerned	Not at all concerned	DK	SKP/ REF
Make some students feel pressured to participate in prayer on the field	<b>27</b>	16	11	<b>21</b>	<b>51</b>	22	29	*	*
Lead to other public school officials praying with students during school hours	<b>21</b>	13	8	<b>18</b>	<b>59</b>	25	34	*	1
Make some students feel less welcome participating in high school sports	<b>26</b>	15	12	<b>20</b>	<b>53</b>	22	30	*	*

*N=1,054*

**SPT7. Do you favor, oppose, or neither favor nor oppose professional sports teams playing each of the following before sporting events begin?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC		<b>Strongly/ Somewhat favor NET</b>	Strongly favor	Somewhat favor	<b>Neither favor nor oppose</b>	<b>Strongly/ Somewhat oppose NET</b>	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	DK	SKP /REF
"God Bless America"	09/09- 12/2022 (N=1,054)	<b>55</b>	45	11	<b>26</b>	<b>18</b>	9	9	*	1
The national anthem	09/09- 12/2022 (N=1,054)	<b>68</b>	57	12	<b>22</b>	<b>8</b>	4	4	*	1
	9/28- 10/2/2017 (N=1,150)	<b>62</b>	51	11	<b>29</b>	<b>9</b>	5	4	*	*

**SPT8. Do you approve, disapprove or neither approve nor disapprove of professional sports players:**

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

AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022	<b>Strongly/ Somewhat approve NET</b>	Strongly approve	Somewhat approve	<b>Neither approve nor disappro ve</b>	<b>Strongly/So mewhat disapprove NET</b>	Somewhat disapprove	Strongly disapprove	DK	SKP/ REF
Praying on the field	<b>50</b>	37	13	<b>34</b>	<b>15</b>	7	8	*	1
Expressing their faith publicly by thanking God while on the field	<b>52</b>	38	14	<b>38</b>	<b>9</b>	4	5	*	*
Wearing a religious symbol like a crucifix or Star of David while on the field	<b>45</b>	33	11	<b>43</b>	<b>11</b>	5	6	*	1
Kneeling during the national anthem	<b>30</b>	19	10	<b>33</b>	<b>37</b>	7	30	*	*

*N=1,054*

**SPT11. How often do you:**

AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022	<b>Several times a week/Every week NET</b>	Several times a week	Every week	<b>A few times a month</b>	<b>Less than once a month/ Never NET</b>	Less than once a month	Never	DK	SKP/ REF
Attend a sporting event	<b>8</b>	4	4	<b>10</b>	<b>81</b>	43	38	*	1
Watch or listen to sports	<b>35</b>	19	16	<b>18</b>	<b>45</b>	23	22	*	2

*N=1,054*

**FAN. Do you consider yourself a fan of each of the following, or not?**

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022	Yes	No	DK	SKP/ REF
Professional sports	56	44	-	1
College sports	40	58	*	1
High school sports	30	69	*	1

N=1,054

**RELIG1. How important is religion to you?**

[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022	AP-NORC 10/21-25/2021
<b>Extremely/Very important NET</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>
Extremely important	25	26
Very important	20	19
<b>Somewhat important</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Not very important/ Not important at all NET</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>31</b>
Not very important	13	15
Not important at all	21	17
DON'T KNOW	*	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	*	-

N=

1,054

1,083

**RELIG2. In the last year, how often have you done each of the following?**

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED]

		Several times a week/ Every week NET	Several times a week	Every week	A few times a month	Less than once a month/ Never NET	Less than once a month	Never	DK	SKP /REF
AP-NORC										
Attended religious services, in-person or online	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	<b>24</b>	7	17	<b>10</b>	<b>66</b>	24	42	*	*
Prayed privately outside of a congregation	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	<b>47</b>	35	12	<b>9</b>	<b>44</b>	11	33	*	1
	10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	<b>46</b>	36	9	<b>12</b>	<b>42</b>	9	33	*	1
	4/30-5/4/2020 (N=1,002)	<b>47</b>	37	10	<b>12</b>	<b>40</b>	7	33	*	*

AP-NORC		Several times a week/ Every week NET	Several times a week	Every week	A few times a month	Less than once a month/ Never NET	Less than once a month	Never	DK	SKP /REF
Participated in informal religious or spiritual activities or gatherings in your or someone else's home or another setting outside a congregation	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	13	6	7	9	78	20	58	*	1
	10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	10	5	5	10	80	13	67	*	1
	4/30-5/4/2020 (N=1,002)	8	4	4	4	88	6	82	-	*

**PID1. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these?**

*If Democrat:*

**PIDA. Do you consider yourself a strong or not so strong Democrat?**

*If Republican:*

**PIDB. Do you consider yourself a strong or not so strong Republican?**

*If independent, none of these, don't know, skipped, or refused:*

**PIDI. Do you lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?**

**Combines PID1, PIDI, PIDA, and PIDB.**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
<b>Democrat NET</b>	<b>45</b>
Strong Democrat	20
Not so strong Democrat	14
Lean Democrat	10
<b>Independent/None – Don't lean</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>Republican NET</b>	<b>36</b>
Lean Republican	12
Not so strong Republican	11
Strong Republican	14
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,054</i>

**D3. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself to be a liberal, moderate, or conservative?**

*If liberal:*

**D4. Do you consider yourself very liberal or somewhat liberal?**

*If conservative:*

**D5. Do you consider yourself very conservative or somewhat conservative?**

**Combines D3, D4, D5:**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
<b>Liberal NET</b>	<b>23</b>
Very liberal	11
Somewhat liberal	12
<b>Moderate</b>	<b>49</b>
<b>Conservative NET</b>	<b>27</b>
Somewhat conservative	17
Very conservative	10
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1

N=

1,054

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

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Urban area	26
Suburban area	48
Rural area	24
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1

N=

1,054

**RELIG. What is your present religion, if any?**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Protestant	23
Roman Catholic	20
Mormon	1
Orthodox	*
Jewish	2
Muslim	*
Buddhist	2
Hindu	*
Atheist	6
Agnostic	7
Nothing in particular	16
Just Christian	19
Unitarian	*
Something else	2
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1

N= 1,054

*If Religion is Protestant, Roman Catholic, Mormon, Orthodox, Christian, or something else:*

**BORN. Would you describe yourself as a 'born-again' or evangelical Christian, or not?**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Yes	35
No	65
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	-

N= 705

**GENDER**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Male	49
Female	51

N= 1,054

**RACE/ETHNICITY**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
White	62
Black or African American	12
Hispanic	17
Other	9

N= 1,054

**MARITAL STATUS**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Married	50
Not married	50
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,054</i>

**EMPLOYMENT STATUS**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Employed	60
Not employed	40
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,054</i>

**EDUCATION**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Less than a high school diploma	9
High school graduate or equivalent	29
Some college	26
College graduate or above	20
Post grad study/professional degree	15
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,054</i>

**INCOME**

	AP-NORC 09/09-12/2022
Under \$10,000	5
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	9
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	10
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	8
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	8
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	18
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	14
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	15
\$150,000 or more	12
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,054</i>



## 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 September 9 and 12, 2022 with adults aged 18 and over representing the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Panel members were randomly drawn from AmeriSpeak, and 1,054 completed the survey—1,004 via the web and 50 by telephone. Panel members were invited by email or by phone from an NORC telephone interviewer. Interviews were conducted in both English and Spanish, depending on respondent preference. Respondents were offered a small monetary incentive for completing the survey. The final stage completion rate is 15.4 percent, the weighted household panel response rate is 20.8 percent, and the weighted household panel retention rate is 78.7 percent, for a cumulative response rate of 2.5 percent. The overall margin of sampling error is +/- 3.9 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level, including the design effect. The margin of sampling error may be higher for subgroups.

Sampling error is only one of many potential sources of error and there may be other unmeasured error in this or any other survey.

Quality assurance checks were conducted to ensure data quality. In total, 57 interviews were removed for nonresponse to at least 50% of the questions asked of them, for completing the survey in less than one-third the median interview time for the full sample, or for straight-lining all grid questions asked of them. These interviews were excluded from the data file prior to weighting.

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 2021 Current Population Survey. The weighted data reflect the U.S. population of adults age 18 and over.

The sample is also weighted to match the average of self-identified party identification in the previous two waves of the AmeriSpeak Omnibus survey and this current survey.

Complete questions and results are available at: [apnorc.org](https://apnorc.org)

Additional information on the AmeriSpeak Panel methodology is available at: <https://amerispeak.norc.org/about-amerispeak/Pages/Panel-Design.aspx>.

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