

FINAL IOWA JANUARY

Region:

(N=500)	n	%
Central/Polk-----	114	22.80
Northeast-----	139	27.80
Southeast-----	137	27.40
Southwest-----	48	9.60
Northwest-----	62	12.40

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INTRO SECTION>

Hello, my name is \_\_\_\_\_ and I am conducting a survey for the Tisch College of Civic Life at Tufts University and I would like to get your opinions on some questions about the upcoming Iowa caucuses. We're calling young residents of Iowa between the ages of 18 and 29 years of age. Would you be willing to spend five minutes answering some brief questions so that we can include your opinions? (quota)

1. Are you or will you be eligible to vote in the United States by the 2020 general election for president?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes-----	500	100.00

2. How old are you? \_\_\_\_\_ (18-29 years; exclude 17s who will be 18 by caucus time)

(N=500)	n	%
18 years-----	38	7.60
19 years-----	40	8.00
20 years-----	41	8.20
21 years-----	44	8.80
22 years-----	40	8.00
23 years-----	43	8.60
24 years-----	43	8.60
25 years-----	47	9.40
26 years-----	44	8.80
27 years-----	45	9.00
28 years-----	41	8.20
29 years-----	34	6.80

3. How would you describe yourself? {READ OPTIONS}

(N=500)	n	%
Man-----	260	52.00
Woman-----	235	47.00
Transgender-----	1	0.20
Gender nonconforming-----	2	0.40
Different identity-----	1	0.20
Refused-----	1	0.20

4. Can you please tell me what your racial or ethnic background/ancestry is? {READ LIST}

(N=500)	n	%
White/Caucasian-----	424	84.80
Black/African-American-----	16	3.20
Latino/Hispanic-----	32	6.40
American Indian or Alaska Native-----	1	0.20
Asian-----	13	2.60
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander-----	3	0.60
Multiracial-----	5	1.00
Refused-----	6	1.20

5. Which of the following five statements reflects your voter registration status? (READ OPTIONS)

(N=500)	n	%
I am registered to vote in IA at my current address ----	298	59.60
I am registered to vote in another state -----	0	0.00
I want to register to vote and I have a plan to register---	70	14.00
I want to register to vote but am not sure how-----	107	21.40
I will not register to vote {Skip to Q7} -----	15	3.00
I don't know -----	10	2.00

6. With which political party are you registered, if at all? If you are not currently registered, which party would you register with in the future? {READ OPTIONS}

(N=485)	n	%
Democratic Party -----	150	30.93
Republican Party -----	154	31.75
Libertarian Party -----	7	1.44
Green Party -----	1	0.21
Independent or unaffiliated -----	158	32.58
Other/please specify -----	0	0.00
Not planning to register to vote-----	0	0.00
Don't know/Refused -----	15	3.09

7. What is the likelihood of your voting in the 2020 Iowa Caucus on February 3<sup>rd</sup>? Are you...

(N=500)	n	%
Not likely at all -----	69	13.80
Somewhat unlikely -----	41	8.20
Neither likely or unlikely-----	67	13.40
Somewhat likely-----	141	28.20
Extremely likely -----	173	34.60
Don't know/Refused -----	9	1.80

8. Have you ever participated in a state caucus before?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes, I have -----	216	43.20
No, I have never participated in a caucus -----	284	56.80

9. In Iowa do you need to be registered with a political party to participate in that party's caucus?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes, party registration is required to participate in a caucus-----	226	45.20
No, you don't have to be registered to participate in a caucus -----	75	15.00
I don't know -----	199	39.80

(Q6.1 ONLY)

Q10. If the Iowa Democratic caucus were being held today and you had to make a choice, which of the following candidates would you be MOST likely to vote for? {ROTATE}

(N=150)	n	%
Michael Bennet-----	0	0.00
Joe Biden-----	10	6.67
Michael Bloomberg-----	0	0.00
Pete Buttigieg-----	21	14.00
John Delaney-----	0	0.00
Tulsi Gabbard -----	0	0.00
Amy Klobuchar-----	3	2.00
Deval Patrick-----	0	0.00
Bernie Sanders-----	58	38.67
Tom Steyer-----	3	2.00
Elizabeth Warren -----	28	18.67
Andrew Yang -----	13	8.67
Other/Please specify-----	0	0.00
Don't know/Refused -----	14	9.33

(Those with first choice in Q10/exclude response from Q10)

11. Which of the remaining candidates would be your second choice, or would you not vote for any of the remaining candidates?

(N=136)	n	%
Michael Bennet-----	5	3.68
Joe Biden-----	9	6.62
Michael Bloomberg-----	0	0.00
Pete Buttigieg-----	13	9.56
John Delaney-----	1	0.74
Tulsi Gabbard-----	8	5.88
Amy Klobuchar-----	8	5.88
Deval Patrick-----	0	0.00
Bernie Sanders-----	26	19.12
Tom Steyer-----	3	2.21
Elizabeth Warren-----	40	29.41
Andrew Yang-----	13	9.56
I wouldn't vote for any of the remaining candidates-----	3	2.21
Other/Please specify-----	0	0.00
Don't know/Refused-----	7	5.15

(Q6.2 ONLY)

12. If the Iowa Republican caucus were being held today and you had to make a choice, which of the following candidates would you be MOST likely to vote for? {ROTATE}

(N=154)	n	%
Donald Trump-----	131	85.06
Joe Walsh-----	0	0.00
Bill Weld-----	5	3.25
Other/Please specify-----	2	1.30
Don't know/Refused-----	16	10.39

13. During the past six months have you been contacted by someone personally to support a political candidate, political party, or any other organization that supports political candidates?

(N=500)	n	%
No, never-----	135	27.00
Yes, once-----	87	17.40
Yes, multiple times-----	273	54.60
Don't know/Refused-----	5	1.00

14. We want to know about your vote in the 2018 election. We have found that a lot of people were not able to vote because they weren't registered, they were sick, or they just didn't have time. Which of the following statements best describes you? {READ OPTIONS}

(N=500)	n	%
I am sure I voted-----	294	58.80
I thought about voting but didn't-----	31	6.20
I did not vote in the 2018 general election-----	139	27.80
I was not old enough to vote in the general election-----	27	5.40
Don't know/Refused-----	9	1.80

Please tell me if you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statement:

(For 7.3, 7.4, and 7.5)

15. I know where to find information on when, where and how to participate in my local Iowa caucus. Do you...?

(N=381)	n	%
Strongly Agree-----	193	50.66
Agree-----	155	40.68
Disagree-----	16	4.20
Strongly Disagree-----	5	1.31
Not Sure-----	12	3.15

16. Thinking about public issues, what is most important in determining your vote for president? {RANDOMIZE}

(N=500)	n	%
Concern about losing your job-----	8	1.60
Accessibility and affordability of family healthcare -----	90	18.00
Tax rates-----	58	11.60
Racism -----	10	2.00
A secure retirement -----	9	1.80
Lack of well-paying jobs -----	15	3.00
College affordability/Education -----	24	4.80
Crime -----	13	2.60
Police treatment of communities of color -----	10	2.00
Immigration-----	39	7.80
International relations-----	47	9.40
The environment-----	61	12.20
Gun violence/Gun control-----	19	3.80
The economy -----	18	3.60
Women’s health care/Abortion -----	7	1.40
Everything is important/All-----	16	3.20
Other/please specify -----	24	4.80
Don’t know -----	32	6.40

17. Do you support the impeachment and removal of President Trump, yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	205	41.00
No -----	243	48.60
Undecided-----	52	10.40

Please tell me if you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements:

18. I feel part of a group or movement and our members will vote to express our views.

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly Agree -----	103	20.60
Agree -----	183	36.60
Disagree -----	109	21.80
Strongly Disagree -----	50	10.00
Not Sure -----	55	11.00

19. Over the past year other young people have reached out to me about political issues or elections.

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly Agree -----	135	27.00
Agree -----	212	42.40
Disagree -----	104	20.80
Strongly Disagree -----	39	7.80
Not Sure -----	10	2.00

20. Do you know young people under the age of 30 who are volunteering for or working on a presidential campaign – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	218	43.60
No -----	271	54.20
Maybe -----	11	2.20

21. Have you yourself been asked personally to volunteer for a presidential campaign – yes or no?

(N=500)	n	%
Yes -----	177	35.40
No -----	315	63.00
Maybe -----	8	1.60

For each of the following statements please indicate how frequently during the past month you have engaged in that activity.

22. Sought out information on social media about the 2020 Iowa presidential caucuses. Would you say:

(N=500)	n	%
Never -----	185	37.00
Rarely -----	98	19.60
Occasionally -----	80	16.00
Fairly often -----	59	11.80
Often -----	73	14.60
Don't know/Refused -----	5	1.00

23. Saw others post on social media about the 2020 Iowa caucuses or a 2020 presidential candidate. Would you say:

(N=500)	n	%
Never -----	87	17.40
Rarely -----	53	10.60
Occasionally -----	115	23.00
Fairly often -----	82	16.40
Often -----	158	31.60
Don't know/Refused -----	5	1.00

24. Thought about getting involved or taking action because of seeing others posting on social media. Would you say:

(N=500)	n	%
Never -----	221	44.20
Rarely -----	103	20.60
Occasionally -----	81	16.20
Fairly often -----	37	7.40
Often -----	50	10.00
Don't know/Refused -----	8	1.60

25. Thought about getting involved or taking action because of seeing others share specific opportunities and experiences on social media. Would you say:

(N=500)	n	%
Never -----	233	46.60
Rarely -----	117	23.40
Occasionally -----	75	15.00
Fairly often -----	26	5.20
Often -----	47	9.40
Don't know/Refused -----	2	0.40

Please tell me if you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements:

26. I see issues that I care about being reported on in the news coverage of the Iowa caucuses.

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly Agree -----	73	14.60
Agree -----	231	46.20
Disagree -----	99	19.80
Strongly Disagree -----	48	9.60
Not Sure -----	49	9.80

27. It is hard to know where to find information about how to participate in the caucuses.

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly Agree -----	23	4.60
Agree -----	86	17.20
Disagree -----	254	50.80
Strongly Disagree -----	117	23.40
Not Sure -----	20	4.00

28. I trust local reporters and journalists to cover issues in my community accurately.

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly Agree -----	61	12.20
Agree -----	183	36.60
Disagree -----	135	27.00
Strongly Disagree -----	80	16.00
Not Sure -----	41	8.20

29. I feel better prepared to vote in the 2020 caucus because of local news media (i.e. from your city/town/county/region of the state).

(N=500)	n	%
Strongly Agree -----	36	7.20
Agree -----	145	29.00
Disagree -----	182	36.40
Strongly Disagree -----	83	16.60
Not Sure -----	54	10.80

30. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Democrat, Republican or Independent? {Caller probe for ideological leaning.}

(N=500)	n	%
Conservative Republican -----	95	19.00
Moderate Republican -----	65	13.00
Liberal Republican -----	10	2.00
Conservative Independent -----	50	10.00
Moderate Independent -----	79	15.80
Liberal Independent -----	51	10.20
Conservative Democrat -----	15	3.00
Moderate Democrat -----	42	8.40
Liberal Democrat -----	76	15.20
Other/please specify -----	2	0.40
Don't know/Refused -----	15	3.00

**This final question will help us classify your answers with others taking the survey.**

31. How would you describe your current education level? (READ CHOICES)

(N=500)	n	%
Not in school currently and no high school diploma equivalent -----	17	3.40
In high school -----	11	2.20
Have high school diploma and not in school currently -----	84	16.80
Attending community college -----	42	8.40
Attending a four year college -----	130	26.00
In some other type of school -----	33	6.60
Have college degree and not in school currently -----	179	35.80
Refused -----	4	0.80

**[THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME. HAVE A NICE DAY/EVENING.]**