

Region:

(N=1,000)	n	%
Northeast-----	207	20.70
South-----	339	33.90
Midwest-----	249	24.90
West-----	205	20.50

Hello, my name is _____ and I am conducting a survey for Suffolk University/USA Today and I would like to get your opinions on some issues of the day. Would you like to spend seven minutes to help us out? {ASK FOR YOUNGEST IN HOUSEHOLD}

- Are you currently a registered voter in the U.S.?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Yes-----	1,000	100.00
- Which do you most closely identify as – male, female, or non-binary (transgender, gender variant, non-conforming)?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Male-----	484	48.40
Female-----	500	50.00
Non-Binary (transgender, gender variant, non-conforming) -----	16	1.60
- Do you think of yourself as a Democrat, Republican, or Independent? {IF INDEPENDENT, "Which party do you lean toward/feel closest to"}

(N=1,000)	n	%
Democrat-----	318	31.80
Republican-----	312	31.20
Independent-----	302	30.20
Other-----	32	3.20
Refused-----	36	3.60
- What is your age category?

(N=1,000)	n	%
18-24 Years-----	87	8.70
25-34 Years-----	161	16.10
35-49 Years-----	247	24.70
50-64 Years-----	283	28.30
65-74 Years-----	132	13.20
75+-----	77	7.70
Refused-----	13	1.30
- For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me what your ethnic background / ancestry is? {READ CHOICES}

(N=1,000)	n	%
White/Caucasian-----	667	66.70
Black/African-American-----	118	11.80
American Indian/Alaska Native-----	16	1.60
Asian-----	46	4.60
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander-----	2	0.20
Hispanic/Latino-----	119	11.90
Two or more races-----	12	1.20
Other-----	8	0.80
Don't know-----	12	1.20

6. Overall, do you strongly approve, somewhat approve, somewhat disapprove, or strongly disapprove of the job Joe Biden is doing as president?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Strongly approve -----	153	15.30
Somewhat approve -----	237	23.70
Somewhat disapprove -----	105	10.50
Strongly disapprove -----	451	45.10
Undecided -----	54	5.40

7. Thinking about your vote for U.S. Congress this November, what's the most important issue that will affect your vote? {OPEN}

(N=1,000)	n	%
"Economy" -----	200	20.00
"Abortion" -----	157	15.70
"Inflation/Cost of living" -----	107	10.70
"Immigration/Border control" -----	45	4.50
"Party affiliation/Control of Congress" -----	34	3.40
"Gun control" -----	34	3.40
"Climate change/Environment" -----	34	3.40
"Healthcare" -----	27	2.70
"Honesty/Integrity" -----	19	1.90
"Foreign policy/War in Ukraine" -----	17	1.70
Preservation of rights" -----	18	1.80
"Social issues" -----	16	1.60
"Keep Trump out of office" -----	16	1.60
"Voting integrity/Voting rights" -----	15	1.50
"Education/Student loans" -----	13	1.30
"Mismanagement of government/Term limits/Supreme Court" -----	17	1.70
"Protect our democracy" -----	11	1.10
"Taxes" -----	11	1.10
"Energy policies" -----	10	1.00
"Fiscal responsibility" -----	9	0.90
"Biden out of office" -----	8	0.80
"Views/Stand on issues" -----	12	1.20
"Get the country back on track" -----	7	0.70
"Work for their constituents/For the people" -----	7	0.70
"Nothing" -----	12	1.20
Other -----	49	4.90
DK/NA/Refused -----	95	9.50

8. Do the two major parties – Democrat & Republican - do a good job of representing Americans' political views, or do you think a third party or multiple parties is necessary?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Two parties – Democrat and Republican are good enough -----	245	24.50
A third party is necessary -----	261	26.10
Multiple parties are necessary -----	335	33.50
Undecided -----	159	15.90

9. Do you feel the country is headed in the right direction or is on the wrong track?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Right direction -----	154	15.40
Wrong track -----	759	75.90
Undecided -----	87	8.70

10. If the 2024 presidential election were between Democrat Joe Biden and Republican Donald Trump, who would you vote for or lean toward?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Democrat Joe Biden-----	446	44.60
Republican Donald Trump-----	409	40.90
Someone else-----	62	6.20
Wouldn't vote-----	33	3.30
Undecided-----	38	3.80
Refused-----	12	1.20

11. Do you want Joe Biden to run for re-election in 2024?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Yes-----	218	21.80
No-----	686	68.60
Undecided-----	90	9.00
Refused-----	6	0.60

12. Do you want Donald Trump to run for president in 2024?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Yes-----	282	28.20
No-----	652	65.20
Undecided-----	60	6.00
Refused-----	6	0.60

{3.3 & 3.4}

13. Earlier you said you thought of yourself as {INSERT}. Do you tend to vote in more Democratic primaries and caucuses or more Republican primaries and caucuses?

(N=370)	n	%
Democratic-----	122	32.97
Republican-----	102	27.57
Neither – Stay independent-----	106	28.65
Undecided-----	40	10.81

{3.1 or 13.1}

14. If Joe Biden doesn't seek the 2024 Democratic nomination, which of the following seven Democrats would you vote for or lean toward in your Democratic primary or caucus?

(RANDOMIZE)

(N=440)	n	%
Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg-----	70	15.91
Former Democratic nominee Hillary Clinton-----	36	8.18
Vice President Kamala Harris-----	79	17.95
Minnesota Senator Amy Klobuchar-----	50	11.36
California Governor Gavin Newsom-----	37	8.41
New York Rep. Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez-----	45	10.23
Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders-----	78	17.73
Undecided-----	44	10.00
Refused-----	1	0.23

[3.1 or 13.1, removing first choice from Q14]

15. Who would be your second choice? (RANDOMIZE)
(N=395)

	n	%
Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg-----	62	15.70
Former Democratic nominee Hillary Clinton-----	29	7.34
Vice President Kamala Harris-----	76	19.24
Minnesota Senator Amy Klobuchar-----	48	12.15
California Governor Gavin Newsom-----	42	10.63
New York Rep. Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez-----	50	12.66
Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders-----	52	13.16
Undecided-----	29	7.34
Refused-----	7	1.77

14 & 15. COMBINED – FIRST OR SECOND CHOICES

(N=440)

	n	%
Transportation Secretary Pete Buttigieg-----	132	30.00
Former Democratic nominee Hillary Clinton-----	65	14.77
Vice President Kamala Harris-----	155	35.23
Minnesota Senator Amy Klobuchar-----	98	22.27
California Governor Gavin Newsom-----	79	17.95
New York Rep. Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez-----	95	21.59
Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders-----	130	29.55
Undecided-----	44	10.00
Refused-----	1	0.23

{3.2 or 13.2}

16. Which of the following seven candidates seeking the 2024 Republican Primary nomination for president would you vote for or lean toward? (RANDOMIZE)

(N=414)

	n	%
Wyoming Rep. Liz Cheney-----	13	3.14
Former NJ Governor Chris Christie-----	6	1.45
Florida Governor Ron DeSantis-----	141	34.06
Former UN Ambassador Nikki Haley-----	11	2.66
Former Vice President Mike Pence-----	29	7.00
Former Secretary of State Mike Pompeo-----	3	0.72
Former President Donald Trump-----	177	42.75
Undecided-----	33	7.97
Refused-----	1	0.24

{3.2 or 13.2, removing first choice from Q16}

17. Who would be your second choice?

(N=380)

	n	%
Wyoming Rep. Liz Cheney-----	8	2.11
Former NJ Governor Chris Christie-----	25	6.58
Florida Governor Ron DeSantis-----	123	32.37
Former UN Ambassador Nikki Haley-----	50	13.16
Former Vice President Mike Pence-----	42	11.05
Former Secretary of State Mike Pompeo-----	25	6.58
Former President Donald Trump-----	60	15.79
Undecided-----	41	10.79
Refused-----	6	1.58

16 & 17. COMBINED – FIRST OR SECOND CHOICES

(N=414)	n	%
Wyoming Rep. Liz Cheney -----	21	5.07
Former NJ Governor Chris Christie -----	31	7.49
Florida Governor Ron DeSantis -----	264	63.80
Former UN Ambassador Nikki Haley-----	61	14.73
Former Vice President Mike Pence -----	71	17.15
Former Secretary of State Mike Pompeo -----	28	6.76
Former President Donald Trump -----	237	57.25
Undecided -----	33	7.97
Refused -----	1	0.24

18. If the elections for Congress were today, would you vote for the (ROTATE) Democratic candidate or Republican candidate?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Democratic candidate-----	443	44.30
Republican candidate-----	401	40.10
Undecided -----	156	15.60

19. When it comes to this year's congressional election, do you want to elect a congress that mostly cooperates with President Biden, or one that mostly stands up to President Biden?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Cooperates with President Biden -----	421	42.10
Stands up to President Biden -----	466	46.60
Undecided -----	108	10.80
Refused-----	5	0.50

20. Are you more or less likely to support a congressional candidate who has been endorsed by Donald Trump and campaigns with him, or would that not have any effect?

(N=1,000)	n	%
More likely -----	161	16.10
Less likely -----	438	43.80
No effect-----	376	37.60
Undecided -----	25	2.50

21. During the 2020 campaign, Joe Biden promised to unite the country and to rebuild bipartisanship. Which comes closer to your view? (ROTATE)

(N=1,000)	n	%
The country has gotten more united during the Biden administration -----	214	21.40
The country has gotten more divided during the Biden administration -----	671	67.10
Undecided -----	104	10.40
Refused -----	11	1.10

22. As you may know, in June, the Supreme Court overturned the Roe v. Wade decision that guaranteed access to abortion in the early part of a pregnancy. Does that Supreme Court decision make you more or less likely to vote this November, or does it not have an effect?

(N=1,000)	n	%
More likely -----	401	40.10
Less likely -----	22	2.20
No effect-----	550	55.00
Undecided -----	27	2.70

23. Some states are enacting new restrictions on access to abortions after the Supreme Court decision overturning Roe v. Wade. Do you support or oppose exceptions that would allow abortions if the pregnancy is the result of rape or incest?
- | (N=1,000) | n | % |
|------------------------------|-----|-------|
| Support this exception ----- | 826 | 82.60 |
| Oppose this exception ----- | 100 | 10.00 |
| Undecided ----- | 59 | 5.90 |
| Refused----- | 15 | 1.50 |
24. Do you support or oppose exceptions that would allow abortions if the pregnancy threatens the life or health of the pregnant person?
- | (N=1,000) | n | % |
|------------------------------|-----|-------|
| Support this exception ----- | 872 | 87.20 |
| Oppose this exception ----- | 63 | 6.30 |
| Undecided ----- | 51 | 5.10 |
| Refused----- | 14 | 1.40 |
25. Some states are seeking to punish those crossing state lines to obtain an abortion as well as those who help them. If a state has banned abortions, should it be able to restrict the ability of a pregnant resident to cross state lines to obtain an abortion – yes or no?
- | (N=1,000) | n | % |
|---|-----|-------|
| Yes – should be able to restrict----- | 95 | 9.50 |
| No – should not be able to restrict ----- | 843 | 84.30 |
| Undecided ----- | 47 | 4.70 |
| Refused----- | 15 | 1.50 |
26. As you may know, the special House committee investigating the January 6 assault on the Capitol has been holding public hearings. How much attention have you been paying to those hearings? (ROTATE ASC-DESC .1-.4)
- | (N=1,000) | n | % |
|---------------------|-----|-------|
| A lot----- | 231 | 23.10 |
| A fair amount ----- | 230 | 23.00 |
| Not very much ----- | 247 | 24.70 |
| None at all ----- | 285 | 28.50 |
| Undecided ----- | 7 | 0.70 |
27. Do you think the special House committee investigating Jan. 6...? (ROTATE .1 & .2)
- | (N=1,000) | n | % |
|---|-----|-------|
| Has generally done a good job pursuing the truth ----- | 430 | 43.00 |
| Has generally done a partisan job rather than pursuing the truth----- | 419 | 41.90 |
| Undecided ----- | 142 | 14.20 |
| Refused----- | 9 | 0.90 |
28. Of the following three options, how have the hearings changed your opinion about what happened on Jan. 6? (ROTATE .1 & .2)
- | (N=1,000) | n | % |
|---|-----|-------|
| The Jan. 6 attack was more serious than you thought ----- | 316 | 31.60 |
| The Jan. 6 attack was less serious than you thought --- | 71 | 7.10 |
| Your opinion about the Jan. 6 attack hasn't changed -- | 555 | 55.50 |
| Undecided ----- | 52 | 5.20 |
| Refused----- | 6 | 0.60 |

29. Of the following three options, how have the hearings changed your opinion about then-president Donald Trump's role in the Jan. 6 attack? (ROTATE .1 & .2)

(N=1,000)	n	%
Trump was more involved than you thought-----	316	31.60
Trump was less involved than you thought -----	76	7.60
Your opinion about Trump's involvement hasn't changed-----	555	55.50
Undecided -----	43	4.30
Refused-----	10	1.00

30. When it comes to the economy, do you think we are in an economic recovery, stagnation, recession, or depression? (ROTATE ASCENDING/DESCENDING)

(N=1,000)	n	%
Economic recovery -----	92	9.20
Stagnation -----	183	18.30
Recession-----	504	50.40
Depression-----	159	15.90
Undecided -----	60	6.00
Refused-----	2	0.20

Some people have changed their spending habits because of inflation, while others have not been impacted. I'm going to read you a short list of items people spend money on. For each, please tell me yes or no if you are now cutting back spending on these items or not. Are you ... {RANDOMIZE}?

(N=1,000)	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Und</u>
31. ...going out to eat less often?	584 58.40	404 40.40	12 1.20
32. ...cutting back spending on groceries?	453 45.30	544 54.40	3 0.30
33. ...driving less?	480 48.00	501 50.10	19 1.90
34. ...postponing or canceling vacations/travel?	454 45.40	532 53.20	14 1.40

35. In the 2020 final election for president did you vote for (ROTATE) Democrat Joe Biden, Republican Donald Trump, someone else, or did you not vote in the 2020 general election for president?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Democrat Joe Biden-----	450	45.00
Republican Donald Trump -----	407	40.70
Someone else - Libertarian Party Jo Jorgensen -----	22	2.20
Someone else - Green Party Howie Hawkins-----	12	1.20
Did not vote-----	53	5.30
Undecided -----	31	3.10
Refused-----	25	2.50

36. How would you describe your own political viewpoint – very liberal, liberal, moderate, conservative, very conservative? {ROTATE .1-.5 ASC- DESC}

(N=1,000)	n	%
Very liberal-----	93	9.30
Liberal-----	160	16.00
Moderate-----	360	36.00
Conservative-----	243	24.30
Very conservative-----	85	8.50
Other-----	14	1.40
Don't know-----	45	4.50

THE FINAL QUESTIONS WILL HELP US CLASSIFY YOUR ANSWERS WITH OTHERS TAKING THE SURVEY

37. What is the highest level of education you have completed? (READ LIST)

(N=1,000)	n	%
Some high school-----	49	4.90
High school graduate-----	217	21.70
Some college-----	254	25.40
Trade/technical/vocational training-----	94	9.40
College graduate-----	209	20.90
Masters or PhD-----	161	16.10
Undecided-----	7	0.70
Refused-----	9	0.90

38. What TV news or commentary source do you trust the most (READ)? {RANDOMIZE .1 - 10}

(N=1,000)	n	%
CNN-----	79	7.90
MSNBC-----	60	6.00
FOX NEWS-----	169	16.90
ABC-----	45	4.50
NBC-----	47	4.70
CBS-----	37	3.70
C-SPAN-----	39	3.90
NEWSMAX-----	59	5.90
PBS/NPR-----	162	16.20
ONE AMERICA NEWS NETWORK-----	20	2.00
None of Them-----	248	24.80
Undecided-----	35	3.50

39. What TV news or commentary source do you trust the least? (If respondent says, "All of Them," PLEASE ASK THEM TO PICK ONE OR TELL YOU THE FIRST ONE THAT COMES TO MIND) {RANDOMIZE .1 - .10}

(N=1,000)	n	%
CNN-----	210	21.00
MSNBC-----	75	7.50
FOX NEWS-----	354	35.40
ABC-----	17	1.70
NBC-----	13	1.30
CBS-----	9	0.90
C-SPAN-----	8	0.80
NEWSMAX-----	34	3.40
PBS/NPR-----	11	1.10
ONE AMERICA NEWS NETWORK-----	54	5.40
All of Them-----	116	11.60
Undecided-----	99	9.90

40. What is your annual household income?

(N=1,000)	n	%
Under \$20,000 per year -----	108	10.80
Under \$50,000 per year -----	173	17.30
Under \$75,000 per year -----	149	14.90
Under \$100,000 per year-----	152	15.20
Under \$140,000 per year-----	155	15.50
\$140,000 per year or more -----	163	16.30
Undecided -----	100	10.00