

# Questionnaire, Results, and Additional Data 2017 Schooling in America Survey

August 18, 2017 to September 2, 2017

Total National Sample = 1,000

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	Total National
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000
NET: NORTHEAST	18.0%
NEW ENGLAND	4.8%
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	13.2%
NET: MIDWEST	21.2%
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	14.5%
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	6.6%
NET: SOUTH	37.5%
SOUTH ATLANTIC	20.1%
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	5.8%
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	11.6%
NET: WEST	24.3%
MOUNTAIN	7.1%
PACIFIC	16.3%

SPLIT1. CODE - SPLIT - 1

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
SPLIT A	50.0%	51.5%	53.7%	48.9%
SPLIT B	50.0%	48.5%	46.3%	51.1%

SPLIT2. CODE - SPLIT - 2

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
SPLIT C	50.0%	48.6%	50.1%	46.8%
SPLIT D	50.0%	51.4%	49.9%	53.2%

SPLIT3. CODE - SPLIT - 3

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
SPLIT E	50.0%	46.5%	44.0%	49.4%
SPLIT F	50.0%	53.5%	56.0%	50.6%

SPLIT4. CODE - SPLIT - 4

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
SPLIT G	50.0%	51.3%	54.0%	48.1%
SPLIT H	50.0%	48.7%	46.0%	51.9%

SPLIT5. CODE - SPLIT - 5

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
SPLIT I	50.0%	48.9%	47.1%	51.1%

SPLIT J	50.0%	51.1%	52.9%	48.9%
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	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
LANDLINE	35.5%	40.6%	20.5%	64.7%
CELL PHONE	64.5%	59.4%	79.5%	35.3%

***[BRAUN RESEARCH INTRODUCTION]***

***CELL PHONE***

Hello, my name is \_\_\_\_\_, I am calling for BR Interviewing, a national market research firm.

**We are not selling anything and will not be asking you for money, all your answers will be kept confidential. We are calling nationwide to ask questions about things that have been in the news and would like to include your opinions.**

**If you are driving or doing anything that requires your full attention, I will need to call you back.**

**Please know these calls are randomly monitored for quality and training purposes.**

***LANDLINE***

Hello, my name is \_\_\_\_\_, I am calling for BR Interviewing, a national market research firm.

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**I'd like to ask a few questions of the youngest male age 18 years or older who is now at home?**

**[IF NO] May I ask a few questions of the youngest female age 18 years or older who is now at home?**

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S1. Are you under 18 years old, OR are you 18 or older?

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Under 18	-	-	-	-
18 or older	100%	100%	100%	100%
[Refused]	-	-	-	-

S2. In what STATE do you currently live? **[OPEN END. RECORD.]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
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Alabama	1.5%	1.0%	1.6%	0.3%
Alaska	-	-	-	-
Arizona	1.9%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%
Arkansas	1.9%	2.0%	1.0%	3.2%
California	11.3%	10.8%	9.8%	12.1%
Colorado	1.6%	1.3%	1.2%	1.4%
Connecticut	1.5%	1.3%	0.8%	1.9%
Delaware	0.9%	0.7%	1.4%	-
District of Columbia	0.4%	-	-	-

Florida	7.5%	6.8%	8.7%	4.5%
Georgia	3.3%	3.7%	3.4%	4.1%
Hawaii	-	-	-	-
Idaho	0.7%	1.1%	1.9%	0.2%
Illinois	3.1%	3.4%	3.8%	2.9%
Indiana	1.9%	1.5%	1.6%	1.5%
Iowa	1.3%	1.8%	1.9%	1.8%
Kansas	0.9%	1.1%	0.9%	1.4%
Kentucky	2.0%	1.2%	1.2%	1.3%
Louisiana	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	1.0%
Maine	0.7%	0.8%	1.1%	0.4%
Maryland	1.0%	0.5%	0.3%	0.9%
Massachusetts	1.5%	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%
Michigan	3.3%	2.8%	2.0%	3.7%
Minnesota	1.3%	1.5%	-	3.4%
Mississippi	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%
Missouri	1.8%	2.0%	3.1%	0.7%
Montana	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	0.6%
Nebraska	0.8%	1.5%	1.0%	2.0%
Nevada	1.2%	1.8%	2.4%	1.0%
New Hampshire	0.3%	0.4%	-	0.9%
New Jersey	1.3%	1.4%	0.8%	2.1%
New Mexico	0.2%	0.4%	-	1.0%
New York	7.7%	8.6%	10.6%	6.2%
North Carolina	3.7%	2.0%	2.9%	1.0%
North Dakota	0.3%	0.2%	-	0.5%
Ohio	4.5%	4.5%	5.0%	3.9%
Oklahoma	0.9%	1.2%	0.3%	2.1%
Oregon	2.3%	2.0%	0.6%	3.6%
Pennsylvania	4.2%	5.6%	4.0%	7.5%

Rhode Island	0.6%	0.5%	-	1.2%
South Carolina	1.0%	1.1%	0.9%	1.2%
South Dakota	0.2%	0.2%	-	0.4%
Tennessee	1.9%	1.1%	0.8%	1.4%
Texas	7.3%	7.4%	10.3%	3.9%
Utah	1.0%	1.4%	2.2%	0.5%
Vermont	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%	-
Virginia	1.8%	1.6%	1.9%	1.2%
Washington	2.6%	2.8%	1.3%	4.7%
West Virginia	0.6%	0.8%	0.9%	0.6%
Wisconsin	1.7%	2.1%	1.9%	2.3%
Wyoming	-	-	-	-
Outside of USA	-	-	-	-
[Refused]	-	-	-	-

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<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
New England	4.8%	4.6%	3.6%	5.7%
Middle Atlantic	13.2%	15.6%	15.3%	15.9%
East North Central	14.5%	14.2%	14.2%	14.3%
West North Central	6.6%	8.4%	7.0%	10.1%
South Atlantic	20.1%	17.3%	20.5%	13.4%
East South Central	5.8%	3.7%	4.1%	3.3%
West South Central	11.6%	11.9%	13.3%	10.3%
Mountain	7.1%	8.7%	10.4%	6.6%
Pacific	16.3%	15.6%	11.6%	20.4%

D1. [CODE FOR REGION]

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
[Northeast]	18.0%	20.2%	19.0%	21.6%
[South]	37.5%	32.9%	37.9%	27.0%
[Midwest]	21.2%	22.6%	21.1%	24.4%
[West]	23.3%	24.3%	22.0%	27.0%

D2. [DO NOT READ. ASK ONLY IF UNSURE. CODE GENDER OF RESPONDENT.]

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
[Male]	49.0%	45.7%	51.0%	39.3%
[Female]	51.0%	54.3%	49.0%	60.7%

**“For this brief interview, if you are completely unsure about your answer or have no feelings for an answer, you can say ‘I Don’t Know’.” [ENTER AS “DK”]**

1-1. Split A. What is the most important PROBLEM FACING YOU AND YOUR FAMILY that you believe the United States federal government should address? Please be as specific as possible, but limit your response to a few words or a short phrase. [OPEN END, and CODE]

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	275	137	138
ECONOMIC	23.7%	22.3%	27.4%	15.7%
Low Wages/Few Jobs	12.2%	10.4%	13.7%	5.9%
Economy/Recession	4.8%	6.1%	5.2%	7.2%
Inflation	1.1%	1.4%	2.1%	0.4%

Poor Business Climate	0.6%	1.0%	0.7%	1.3%
Unemployment	0.5%	0.3%	0.6%	-
Trade Deficits/Wars.	0.1%	-	-	-
Other Economic	4.8%	3.8%	5.8%	1.2%
HEALTHCARE/HEALTH ISSUES	21.8%	20.8%	16.3%	26.8%
Rising cost of health care	4.8%	6.3%	5.1%	7.8%
Caring for the elderly/ Soc. Sec	2.3%	3.0%	1.3%	5.3%
Availability of Care	1.7%	1.6%	2.2%	0.8%
Obamacare/ACA	0.9%	0.5%	-	1.1%
Prescription drug costs	0.6%	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%
Veterans Administration/VA	0.5%	0.5%	-	1.1%
Poor Coverage/Benefits	0.2%	-	-	-
Other Health	11.9%	9.7%	8.6%	11.1%
GOVERNMENT	11.7%	13.6%	11.7%	16.1%
President Trump	5.2%	6.2%	5.0%	7.7%
Immigration	2.6%	1.8%	1.3%	2.5%
Gov't Regulations/Too Much	0.9%	1.7%	2.2%	1.0%
Poor/Corrupt Leadership	0.4%	0.2%	-	0.4%
Budget Shortfall/ Deficit	0.4%	0.3%	-	0.7%
Congress	0.3%	0.2%	-	0.4%
Gov't Spending/ Wasteful	0.2%	0.4%	-	0.9%
Other Government	1.8%	2.9%	3.2%	2.4%
INEQUALITY/RACISM	7.2%	6.6%	4.9%	8.8%
Racism	3.9%	4.4%	1.9%	7.6%
Poverty	1.3%	0.6%	1.1%	-
Discrimination	0.8%	1.3%	1.4%	1.2%
Other Inequality	1.1%	0.3%	0.4%	-
NATIONAL SECURITY/ DEFENSE	5.1%	6.3%	7.1%	5.2%
Terrorism	2.3%	3.0%	3.2%	2.8%
Middle East Issues.	0.5%	0.9%	1.5%	-
War/Peace	0.2%	-	-	-
North Korea.	0.1%	-	-	-
Russia	0.1%	0.2%	-	0.5%
Other National Security/Defense.	1.9%	2.2%	2.4%	1.9%
TAXES	5.0%	4.2%	2.1%	6.8%
Tax Increases	2.0%	1.3%	-	3.0%
Other Taxes	3.1%	2.9%	2.1%	3.8%
EDUCATION	3.4%	3.9%	4.6%	2.9%
School Financing	0.9%	1.3%	2.2%	-
Quality of Education	0.5%	-	-	-



Other Education	2.0%	2.6%	2.4%	2.9%
RETIREMENT SAVINGS/ SOCIAL SECURITY	2.9%	4.2%	2.8%	6.0%
Soc. Security/Pensions/ Retirement Savings.	2.9%	4.2%	2.8%	6.0%
CRIME/SAFETY	2.8%	3.2%	3.4%	3.0%
Crime	1.2%	1.1%	1.7%	0.4%
Police Brutality	1.0%	1.4%	0.5%	2.6%
Drugs/Alcohol	0.2%	0.4%	0.7%	-
Other Crime	0.4%	0.3%	0.5%	-
ENVIRONMENT	2.1%	0.9%	-	2.2%
Pollution	0.1%	-	-	-
Other Environment	2.1%	0.9%	-	2.2%
INFRASTRUCTURE/ TRANSPORTATION	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	-
Road & Bridge Maintenance	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	-
OTHER/SPECIFIC ISSUES	7.7%	8.9%	9.9%	7.6%
Decline in Moral Values	0.6%	0.7%	0.9%	0.5%
Other (SPECIFY)	7.1%	8.2%	9.0%	7.1%
NO PROBLEMS	12.3%	10.5%	11.7%	8.8%

1-2. What is the most important PUBLIC POLICY ISSUE that you believe the United States federal government should address? Please be as specific as possible, but limit your response to a few words or a short phrase.

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>132</i>	<i>137</i>
HEALTHCARE/HEALTH ISSUES	25.6%	32.2%	32.9%	31.4%
Obamacare/ACA	2.6%	3.6%	4.1%	3.0%
Rising cost of health care	2.1%	3.3%	1.6%	5.2%
Caring for the elderly/ Soc. Sec	1.4%	2.1%	0.9%	3.4%
Availability of Care	0.8%	0.7%	0.9%	0.6%
Poor Coverage/Benefits	0.5%	-	-	-
Veterans Administration/VA	0.2%	0.3%	0.7%	-
Malpractice/docs leaving state	0.2%	0.3%	0.6%	-
Other Health	18.0%	22.1%	24.7%	19.2%
GOVERNMENT	14.6%	12.1%	11.3%	13.0%
Immigration	5.0%	4.0%	3.2%	4.8%

President Trump	3.5%	3.2%	4.9%	1.4%
Budget Shortfall/ Deficit	1.0%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%
Bureaucracy.	0.6%	0.7%	-	1.4%
Gov't Regulations/Too Much	0.5%	-	-	-
Gov't Spending/ Wasteful	0.4%	0.4%	0.7%	-
Poor/Corrupt Leadership	0.2%	0.2%	-	0.5%
Other Government	3.5%	2.2%	1.0%	3.4%
NATIONAL SECURITY/ DEFENSE	10.4%	11.7%	10.9%	12.6%
Terrorism	3.4%	4.0%	3.2%	4.9%
War/Peace	1.1%	1.0%	1.1%	0.9%
Middle East Issues.	0.6%	-	-	-
North Korea.	0.4%	0.9%	0.4%	1.3%
Other National Security/Defense.	5.1%	6.4%	6.3%	6.5%
INEQUALITY/RACISM	9.9%	7.0%	8.3%	5.7%
Racism	6.2%	3.8%	4.8%	2.6%
Poverty	1.0%	1.5%	0.6%	2.5%
Other Inequality	2.9%	1.8%	2.9%	0.6%
ECONOMIC	8.1%	9.0%	12.0%	5.8%
Low Wages/Few Jobs	3.7%	4.5%	6.9%	2.0%
Economy/Recession	2.9%	3.0%	2.4%	3.6%
Unemployment	1.2%	2.1%	3.4%	0.6%
Poor Business Climate	0.1%	-	-	-
Other Economic	0.9%	-	-	-
TAXES	4.0%	4.4%	6.1%	2.6%
State Taxes	0.4%	0.8%	1.5%	-
Tax Increases	0.2%	0.2%	-	0.4%
Other Taxes	3.4%	3.4%	4.5%	2.2%
EDUCATION	3.3%	1.3%	1.6%	1.0%
Quality of Education	0.3%	0.5%	0.9%	-
School Violence	0.3%	-	-	-
Discipline	0.2%	-	-	-
School Financing	0.1%	-	-	-
Other Education	2.3%	0.9%	0.7%	1.0%
CRIME/SAFETY	1.9%	2.5%	1.1%	4.1%
Opioid Crisis.	0.3%	0.6%	0.4%	0.8%
Drugs/Alcohol	0.3%	-	-	-
Crime	0.1%	-	-	-
Police Brutality	0.1%	-	-	-
Poor Police/Law Enforcement	*%	-	-	-
Other Crime	1.1%	1.9%	0.6%	3.3%

RETIREMENT SAVINGS/ SOCIAL SECURITY	1.7%	2.2%	1.1%	3.3%
Soc. Security/Pensions/ Retirement Savings.	1.7%	2.2%	1.1%	3.3%
ENVIRONMENT	1.0%	0.9%	-	1.8%
Other Environment	1.0%	0.9%	-	1.8%
INFRASTRUCTURE/ TRANSPORTATION	0.3%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%
Road & Bridge Maintenance	0.3%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%
OTHER/SPECIFIC ISSUES	11.1%	12.8%	15.3%	10.1%
Decline in Moral Values	1.0%	1.4%	0.5%	2.4%
Other (SPECIFY)	10.0%	11.4%	14.9%	7.7%
NO PROBLEMS	12.6%	10.1%	7.6%	12.7%

1-COM. What is the most important PROBLEM FACING YOU AND YOUR FAMILY that you believe the United States federal government should address? What is the most important PUBLIC POLICY ISSUE that you believe the United States federal government should address? Please be as specific as possible, but limit your response to a few words or a short phrase.

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HEALTHCARE/HEALTH ISSUES	23.7%	26.3%	24.0%	29.2%
Rising cost of health care	3.4%	4.9%	3.5%	6.5%
Caring for the elderly/ Soc. Sec	1.9%	2.6%	1.1%	4.3%
Obamacare/ACA	1.8%	2.0%	1.9%	2.1%
Availability of Care	1.3%	1.2%	1.6%	0.7%
Poor Coverage/Benefits	0.3%	-	-	-
Veterans Administration/VA	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.6%
Prescription drug costs	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%
Malpractice/docs leaving state	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	-
Other Health	14.9%	15.7%	16.1%	15.3%
ECONOMIC	15.9%	15.9%	20.3%	10.6%
Low Wages/Few Jobs	8.0%	7.5%	10.6%	3.9%
Economy/Recession	3.9%	4.6%	3.9%	5.4%
Unemployment	0.9%	1.2%	1.9%	0.3%
Inflation	0.5%	0.7%	1.1%	0.2%
Poor Business Climate	0.4%	0.5%	0.4%	0.6%

Trade Deficits/Wars.	0.1%	-	-	-
Other Economic	2.8%	2.0%	3.1%	0.6%
GOVERNMENT	13.2%	12.9%	11.5%	14.5%
President Trump	4.3%	4.7%	5.0%	4.5%
Immigration	3.8%	2.8%	2.2%	3.7%
Gov't Regulations/Too Much	0.7%	0.9%	1.2%	0.5%
Budget Shortfall/ Deficit	0.7%	0.9%	0.7%	1.1%
Bureaucracy.	0.3%	0.3%	-	0.7%
Poor/Corrupt Leadership	0.3%	0.2%	-	0.4%
Gov't Spending/ Wasteful	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%
Congress	0.1%	0.1%	-	0.2%
Other Government	2.7%	2.5%	2.2%	2.9%
INEQUALITY/RACISM	8.5%	6.8%	6.5%	7.2%
Racism	5.1%	4.1%	3.3%	5.1%
Poverty	1.2%	1.1%	0.9%	1.3%
Discrimination	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	0.6%
Other Inequality	2.0%	1.0%	1.6%	0.3%
NATIONAL SECURITY/ DEFENSE	7.7%	8.9%	8.9%	9.0%
Terrorism	2.9%	3.5%	3.2%	3.9%
War/Peace	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%
Middle East Issues.	0.5%	0.4%	0.8%	-
North Korea.	0.3%	0.4%	0.2%	0.7%
Russia	0.1%	0.1%	-	0.2%
Other National Security/Defense.	3.5%	4.2%	4.2%	4.2%
TAXES	4.5%	4.3%	4.0%	4.7%
Tax Increases	1.1%	0.8%	-	1.7%
State Taxes	0.2%	0.4%	0.7%	-
Other Taxes	3.2%	3.1%	3.3%	3.0%
EDUCATION	3.3%	2.6%	3.2%	1.9%
School Financing	0.5%	0.6%	1.2%	-
Quality of Education	0.4%	0.2%	0.4%	-
School Violence	0.1%	-	-	-
Discipline	0.1%	-	-	-
Other Education	2.2%	1.8%	1.6%	1.9%
CRIME/SAFETY	2.4%	2.9%	2.3%	3.6%
Crime	0.7%	0.6%	0.9%	0.2%
Police Brutality	0.6%	0.7%	0.3%	1.3%
Drugs/Alcohol	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	-
Opioid Crisis.	0.2%	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%
Poor Police/Law Enforcement	*%	-	-	-

Other Crime	0.7%	1.1%	0.6%	1.7%
RETIREMENT SAVINGS/ SOCIAL SECURITY	2.3%	3.2%	2.0%	4.6%
Soc. Security/Pensions/ Retirement Savings.	2.3%	3.2%	2.0%	4.6%
ENVIRONMENT	1.6%	0.9%	-	2.0%
Pollution	*%	-	-	-
Other Environment	1.6%	0.9%	-	2.0%
INFRASTRUCTURE/ TRANSPORTATION	0.3%	0.5%	0.6%	0.3%
Road & Bridge Maintenance	0.3%	0.5%	0.6%	0.3%
OTHER/SPECIFIC ISSUES	9.4%	10.8%	12.4%	8.9%
Decline in Moral Values	0.8%	1.1%	0.7%	1.5%
Other (SPECIFY)	8.6%	9.8%	11.7%	7.4%
NO PROBLEMS	12.5%	10.3%	9.8%	10.8%

2. In the United States, do you feel things in K-12 Education are generally going in the right direction, or do you feel things have generally gotten off on the wrong track?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
Right Direction	26.9%	26.8%	31.6%	21.1%
Wrong Track	55.3%	58.4%	56.0%	61.2%
[DK]	16.9%	13.8%	10.8%	17.4%
[Refused]	0.8%	1.0%	1.5%	0.3%

3. Are you currently the parent or guardian of a child, who lives with you, and who is enrolled in any grade from Kindergarten through High School? If you have a child who will be in Kindergarten next school year, that qualifies as a “Yes”.

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
Yes	28.6%	54.5%	100%	-

No, My Oldest [Or Only Child] Is Not Yet In School	5.0%	-	-	-
No, My Youngest [Or Only] Child Is Past High School Age	23.8%	45.5%	-	100%
No, I Am Not The Parent or Guardian Of Any Child	40.7%	-	-	-
[DK]	0.6%	-	-	-
[Refused]	1.3%	-	-	-

**4. [ASK ALL] Based on your direct experience as a parent, or based on what you have heard from others, how would you rate your local public school district in the following areas:**

4\_1. Communicates effectively with parents - How would you rate your local public school district in "Communicates effectively with parents"?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: EXCELLENT/VERY GOOD	51.5%	54.5%	60.3%	47.6%
Excellent	17.6%	21.0%	25.0%	16.1%
Good	34.0%	33.5%	35.2%	31.5%
NET: FAIR/POOR	38.8%	39.7%	37.4%	42.5%
Fair	25.9%	25.9%	24.8%	27.2%
Poor	12.9%	13.8%	12.6%	15.3%
[DK]	8.9%	5.8%	2.4%	9.9%
[Refused]	0.8%	-	-	-
MEAN	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.5
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

4\_2. Keeps parents informed of school activities - How would you rate your local public school district in "Keeps parents informed of school activities"?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
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<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: EXCELLENT/VERY GOOD	59.5%	60.9%	65.4%	55.6%
Excellent	21.5%	23.8%	29.1%	17.4%
Good	38.0%	37.2%	36.3%	38.2%
NET: FAIR/POOR	30.4%	32.4%	32.1%	32.7%
Fair	21.3%	23.6%	25.7%	21.0%
Poor	9.2%	8.8%	6.4%	11.7%
[DK]	9.3%	6.7%	2.5%	11.7%
[Refused]	0.8%	-	-	-
MEAN	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.3
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

4\_3. Provides school counseling services - How would you rate your local public school district in "Provides school counseling services"?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: EXCELLENT/VERY GOOD	50.2%	51.8%	57.5%	45.1%
Excellent	15.4%	18.0%	23.5%	11.4%
Good	34.9%	33.8%	34.0%	33.6%
NET: FAIR/POOR	36.6%	38.6%	37.4%	40.1%
Fair	25.0%	27.2%	27.9%	26.3%
Poor	11.6%	11.4%	9.5%	13.7%
[DK]	12.3%	9.6%	5.2%	14.9%
[Refused]	0.8%	-	-	-
MEAN	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.5
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

4\_4. Provides additional academic supports outside the classroom - How would you rate your local public school district in "Provides additional academic supports outside the classroom"?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
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<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: EXCELLENT/VERY GOOD	47.6%	48.6%	51.1%	45.6%
Excellent	18.0%	19.0%	21.7%	15.6%
Good	29.6%	29.6%	29.4%	29.9%
NET: FAIR/POOR	41.4%	43.7%	45.6%	41.4%
Fair	25.1%	26.2%	29.8%	21.9%
Poor	16.3%	17.5%	15.8%	19.5%
[DK]	10.0%	7.7%	3.2%	13.1%
[Refused]	0.9%	-	-	-
MEAN	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.5
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

4\_5. Responsive/Proactive to unique situations - How would you rate your local public school district in "Responsive/Proactive to unique situations"?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: EXCELLENT/VERY GOOD	48.7%	51.8%	56.2%	46.5%
Excellent	14.8%	17.0%	19.3%	14.2%
Good	34.0%	34.8%	36.9%	32.3%
NET: FAIR/POOR	39.6%	40.5%	40.3%	40.8%
Fair	25.7%	27.2%	27.8%	26.5%
Poor	13.9%	13.3%	12.5%	14.3%
[DK]	10.8%	7.7%	3.6%	12.7%
[Refused]	0.9%	-	-	-
MEAN	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.5
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

**[AT THIS POINT, IF Q3 = 2, 4, 5, 6, THEN SKIP TO Q13]**

5. **[ASK IF Q3 = 1, 3]** For how many years have you had any children attend a REGULAR PUBLIC SCHOOL (also PUBLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL) anytime from Kindergarten



through High School? If your family has no experience with a REGULAR PUBLIC SCHOOL, you can say “none” or “never.”

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	524	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	544	544	269	275
None/Never	6.5%	6.5%	6.9%	6.2%
Less than 1 school year	2.7%	2.7%	4.5%	0.4%
1-2 years	8.2%	8.2%	14.0%	1.3%
3-5 years	9.6%	9.6%	16.3%	1.5%
More than 5 years	69.0%	69.0%	55.0%	85.9%
[DK]	3.6%	3.6%	2.7%	4.6%
[Refused]	0.4%	0.4%	0.7%	0.1%
MEAN	10.8	10.8	7.3	15.1
MEDIAN	11.0	11.0	6.0	13.0

6. **[ASK IF Q5 = 2/3/4/5]** To what extent are you satisfied or dissatisfied with your child’s REGULAR PUBLIC SCHOOL (also PUBLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL) experience?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	469	469	256	212
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	485	485	243	242
NET: SATISFIED	72.8%	72.8%	72.9%	72.7%
Very Satisfied	29.2%	29.2%	27.2%	31.7%
Somewhat Satisfied	43.6%	43.6%	45.6%	41.0%
NET: DISSATISFIED	25.3%	25.3%	25.6%	24.9%
Somewhat Dissatisfied	17.1%	17.1%	16.7%	17.6%
Very Dissatisfied	8.2%	8.2%	9.0%	7.4%
[DK]	1.6%	1.6%	1.5%	1.7%
[Refused]	0.3%	0.3%	-	0.7%
MEAN	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

7. **[ASK IF Q3 = 1, 3]** For how many years have you had any children attend a CHARTER SCHOOL anytime from Kindergarten through High School? If your family has no experience with a CHARTER SCHOOL, you can say “none” or “never.” **[ OPEN END. RECORD NUMBER. THEN LATER, BASED ON RESPONSE SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES, COMPUTE *MEDIAN.*] [IF NEEDED/REQUESTED, DEFINITION OF “CHARTER SCHOOL”: “Charter schools are public schools that have more control over their own budget, staff, and curriculum, and are exempt from many existing public school regulations.”]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	524	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	544	544	269	275
None/Never	87.1%	87.1%	82.2%	92.9%
Less than 1 school year	1.3%	1.3%	1.8%	0.6%
1-2 years	3.7%	3.7%	4.6%	2.6%
3-5 years	4.0%	4.0%	6.6%	0.9%
More than 5 years	3.2%	3.2%	4.4%	1.7%
[DK]	0.5%	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%
[Refused]	0.2%	0.2%	-	0.5%
MEAN	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.2
MEDIAN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

8. **[ASK IF Q7 = 2/3/4/5]** To what extent are you satisfied or dissatisfied with your child’s CHARTER SCHOOL experience? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	64	64	50	14
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	59	59	45	14
NET: SATISFIED	75.1%	75.1%	72.5%	84.2%
Very Satisfied	44.5%	44.5%	41.5%	55.2%
Somewhat Satisfied	30.6%	30.6%	31.0%	28.9%
NET: DISSATISFIED	22.6%	22.6%	27.5%	5.3%
Somewhat Dissatisfied	8.2%	8.2%	9.0%	5.3%
Very Dissatisfied	14.5%	14.5%	18.5%	-
[DK]	2.3%	2.3%	-	10.5%
[Refused]	-	-	-	-

MEAN	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.4
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0

9. **[ASK IF Q3 = 1, 3]** For how many years have you had any children attend a PRIVATE RELIGIOUS or NON-RELIGIOUS SCHOOL anytime from Kindergarten through High School? If your family has no experience with a PRIVATE SCHOOL, you can say “none” or “never.” **[OPEN END. RECORD NUMBER. THEN LATER, BASED ON RESPONSE SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES, COMPUTE *MEDIAN*.]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	524	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	544	544	269	275
None/Never	78.0%	78.0%	81.4%	73.9%
Less than 1 school year	0.9%	0.9%	1.1%	0.6%
1-2 years	4.9%	4.9%	5.9%	3.7%
3-5 years	4.2%	4.2%	3.1%	5.5%
More than 5 years	11.1%	11.1%	8.3%	14.5%
[DK]	0.5%	0.5%	0.3%	0.7%
[Refused]	0.5%	0.5%	-	1.0%
MEAN	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.8
MEDIAN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

10. **[ASK IF Q9 = 2/3/4/5]** To what extent are you satisfied or dissatisfied with your child’s PRIVATE RELIGIOUS or NON-RELIGIOUS SCHOOL experience? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	110	110	52	58
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	122	122	50	72
NET: SATISFIED	92.9%	92.9%	91.3%	94.3%
Very Satisfied	57.9%	57.9%	53.0%	62.4%
Somewhat Satisfied	34.9%	34.9%	38.2%	32.0%
NET: DISSATISFIED	6.6%	6.6%	8.7%	4.7%
Somewhat Dissatisfied	4.9%	4.9%	6.2%	3.8%

Very Dissatisfied	1.6%	1.6%	2.5%	0.8%
[DK]	-	-	-	-
[Refused]	0.5%	0.5%	-	1.0%
MEAN	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.4
MEDIAN	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0

11. **[ASK IF Q3 = 1, 3]** For how many years have you HOMESCHOOLED at least one of your children a child anytime from Kindergarten through High School? If your family has no experience with HOMESCHOOLING, you can say “none” or “never.” **[OPEN END. RECORD NUMBER. THEN LATER, BASED ON RESPONSE SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES, COMPUTE *MEDIAN*.]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	524	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	544	544	269	275
None/Never	89.8%	89.8%	86.7%	93.4%
Less than 1 school year	1.0%	1.0%	1.0%	1.0%
1-2 years	5.4%	5.4%	6.9%	3.5%
3-5 years	1.8%	1.8%	2.9%	0.6%
More than 5 years	0.9%	0.9%	0.8%	1.0%
[DK]	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%
[Refused]	0.6%	0.6%	1.1%	-
MEAN	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
MEDIAN	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

12. **[ASK IF Q11 = 2/3/4/5]** To what extent are you satisfied or dissatisfied with your child’s HOMESCHOOL experience? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	48	48	33	14
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	47	47	32	15
NET: SATISFIED	89.5%	89.5%	90.2%	87.9%
Very Satisfied	53.6%	53.6%	44.7%	74.1%
Somewhat Satisfied	36.0%	36.0%	45.5%	13.8%
NET: DISSATISFIED	10.5%	10.5%	9.8%	12.1%

Somewhat Dissatisfied	3.4%	3.4%	2.8%	4.7%
Very Dissatisfied	7.1%	7.1%	6.9%	7.3%
[DK]	-	-	-	-
[Refused]	-	-	-	-
MEAN	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.5
MEDIAN	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.0

**[RETURN TO 'ASK ALL' STARTING HERE...]**

13. How much do you think is spent per year on each student in our country's public schools? Your estimate of the national average—to the nearest thousand dollars—will represent the combined expenditures of local, state, and federal governments. **[OPEN END. RECORD NUMBER. THEN LATER, BASED ON RESPONSE SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
\$4,000 or Less	31.2%	29.9%	39.5%	18.4%
\$4,001 - \$8,000	14.1%	15.5%	11.6%	20.0%
\$8,001 - \$12,000	10.7%	10.6%	10.5%	10.7%
\$12,001 - \$16,000	4.4%	5.3%	4.9%	5.9%
Over \$16,000	10.6%	9.9%	10.8%	8.8%
[DK]	28.6%	28.9%	22.6%	36.3%
[Refused]	0.3%	-	-	-

14-1. Split C. *Do you believe that public school funding in the United States is at a level that is:* **[READ]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	264	133	131
Too High	10.9%	12.6%	13.1%	12.0%
Too Low	54.3%	56.4%	58.6%	53.6%
About Right	27.7%	26.1%	24.3%	28.4%

[DK]	7.0%	4.6%	4.0%	5.4%
[Refused]	0.1%	0.2%	-	0.5%

14-2. Split D. According to the most recent information available, on average **\$11,392** is being spent per year on each student attending public schools in the United States. Do you believe that public school funding in our country is at a level that is: **[READ]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>280</i>	<i>136</i>	<i>144</i>
Too High	18.9%	20.9%	21.6%	20.2%
Too Low	38.2%	39.1%	38.1%	40.3%
About Right	32.2%	31.8%	35.4%	27.7%
[DK]	10.2%	7.7%	4.9%	10.7%
[Refused]	0.4%	0.5%	-	1.1%

14-COM. Do you believe that public school funding in the United States is at a level that is: [READ] According to the most recent information available, on average \$11,392 is being spent per year on each student attending public schools in the United States. Do you believe that public school funding in our country is at a level that is:

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
Too High	14.9%	16.9%	17.3%	16.4%
Too Low	46.3%	47.5%	48.4%	46.5%
About Right	30.0%	29.0%	29.9%	28.0%
[DK]	8.6%	6.2%	4.4%	8.2%
[Refused]	0.3%	0.4%	-	0.8%

15. In thinking about the schools in your area, what grade would you give:

**[GRADE OPTIONS: A, B, C, D, F, (Does Not Apply), or (DK)]**

15\_1. Regular Public Schools [or Public District Schools] - In thinking about the schools in your area, what grade would you give:

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
A	15.5%	15.5%	17.8%	12.8%
B	29.2%	31.2%	28.7%	34.2%
C	27.1%	26.1%	24.2%	28.4%
D	12.9%	12.5%	15.1%	9.5%
F	7.3%	7.6%	7.2%	8.1%
[Does Not Apply]	1.6%	2.1%	2.0%	2.3%
[DK]	6.4%	4.9%	5.1%	4.6%

15\_2. Charter Schools [or Public Charter Schools] - In thinking about the schools in your area, what grade would you give:

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
A	14.1%	13.3%	15.5%	10.7%
B	26.8%	23.3%	25.8%	20.2%
C	18.0%	18.0%	19.8%	15.9%
D	5.3%	4.8%	6.9%	2.2%
F	4.9%	4.1%	3.7%	4.6%
[Does Not Apply]	8.7%	11.7%	11.6%	11.9%
[DK]	22.1%	24.8%	16.8%	34.5%

15\_3. Private Schools [or Independent Schools, Parochial Schools, Religious Schools] - In thinking about the schools in your area, what grade would you give:

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
A	29.1%	30.4%	31.9%	28.5%

B	28.3%	25.6%	25.5%	25.8%
C	14.1%	13.0%	13.6%	12.3%
D	2.9%	3.1%	4.7%	1.3%
F	2.4%	1.9%	1.8%	2.1%
[Does Not Apply]	5.5%	7.6%	8.1%	7.0%
[DK]	17.7%	18.4%	14.4%	23.1%

16-1. Split E. If it were your decision and you could select any type of school, what type of school would you select in order to obtain the best education for your child? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>256</i>	<i>124</i>	<i>132</i>
Charter School [or Public Charter School]	16.3%	17.9%	15.2%	20.7%
Home School	10.0%	9.6%	8.3%	11.1%
Private School [or Independent School, Parochial School, Religious School]	35.1%	36.4%	39.1%	33.5%
Regular Public School [or Public District School]	33.6%	33.4%	35.9%	30.6%
[DK]	4.9%	2.4%	0.7%	4.1%
[Refused]	0.2%	0.3%	0.6%	-

16-2. Split F. If it were your decision and you could select any type of school, and financial costs and transportation were of no concern, what type of school would you select in order to obtain the best education for your child? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>288</i>	<i>145</i>	<i>143</i>
Charter School [or Public Charter School]	12.9%	12.6%	15.1%	9.4%
Home School	8.6%	5.2%	6.0%	4.2%
Private School [or Independent School, Parochial School, Religious School]	42.0%	46.2%	45.6%	46.9%



Regular Public School [or Public District School]	29.1%	32.1%	31.2%	33.3%
[DK]	7.2%	3.6%	1.7%	6.1%
[Refused]	0.1%	0.2%	0.4%	-

16-COM. If it were your decision and you could select any type of school, what type of school would you select in order to obtain the best education for your child? If it were your decision and you could select any type of school, and financial costs and transportation were of no concern, what type of school would you select in order to obtain the best education for your child?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
Charter School [or Public Charter School]	14.6%	15.1%	15.2%	15.0%
Home School	9.3%	7.3%	7.0%	7.6%
Private School [or Independent School, Parochial School, Religious School]	38.5%	41.7%	42.8%	40.3%
Regular Public School [or Public District School]	31.4%	32.7%	33.3%	32.0%
[DK]	6.0%	3.0%	1.3%	5.1%
[Refused]	0.1%	0.3%	0.5%	-

17. What is the most important characteristic or attribute that would cause you to choose a [INSERT SCHOOL TYPE FROM Q16] for your child? Please use one word, or a very short phrase. **[OPEN END, and CODE]** “For the remainder of this interview, if you are completely unsure about your answer or have no feelings for an answer, feel free to say “I Don’t Know”.” **[ENTER AS “DK”]**

17\_1. What is the most important characteristic or attribute that would cause you to choose a [INSERT SCHOOL TYPE FROM Q16] for your child? Please use one word, or a very short phrase.

	National	Current & Former	Current Parents	Former Parents
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		Parents		
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	135	72	38	34
Individual attention/One-on-One/Customized	19.0%	21.0%	12.1%	31.8%
Better education/Quality	13.5%	9.4%	6.4%	13.1%
Academics/Curriculum/ Courses (i.e. math, arts, etc.)	8.2%	10.3%	3.5%	18.6%
Class size/Student-Teacher ratio	7.8%	10.0%	14.1%	4.9%
Teachers/Better Teachers/ More professional	5.4%	2.8%	2.2%	3.5%
School Resources/Funding	4.8%	3.0%	2.5%	3.5%
Against Government involvement/less government/more private control	4.2%	3.7%	1.9%	5.9%
Out-comes/Results (i.e. graduation, college-prep, success rate)	2.8%	3.8%	4.8%	2.6%
Opportunities/Choices	2.7%	5.0%	4.3%	5.8%
Quality/Good/Excellent	2.6%	4.8%	4.3%	5.4%
Discipline/Structure/ Consistency	2.6%	2.1%	3.9%	-
Cost/Tuition/ Affordability	2.4%	4.5%	8.2%	-
Negative mentions of Public schools	2.1%	1.1%	2.0%	-
Safety/Less drugs/ Violence/Bullying	1.9%	2.0%	-	4.5%
More Challenging/High standards/Integrity	1.7%	-	-	-
Extracurricular activities/After-school programs	1.5%	2.8%	5.1%	-
Special Ed classes	1.4%	2.6%	4.7%	-
Care about students	1.1%	-	-	-
Reputation	1.0%	0.9%	1.7%	-
Accountability/ Responsibility	1.0%	0.9%	-	1.9%
Parental Involvement	0.9%	1.1%	-	2.4%
Variety	0.8%	1.4%	2.6%	-
Prefer/Positive mentions of Charter schools	0.6%	1.1%	2.0%	-
Socialization/Social/ Peers/Other kids/students	0.5%	-	-	-
Fewer political influences	0.3%	-	-	-
No/None/Nothing	0.8%	-	-	-
Other	8.0%	10.3%	15.9%	3.4%
Don't know/Refused	5.8%	1.0%	1.9%	-

17\_2. What is the most important characteristic or attribute that would cause you to choose a [INSERT SCHOOL TYPE FROM Q16] for your child? Please use one word, or a very short phrase.

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	88	35	18	17
Safety/Less drugs/ Violence/Bullying	20.8%	14.0%	20.4%	6.9%
Better education/Quality	13.8%	13.0%	-	27.2%
Parental Involvement	6.7%	2.2%	-	4.7%
Individual attention/One- on- One/Customized	5.6%	8.2%	3.6%	13.4%
Discipline/Structure/ Consistency	5.1%	5.7%	-	12.0%
Academics/Curriculum/ Courses (i.e. math, arts, etc.)	4.2%	4.7%	8.9%	-
Negative mentions of Public schools	3.7%	4.9%	4.6%	5.1%
More of a "Real life" environment	3.0%	3.2%	-	6.7%
Socialization/Social/ Peers/Other kids/students	2.7%	-	-	-
Fewer political influences	2.4%	-	-	-
Prefer/positive mentions of home schooling	2.2%	2.4%	-	5.1%
Quality/Good/Excellent	2.1%	5.2%	7.4%	2.8%
Environment/Culture/ Community	2.0%	-	-	-
Teachers/Better Teachers/ More professional	2.0%	-	-	-
Class size/Student- Teacher ratio	1.7%	4.3%	-	9.0%
Freedom/Flexibility	1.7%	-	-	-
Opportunities/Choices	1.5%	-	-	-
Accountability/ Responsibility	1.4%	3.5%	6.7%	-
Morals/Values/Ethics	1.2%	1.8%	3.4%	-
Special Ed classes	1.1%	2.7%	5.2%	-
Convenience	1.1%	2.6%	5.0%	-
More Challenging/High standards/Integrity	0.9%	-	-	-
Extracurricular activities/After- school programs	0.9%	2.1%	4.0%	-

Against Government involvement/less government/more private control	0.7%	1.6%	3.1%	-
Religion/Religious reasons/Parochial	0.6%	-	-	-
Someone I know/I have attended or worked at that school	0.4%	-	-	-
No/None/Nothing	2.5%	-	-	-
Other	16.8%	26.2%	30.8%	21.2%

17\_3. What is the most important characteristic or attribute that would cause you to choose a [INSERT SCHOOL TYPE FROM Q16] for your child? Please use one word, or a very short phrase.

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>390</i>	<i>233</i>	<i>117</i>	<i>116</i>
Individual attention/One-on-One/Customized	17.6%	20.1%	22.1%	17.6%
Class size/Student-Teacher ratio	14.9%	13.0%	12.7%	13.4%
Better education/Quality	13.1%	12.3%	10.5%	14.6%
Discipline/Structure/Consistency	9.1%	10.8%	9.5%	12.5%
Religion/Religious reasons/Parochial	6.3%	6.6%	7.7%	5.2%
Teachers/Better Teachers/More professional	6.2%	6.6%	6.3%	6.9%
Morals/Values/Ethics	4.2%	5.0%	3.8%	6.6%
Out-comes/Results (i.e. graduation, college-prep, success rate)	3.8%	3.4%	3.7%	3.0%
School Resources/Funding	3.5%	2.9%	5.1%	-
Safety/Less drugs/Violence/Bullying	3.2%	2.9%	2.8%	3.1%
Academics/Curriculum/Courses (i.e. math, arts, etc.)	2.8%	2.0%	1.7%	2.5%
Someone I know/I have attended or worked at that school	2.7%	2.6%	3.0%	2.1%
More Challenging/High standards/Integrity	2.6%	2.3%	3.0%	1.4%
Care about students	1.9%	2.2%	2.5%	1.7%
Quality/Good/Excellent	1.7%	2.3%	3.7%	0.4%

Prefer/positive mentions of private/religious schools	1.5%	0.5%	0.4%	0.8%
Environment/Culture/Community	1.4%	0.9%	1.6%	-
Reputation	1.4%	1.5%	2.2%	0.6%
Against Government involvement/less government/more private control	1.4%	1.8%	3.2%	-
Extracurricular activities/After-school programs	1.3%	0.9%	1.6%	-
Negative mentions of Public schools	1.1%	0.7%	-	1.7%
Cost/Tuition/ Affordability	1.0%	0.4%	0.7%	-
Opportunities/Choices	0.7%	1.3%	1.1%	1.5%
Parental Involvement	0.6%	0.3%	0.6%	-
More of a "Real life" environment	0.6%	-	-	-
Special Ed classes	0.6%	-	-	-
Accountability/ Responsibility	0.2%	0.4%	0.8%	-
Fewer political influences	0.2%	0.4%	-	0.9%
Socialization/Social/ Peers/Other kids/students	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	-
Variety	0.1%	0.2%	-	0.6%
Freedom/Flexibility	0.1%	0.2%	-	0.5%
No/None/Nothing	1.0%	0.9%	0.6%	1.3%
Other	7.4%	7.9%	6.6%	9.5%
Don't know/Refused	1.5%	-	-	-

17\_4. What is the most important characteristic or attribute that would cause you to choose a [INSERT SCHOOL TYPE FROM Q16] for your child? Please use one word, or a very short phrase.

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	322	183	89	94
Socialization/Social/ Peers/Other kids/students	16.4%	14.8%	17.8%	11.1%
Diversity	11.3%	15.9%	13.3%	19.1%
Teachers/Better Teachers/ More professional	10.0%	10.7%	10.7%	10.7%
Better education/Quality	8.1%	6.7%	6.6%	6.7%
Cost/Tuition/ Affordability	4.7%	5.9%	2.0%	10.6%

Prefer/Positive mentions of Public schools	4.0%	5.1%	2.1%	8.7%
Someone I know/I have attended or worked at that school	3.2%	2.9%	4.3%	1.2%
More of a "Real life" environment	2.9%	3.4%	2.3%	4.7%
Quality/Good/Excellent	2.9%	4.3%	5.6%	2.8%
Care about students	2.3%	3.9%	5.3%	2.2%
Academics/Curriculum/ Courses (i.e. math, arts, etc.)	2.2%	2.3%	1.6%	3.1%
Convenience	1.8%	2.6%	3.0%	2.2%
Discipline/Structure/ Consistency	1.7%	2.2%	3.0%	1.2%
Individual attention/One- on-One/Customized	1.6%	2.4%	3.8%	0.6%
Environment/Culture/ Community	1.5%	1.9%	2.7%	0.8%
Extracurricular activities/After-school programs	1.4%	0.9%	1.6%	-
Reputation	1.4%	0.4%	0.8%	-
School Resources/Funding	1.2%	1.1%	2.0%	-
Class size/Student- Teacher ratio	1.1%	1.6%	2.8%	-
Out-comes/Results (i.e. graduation, college-prep, success rate)	1.1%	2.0%	2.8%	1.0%
Accountability/ Responsibility	1.1%	1.4%	1.2%	1.6%
More Challenging/High standards/Integrity	1.0%	0.8%	1.5%	-
Variety	0.8%	0.8%	1.0%	0.6%
Morals/Values/Ethics	0.8%	0.9%	1.5%	-
Opportunities/Choices	0.7%	0.8%	-	1.8%
Safety/Less drugs/ Violence/Bullying	0.7%	0.8%	0.4%	1.3%
Religion/Religious reasons/Parochial	0.4%	-	-	-
Negative mentions of Charter schools	0.3%	-	-	-
Parental Involvement	0.3%	-	-	-
Special Ed classes	0.3%	0.3%	0.5%	-
Freedom/Flexibility	0.2%	-	-	-
Negative mentions of Public schools	0.2%	0.4%	0.7%	-
Fewer political influences	0.2%	0.4%	-	0.9%
Faculty/Staff/ Administration/ More professional ("Teacher" not mention)	0.2%	-	-	-

No/None/Nothing	2.5%	1.7%	2.6%	0.6%
Other	12.0%	10.1%	9.6%	10.9%
Don't know/Refused	6.0%	2.3%	2.8%	1.6%

17. What is the most important characteristic or attribute that would cause you to choose a [INSERT SCHOOL TYPE FROM Q16] for your child? Please use one word, or a very short phrase.

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>938</i>	<i>507</i>	<i>281</i>	<i>226</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>935</i>	<i>523</i>	<i>262</i>	<i>261</i>
Better education/Quality	11.6%	10.0%	7.8%	12.7%
Individual attention/One-on-One/Customized	11.3%	13.3%	13.0%	13.7%
Class size/Student-Teacher ratio	7.9%	8.0%	8.6%	7.2%
Teachers/Better Teachers/More professional	6.9%	6.9%	6.7%	7.1%
Socialization/Social/Peers/Other kids/students	5.9%	5.2%	6.3%	3.7%
Discipline/Structure/Consistency	5.2%	6.2%	5.7%	6.7%
Safety/Less drugs/Violence/Bullying	3.9%	2.9%	2.8%	3.0%
Diversity	3.8%	5.4%	4.5%	6.4%
Academics/Curriculum/Courses (i.e. math, arts, etc.)	3.6%	3.6%	2.5%	5.0%
Religion/Religious reasons/Parochial	2.8%	2.8%	3.3%	2.2%
School Resources/Funding	2.6%	2.1%	3.3%	0.6%
Cost/Tuition/Affordability	2.4%	2.8%	2.3%	3.6%
Out-comes/Results (i.e. graduation, college-prep, success rate)	2.4%	2.7%	3.3%	2.0%
Quality/Good/Excellent	2.3%	3.6%	4.7%	2.2%
Someone I know/I have attended or worked at that school	2.2%	2.1%	2.8%	1.3%
Morals/Values/Ethics	2.1%	2.6%	2.4%	2.8%
More Challenging/High standards/Integrity	1.7%	1.3%	1.8%	0.6%
Care about students	1.7%	2.3%	2.9%	1.5%
More of a "Real life" environment	1.5%	1.4%	0.8%	2.1%

Extracurricular activities/After-school programs	1.3%	1.3%	2.3%	-
Prefer/Positive mentions of Public schools	1.3%	1.7%	0.7%	2.9%
Environment/Culture/Community	1.3%	1.0%	1.6%	0.3%
Against Government involvement/less government/more private control	1.3%	1.5%	1.9%	0.9%
Negative mentions of Public schools	1.2%	1.0%	0.9%	1.1%
Reputation	1.2%	0.9%	1.5%	0.3%
Parental Involvement	1.2%	0.5%	0.3%	0.8%
Opportunities/Choices	1.1%	1.6%	1.1%	2.1%
Accountability/ Responsibility	0.8%	1.1%	1.2%	0.8%
Convenience	0.7%	1.1%	1.4%	0.7%
Special Ed classes	0.7%	0.7%	1.3%	-
Prefer/positive mentions of private/religious schools	0.6%	0.2%	0.2%	0.3%
Variety	0.5%	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%
Fewer political influences	0.5%	0.3%	-	0.7%
Freedom/Flexibility	0.3%	0.1%	-	0.2%
Prefer/positive mentions of home schooling	0.2%	0.2%	-	0.4%
Negative mentions of Charter schools	0.1%	-	-	-
Prefer/Positive mentions of Charter schools	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%	-
Faculty/Staff/ Administration/ More professional ("Teacher" not mention)	0.1%	-	-	-
No/None/Nothing	1.6%	1.0%	1.1%	0.7%
Other	9.9%	10.4%	10.8%	9.9%
Don't know/Refused	3.5%	0.9%	1.2%	0.5%

18. Based on what you know, or have heard from others... In general, do you favor or oppose "charter schools"? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat favor/oppose?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>



<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
NET: FAVOR	50.0%	49.9%	50.5%	49.1%
Strongly Favor	17.4%	18.3%	15.8%	21.3%
Somewhat Favor	32.6%	31.6%	34.8%	27.9%
NET: OPPOSE	24.4%	24.6%	26.9%	21.8%
Somewhat Oppose	14.6%	14.4%	16.1%	12.2%
Strongly Oppose	9.8%	10.2%	10.8%	9.6%
[Never Heard of Charter Schools, or DK]	23.3%	23.8%	20.3%	27.9%
[Refused]	2.2%	1.7%	2.2%	1.1%
MEAN	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.1
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

19. Charter schools are public schools that have more control over their own budget, staff, and curriculum, and are exempt from many existing public school regulations. In general, do you favor or oppose public charter schools? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat favor/oppose?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
NET: FAVOR	60.8%	60.4%	61.6%	58.9%
Strongly Favor	21.2%	21.7%	20.7%	22.9%
Somewhat Favor	39.6%	38.7%	40.9%	36.1%
NET: OPPOSE	28.8%	28.3%	29.3%	27.0%
Somewhat Oppose	18.3%	17.3%	18.7%	15.6%
Strongly Oppose	10.5%	11.0%	10.6%	11.4%
[DK]	9.9%	11.0%	8.7%	13.7%
[Refused]	0.5%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%
MEAN	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

20. Based on what you know, or have heard from others ... In general, do you favor or oppose “school vouchers”? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat favor/oppose? **[ALLOW “DK” OR “REFUSE” ON FIRST RESPONSE]**

	National	Current &	Current	Former
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		Former Parents	Parents	Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: FAVOR	37.1%	40.8%	42.3%	39.1%
Strongly Favor	17.9%	19.9%	18.6%	21.6%
Somewhat Favor	19.2%	20.9%	23.8%	17.5%
NET: OPPOSE	23.8%	24.2%	21.1%	27.9%
Somewhat Oppose	12.3%	11.9%	9.9%	14.2%
Strongly Oppose	11.5%	12.3%	11.2%	13.7%
[Never Heard of School Vouchers, or DK]	37.4%	33.9%	35.0%	32.6%
[Refused]	1.8%	1.1%	1.7%	0.4%
MEAN	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.3
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

21. A school voucher system allows parents the option of sending their child to the school of their choice, whether that school is public or private, including both religious and non-religious schools. If this policy were adopted, tax dollars currently allocated to a school district would be allocated to parents in the form of a “school voucher” to pay partial or full tuition for the child’s school. In general, do you favor or oppose a school voucher system? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat favor/oppose?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: FAVOR	61.8%	61.2%	63.5%	58.5%
Strongly Favor	28.4%	28.9%	30.4%	27.2%
Somewhat Favor	33.3%	32.3%	33.1%	31.4%
NET: OPPOSE	31.3%	33.6%	32.2%	35.4%
Somewhat Oppose	13.7%	11.1%	11.5%	10.7%
Strongly Oppose	17.6%	22.5%	20.7%	24.7%
[DK]	6.3%	4.5%	3.6%	5.6%
[Refused]	0.7%	0.6%	0.7%	0.4%
MEAN	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.4
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

22. Based on what you know, or have heard from others... In general, do you favor or oppose “education savings accounts” in K–12 education? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat favor/oppose? **[ALLOW “DK” OR “REFUSE” ON FIRST RESPONSE]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: FAVOR	44.7%	43.2%	49.9%	35.2%
Strongly Favor	20.4%	19.8%	21.7%	17.4%
Somewhat Favor	24.3%	23.4%	28.1%	17.9%
NET: OPPOSE	12.1%	13.2%	10.3%	16.5%
Somewhat Oppose	6.3%	6.6%	6.4%	6.8%
Strongly Oppose	5.8%	6.6%	4.0%	9.8%
[Never Heard of Education Savings Accounts, or DK]	41.2%	41.6%	36.6%	47.7%
[Refused]	2.0%	2.0%	3.2%	0.5%
MEAN	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.2
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

23. An "education savings account" in K–12 education – often called an ESA – establishes for parents a government-authorized savings account with restricted, but multiple uses for educational purposes. Parents can then use these funds to pay for: school tuition; tutoring; online education programs; therapies for students with special needs; textbooks or other instructional materials; or save for future college expenses. In general, do you favor or oppose an ESA system? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat favor/oppose?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: FAVOR	71.1%	72.0%	74.0%	69.5%
Strongly Favor	32.5%	33.5%	36.3%	30.1%
Somewhat Favor	38.6%	38.5%	37.8%	39.4%
NET: OPPOSE	18.9%	19.1%	20.0%	18.1%
Somewhat Oppose	10.8%	10.8%	12.8%	8.3%
Strongly Oppose	8.1%	8.4%	7.2%	9.8%

[DK]	9.5%	8.6%	6.0%	11.6%
[Refused]	0.5%	0.3%	-	0.8%
MEAN	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

24. [If Q23 = “Strongly Favor” or “Somewhat Favor”] What is the most important reason you say you **favor ESAs**? Is your main reason that such a system provides: **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	710	377	211	166
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	700	386	202	184
Access to Religious Instruction	3.6%	4.5%	5.1%	3.7%
Access to Safer Learning Environment	11.2%	9.1%	9.1%	9.2%
Access to Better Academic Environment	31.7%	29.0%	32.1%	25.1%
Focus on More Individual Attention	19.8%	21.4%	21.2%	21.6%
More Freedom and Flexibility for Parents	27.2%	31.7%	26.3%	38.4%
[Something Else/Other]	3.0%	2.0%	2.7%	1.1%
[DK]	2.7%	1.5%	2.4%	0.4%
[Refused]	0.8%	0.9%	1.2%	0.5%

**[IF NEEDED/REQUESTED, REMINDER DEFINITION OF “ESA”:** An ESA establishes for parents a government-authorized savings account with restricted, but multiple uses for educational purposes. Parents can then use these funds to pay for: school tuition; tutoring; online education programs; therapies for students with special needs; textbooks or other instructional materials; or save for future college expenses.]

25. [If Q23 = “Strongly Oppose” or “Somewhat Oppose”] What is the most important reason you say you **oppose ESAs**? Is your main reason that such a system would: **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
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<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>189</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>43</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>192</i>	<i>103</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>54</i>
Benefit Unaccountable Private Education Providers	13.2%	12.6%	16.1%	7.9%
Cause Fraudulent Behavior	19.1%	16.8%	14.1%	20.3%
Cause Student Transportation Problems	6.7%	3.9%	5.8%	1.4%
Divert Funding Away from Public Schools	33.0%	34.3%	33.4%	35.5%
Send Funding to Religious Education Providers	7.6%	8.3%	9.0%	7.3%
[Something Else/Other]	10.7%	12.4%	5.6%	21.3%
[DK]	8.6%	11.8%	16.0%	6.2%
[Refused]	1.1%	-	-	-

**[IF NEEDED/REQUESTED, REMINDER DEFINITION OF “ESA”:** An ESA establishes for parents a government-authorized savings account with restricted, but multiple uses for educational purposes. Parents can then use these funds to pay for: school tuition; tutoring; online education programs; therapies for students with special needs; textbooks or other instructional materials; or save for future college expenses.]

26-1. Split G. Some people believe that ESAs should be available to all families, regardless of incomes and special needs. Do you agree or disagree with that statement? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat agree/disagree?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>283</i>	<i>148</i>	<i>135</i>
NET: AGREE	65.7%	65.8%	69.7%	60.5%
Strongly Agree	36.6%	36.1%	40.2%	30.6%
Somewhat Agree	29.1%	29.7%	29.5%	29.9%
NET: DISAGREE	25.6%	27.9%	28.0%	27.9%
Somewhat Disagree	13.6%	15.3%	16.8%	13.3%
Strongly Disagree	12.0%	12.6%	11.1%	14.6%
[DK]	8.0%	5.5%	2.3%	9.7%
[Refused]	0.7%	0.8%	-	1.9%
MEAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

26-2. Split H. Some people believe that **ESAs** should only be available to families based on financial need. Do you agree or disagree with that statement? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat agree/disagree?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>261</i>	<i>121</i>	<i>140</i>
NET: AGREE	46.7%	43.3%	48.2%	38.2%
Strongly Agree	19.9%	18.1%	23.7%	12.2%
Somewhat Agree	26.8%	25.3%	24.5%	26.0%
NET: DISAGREE	43.0%	47.7%	46.7%	48.7%
Somewhat Disagree	19.6%	20.0%	19.9%	20.1%
Strongly Disagree	23.5%	27.7%	26.8%	28.5%
[DK]	10.1%	8.6%	5.1%	12.3%
[Refused]	0.2%	0.4%	-	0.9%
MEAN	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.7
MEDIAN	2.0	3.0	2.0	3.0

26-COM. Some people believe that ESAs should be available to all families, regardless of incomes and special needs. Do you agree or disagree with that statement? Some people believe that ESAs should only be available to families based on financial need. Do you agree or disagree with that statement? **[PROBE]** Would you say strongly or somewhat agree/disagree?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
NET: AGREE	56.2%	54.9%	59.8%	48.9%
Strongly Agree	28.2%	27.3%	32.6%	21.0%
Somewhat Agree	27.9%	27.5%	27.2%	27.9%
NET: DISAGREE	34.3%	37.5%	36.6%	38.7%
Somewhat Disagree	16.6%	17.6%	18.3%	16.9%
Strongly Disagree	17.7%	19.9%	18.3%	21.8%
[DK]	9.0%	7.0%	3.6%	11.0%
[Refused]	0.5%	0.6%	-	1.4%

MEAN	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.5
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

27. A tax credit allows an individual or business to reduce the final amount of a tax owed to government. In a “tax-credit scholarship system,” a government gives tax credits to individuals or businesses if they contribute money to nonprofit organizations that distribute private school scholarships. [ ] A nonprofit organization gives a scholarship to a qualifying student who would like to enroll in a private school of their choice, including both religious and non-religious schools. The student’s parent then uses the scholarship to pay partial or full tuition for the chosen private school. In general, do you favor or oppose a tax-credit scholarship system? **[PROBE:]** Would you say strongly or somewhat favor/oppose?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
NET: AGREE	62.0%	60.3%	61.5%	58.8%
Strongly Favor	22.7%	22.9%	24.9%	20.5%
Somewhat Favor	39.3%	37.4%	36.6%	38.3%
NET: DISAGREE	25.8%	27.9%	28.5%	27.3%
Somewhat Oppose	14.6%	14.0%	17.3%	10.1%
Strongly Oppose	11.2%	13.9%	11.2%	17.2%
[DK]	11.7%	11.5%	10.0%	13.2%
[Refused]	0.5%	0.3%	-	0.7%
MEAN	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3
MEDIAN	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0

**“For the next several questions, we want to ask for your opinions on the roles and responsibilities of the United States federal government...”**

28. Would you say you follow what’s going on in government and public affairs **[READ]?**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>

NET: ALWAYS/SOME OF THE TIME	74.7%	78.4%	76.0%	81.2%
Always or most of the time	38.2%	41.5%	39.0%	44.5%
Some of the time	36.6%	36.9%	37.1%	36.8%
NET: ONLY NOW AND THEN/ NEVER	19.7%	18.9%	20.4%	17.1%
Only now and then	16.8%	16.2%	17.7%	14.4%
Never	2.9%	2.7%	2.7%	2.8%
[DK]	4.2%	2.0%	2.2%	1.6%
[Refused]	1.4%	0.7%	1.3%	-

29. How much of the time do you think you can trust the U.S. federal government in Washington D.C. to do what is right **[READ]**?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
NET: ALWAYS/SOME OF THE TIME	41.6%	39.2%	40.0%	38.2%
Always or most of the time	10.1%	8.6%	9.5%	7.6%
Some of the time	31.4%	30.5%	30.5%	30.6%
NET: ONLY NOW AND THEN/ NEVER	53.2%	58.5%	57.4%	59.8%
Only now and then	34.0%	37.3%	35.0%	40.1%
Never	19.2%	21.2%	22.4%	19.7%
[DK]	4.4%	2.3%	2.6%	2.0%
[Refused]	0.9%	-	-	-

30. For each of the following areas, please tell me how much of a role, if any, the federal government should play.

Should the **federal government** play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all **[INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]**? How about **[INSERT ITEM]**?  
**[PROBE IF NECESSARY: Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all [ITEM]??]**

30\_1. Civil Rights - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Civil Rights?



	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	64.5%	66.1%	70.2%	61.6%
Minor role	23.5%	23.7%	18.3%	29.6%
No role at all	6.9%	5.5%	7.8%	3.1%
[DK]	3.6%	3.7%	3.7%	3.7%
[Refused]	1.5%	1.0%	-	2.1%

30\_2. Economy - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Economy?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	62.0%	65.3%	61.1%	70.8%
Minor role	25.7%	22.9%	24.1%	21.3%
No role at all	6.4%	8.3%	9.5%	6.7%
[DK]	4.3%	3.5%	5.3%	1.2%
[Refused]	1.6%	-	-	-

30\_3. Elderly Care [such as Social Security and Medicare] - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Elderly Care [such as Social Security and Medicare]?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	63.0%	61.0%	61.1%	61.0%
Minor role	24.8%	26.2%	23.3%	29.4%
No role at all	8.0%	8.2%	7.5%	9.0%
[DK]	3.1%	3.5%	6.1%	0.6%
[Refused]	1.1%	1.1%	2.0%	-

30\_4. Energy - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Energy?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	57.6%	58.2%	57.4%	59.1%
Minor role	28.7%	28.0%	25.6%	31.1%
No role at all	6.8%	8.5%	11.7%	4.5%
[DK]	5.8%	5.0%	4.7%	5.3%
[Refused]	1.2%	0.3%	0.6%	-

30\_5. Environment - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Environment?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	59.6%	56.4%	59.9%	52.6%
Minor role	28.9%	30.8%	23.8%	38.6%
No role at all	7.0%	9.3%	11.9%	6.3%
[DK]	3.9%	2.4%	2.2%	2.6%
[Refused]	0.7%	1.2%	2.2%	-

30\_6. Food and Medicine Safety - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Food and Medicine Safety?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	69.8%	70.1%	62.2%	80.2%
Minor role	20.8%	21.8%	27.2%	14.7%
No role at all	3.9%	5.0%	6.6%	2.9%
[DK]	4.5%	3.2%	4.0%	2.1%
[Refused]	1.0%	-	-	-

30\_7. Healthcare [such as Obamacare, or Affordable Care Act] - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Healthcare [such as Obamacare, or Affordable Care Act]?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	56.3%	52.1%	56.3%	47.5%
Minor role	23.1%	24.1%	16.9%	32.1%
No role at all	15.4%	17.4%	20.3%	14.1%
[DK]	4.3%	5.4%	4.5%	6.4%
[Refused]	0.9%	1.1%	2.0%	-

30\_8. Higher Education [College] - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Higher Education [College]?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	40.7%	44.4%	48.8%	38.8%
Minor role	36.8%	33.7%	28.8%	40.1%
No role at all	15.2%	17.7%	18.4%	16.7%
[DK]	5.8%	4.2%	4.0%	4.5%
[Refused]	1.5%	-	-	-

30\_9. Immigration - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Immigration?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	70.5%	72.2%	72.4%	72.0%
Minor role	17.1%	15.5%	12.0%	19.3%
No role at all	5.8%	5.9%	6.2%	5.6%
[DK]	5.1%	5.0%	6.6%	3.1%
[Refused]	1.5%	1.5%	2.8%	-

30\_10. Infrastructure [such as Roads and Bridges] - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Infrastructure [such as Roads and Bridges]?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	66.3%	68.0%	65.1%	71.8%
Minor role	23.1%	23.2%	25.6%	20.1%
No role at all	5.0%	5.5%	5.1%	6.2%
[DK]	4.3%	3.2%	4.3%	1.9%
[Refused]	1.2%	-	-	-

30\_11. K-12 Education - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in K-12 Education?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	46.7%	43.7%	55.2%	30.9%
Minor role	33.2%	32.0%	23.5%	41.4%
No role at all	15.2%	18.6%	19.8%	17.3%
[DK]	4.5%	5.7%	1.5%	10.3%
[Refused]	0.3%	-	-	-

30\_12. Manufacturing and Technology - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Manufacturing and Technology?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	36.3%	38.9%	37.3%	40.9%
Minor role	44.3%	40.8%	41.1%	40.4%
No role at all	13.6%	16.5%	16.8%	16.1%
[DK]	4.5%	3.8%	4.7%	2.7%

[Refused]	1.2%	-	-	-
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30\_13. National Security/Defense - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in National Security/Defense?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	82.5%	86.5%	81.4%	92.1%
Minor role	12.3%	10.7%	13.8%	7.2%
No role at all	2.5%	1.5%	2.2%	0.7%
[DK]	2.3%	1.4%	2.7%	-
[Refused]	0.4%	-	-	-

30\_14. Natural Disasters - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Natural Disasters?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	78.2%	79.9%	76.9%	83.7%
Minor role	12.9%	14.3%	16.3%	11.7%
No role at all	2.3%	2.2%	2.9%	1.2%
[DK]	4.9%	3.6%	3.9%	3.4%
[Refused]	1.6%	-	-	-

30\_15. Poverty [such as Medicaid, Food Stamps] - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Poverty [such as Medicaid, Food Stamps]?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	61.9%	60.0%	60.1%	59.9%
Minor role	24.6%	26.0%	21.2%	31.2%
No role at all	8.0%	8.4%	12.0%	4.4%

[DK]	4.7%	5.2%	5.9%	4.5%
[Refused]	0.8%	0.4%	0.8%	-

30\_16. Space Exploration [NASA] - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Space Exploration [NASA]?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>281</i>	<i>147</i>	<i>134</i>
Major role	47.6%	48.2%	38.9%	60.3%
Minor role	34.1%	32.4%	40.7%	21.7%
No role at all	9.9%	12.4%	12.5%	12.3%
[DK]	6.8%	6.6%	7.9%	4.9%
[Refused]	1.6%	0.4%	-	0.8%

30\_17. Terrorism - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Terrorism?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>263</i>	<i>122</i>	<i>141</i>
Major role	82.2%	86.5%	81.2%	92.4%
Minor role	10.1%	9.8%	13.7%	5.6%
No role at all	3.9%	1.8%	2.9%	0.7%
[DK]	3.1%	1.5%	2.3%	0.7%
[Refused]	0.7%	0.3%	-	0.7%

30\_18. Workplace Safety - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Workplace Safety?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>281</i>	<i>147</i>	<i>134</i>
Major role	52.7%	54.4%	51.7%	57.9%
Minor role	32.0%	30.3%	29.2%	31.7%

No role at all	9.9%	11.9%	13.9%	9.3%
[DK]	4.0%	3.4%	5.2%	1.1%
[Refused]	1.4%	-	-	-

31. Now we have a few items about the federal government's role in K–12 Education... For each of the following areas, please tell me how much of a role, if any, the federal government should play.

Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all **[INSERT ITEM; RANDOMIZE]**? How about **[INSERT ITEM]**?

**[PROBE IF NECESSARY: Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all [ITEM]?**

31\_1. Ensure that students' civil rights are protected - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Ensure that students' civil rights are protected?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	65.9%	64.5%	65.4%	63.4%
Minor role	22.1%	24.6%	22.0%	27.4%
No role at all	6.6%	7.4%	9.7%	4.7%
[DK]	3.8%	2.7%	2.0%	3.4%
[Refused]	1.5%	0.9%	0.8%	1.1%

31\_2. Provide funding so low-income students can access a quality education - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Provide funding so low-income students can access a quality education?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	60.7%	59.1%	61.3%	56.1%
Minor role	27.6%	29.2%	28.6%	29.8%

No role at all	6.7%	7.6%	6.5%	9.0%
[DK]	3.6%	3.8%	3.5%	4.1%
[Refused]	1.4%	0.4%	-	1.0%

31\_3. Provide funding so all students can access a quality education - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Provide funding so all students can access a quality education?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>263</i>	<i>122</i>	<i>141</i>
Major role	64.1%	61.3%	60.0%	62.7%
Minor role	22.4%	26.7%	24.2%	29.3%
No role at all	7.9%	7.5%	10.3%	4.3%
[DK]	4.9%	4.1%	5.4%	2.7%
[Refused]	0.7%	0.5%	-	1.1%

31\_4. Provide funding so students with disabilities can access a quality education - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Provide funding so students with disabilities can access a quality education?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>281</i>	<i>147</i>	<i>134</i>
Major role	68.3%	67.7%	67.9%	67.5%
Minor role	19.9%	21.4%	19.3%	24.2%
No role at all	6.3%	7.6%	8.9%	5.9%
[DK]	3.8%	2.8%	3.8%	1.5%
[Refused]	1.6%	0.4%	-	1.0%

31\_5. Provide funding so students in U.S. military families can access a quality education - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Provide funding so students in U.S. military families can access a quality education?

	National	Current & Former	Current Parents	Former Parents
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		Parents		
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	71.8%	73.2%	68.6%	78.2%
Minor role	18.5%	15.2%	14.7%	15.6%
No role at all	4.2%	6.3%	10.4%	1.6%
[DK]	4.9%	4.9%	6.2%	3.5%
[Refused]	0.7%	0.5%	-	1.1%

31\_6. Provide funding for education research and data collection that can inform policymakers and the public - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Provide funding for education research and data collection that can inform policymakers and the public?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	48.4%	48.3%	48.3%	48.3%
Minor role	34.0%	33.5%	36.2%	30.1%
No role at all	9.4%	11.3%	9.2%	14.1%
[DK]	6.6%	5.9%	5.4%	6.6%
[Refused]	1.5%	1.0%	1.0%	1.0%

31\_7. Provide funding to local and state education agencies - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Provide funding to local and state education agencies?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	263	122	141
Major role	59.7%	58.8%	63.8%	53.2%
Minor role	29.5%	32.0%	26.3%	38.3%
No role at all	5.9%	5.8%	7.5%	3.9%
[DK]	4.0%	2.9%	2.4%	3.5%
[Refused]	0.9%	0.5%	-	1.1%

31\_8. Regulate schools, districts, and state education agencies - Should the federal government play a major role, a minor role, or no role at all in Regulate schools, districts, and state education agencies?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	500	281	147	134
Major role	37.2%	40.2%	44.5%	34.8%
Minor role	39.5%	37.5%	32.9%	43.6%
No role at all	16.9%	18.5%	18.6%	18.4%
[DK]	4.7%	3.1%	4.1%	1.8%
[Refused]	1.6%	0.6%	-	1.4%

**“Now the following questions should be pretty easy, and for statistical purposes only...”**

32. Generally speaking, do you usually consider yourself a Republican, a Democrat, an Independent, or something else?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
Democrat	34.6%	34.7%	32.4%	37.5%
Republican	24.5%	27.5%	26.3%	28.8%
Independent	27.8%	27.0%	28.1%	25.7%
[Libertarian]	1.5%	0.5%	0.8%	-
[Other]	4.7%	4.1%	4.1%	4.2%
[DK]	4.5%	3.9%	5.4%	2.1%
[Refused]	2.4%	2.4%	2.9%	1.7%

33. How would you best describe where you live? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
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<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
Urban	23.5%	24.4%	25.2%	23.4%
Suburban	39.4%	38.2%	41.3%	34.5%
NET: SMALL TOWN/RURAL	36.2%	37.1%	33.4%	41.6%
Small Town	21.2%	22.3%	19.6%	25.6%
Rural	15.0%	14.8%	13.8%	16.0%
[DK]	0.6%	0.1%	-	0.2%
[Refused]	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.4%

34. What is your age? **[RECORD #]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: 18 - 34	30.9%	16.7%	30.6%	-
18 - 24	13.1%	3.4%	6.3%	-
25 - 34	17.9%	13.2%	24.3%	-
NET: 35 - 54	34.5%	42.9%	59.9%	22.6%
35 - 44	16.5%	22.7%	39.1%	3.2%
45 - 54	18.0%	20.2%	20.8%	19.4%
NET: 55+	33.7%	39.4%	8.7%	76.1%
55 - 64	15.8%	21.4%	6.3%	39.5%
65+	17.9%	17.9%	2.4%	36.6%
REFUSED	0.9%	1.0%	0.8%	1.3%
NET: MILLENNIAL	36.3%	24.2%	44.1%	0.5%
NET: GEN X	24.7%	31.2%	44.6%	15.3%
NET: BABY BOOMER	29.5%	34.6%	9.7%	64.4%
NET: SILENT	7.3%	8.6%	0.8%	17.9%
MEAN	46.5	50.1	39.8	62.4
MEDIAN	46.0	50.0	39.0	62.0

35. Are you, yourself, of Hispanic or Latino origin, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Spanish background?

	National	Current &	Current	Former
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		Former Parents	Parents	Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
Yes	15.4%	16.6%	23.7%	8.1%
No	84.2%	83.2%	76.2%	91.7%
[DK]	0.2%	-	-	-
[Refused]	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%

36. Which of the following best describes your race? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
Asian [or Pacific Islander]	5.4%	3.5%	5.3%	1.4%
Black [or African American]	12.1%	11.7%	13.1%	9.9%
Mixed Race	4.7%	6.2%	6.4%	5.8%
Native American [or American Indian]	1.2%	1.5%	1.6%	1.3%
White	74.5%	74.7%	70.9%	79.2%
[Other]:	1.6%	2.1%	2.3%	1.8%
[DK]	0.2%	*%	-	*%
[Refused]	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.6%

37. What is the last grade or class that you completed in school? **[DO NOT READ CATEGORIES. CODE BASED ON OPEN RESPONSE.]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	1000	524	286	238
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	1000	544	269	275
NET: LESS THAN COLLEGE GRAD	63.6%	65.0%	64.2%	66.0%
NET: LESS THAN HS	4.4%	4.4%	4.5%	4.4%
8th Grade or Less	0.6%	0.4%	0.5%	0.2%
Some High School [Grades 9-11]	3.7%	4.1%	4.0%	4.1%

High school Graduate [Grade 12 or GED Certificate]	28.0%	26.1%	26.3%	25.8%
NET: SOME COLLEGE	31.2%	34.5%	33.4%	35.9%
Technical, Trade, or Vocational School [AFTER High School]	6.5%	7.9%	6.0%	10.2%
Some College [Associate's Degree, No 4-Yr Degree]	24.6%	26.6%	27.4%	25.7%
NET: COLLEGE GRAD OR MORE	36.0%	34.8%	35.8%	33.6%
College Graduate [Bachelor's Degree., or Other 4-Yr Degree]	23.5%	21.5%	24.4%	18.0%
Post-Graduate Training or Professional Schooling After College [e.g., Toward a Master's Degree or Ph.D.; Law or Medical School]	12.4%	13.4%	11.5%	15.6%
[DK]	0.1%	-	-	-
[Refused]	0.4%	0.2%	-	0.4%

38. Please stop me when I read the category that best describes your current annual household income, before taxes? **[READ LIST]**

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>524</i>	<i>286</i>	<i>238</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>544</i>	<i>269</i>	<i>275</i>
NET: LESS THAN \$40,000	38.4%	34.2%	30.6%	38.5%
Less than \$20,000	17.4%	13.9%	13.6%	14.2%
\$20,000 to less than \$40,000	21.0%	20.4%	17.0%	24.3%
NET: \$40,000 to less than \$80,000	30.1%	29.5%	30.8%	27.9%
\$40,000 to less than \$60,000	16.9%	16.9%	17.5%	16.3%
\$60,000 to less than \$80,000	13.2%	12.6%	13.4%	11.6%
NET: \$80,000 OR MORE	25.8%	30.3%	35.5%	24.1%
\$80,000 to less than \$100,000	10.9%	12.0%	14.4%	9.0%
\$100,000 to less than \$150,000	9.1%	11.6%	12.0%	11.1%
\$150,000 or more	5.8%	6.7%	9.1%	3.9%
DK	1.3%	1.4%	0.8%	2.2%
Refused	4.4%	4.5%	2.2%	7.3%

LL1. Now thinking about your phone usage, do you have a working cell phone?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	355	213	59	154
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	402	254	69	185
Yes	71.7%	75.2%	84.8%	71.5%
No	25.9%	23.1%	15.2%	26.1%
[DO NOT READ] DON'T KNOW/ REFUSED	2.4%	1.7%	-	2.4%

LL2. Does someone else in your household have a working cell phone?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	100	53	9	44
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	60	34	8	26
Yes	13.4%	15.7%	41.6%	10.4%
No	83.5%	80.4%	58.4%	84.8%
[DO NOT READ] DON'T KNOW/ REFUSED	3.1%	4.0%	-	4.8%

CC. Now thinking about your phone usage, do you have a working home phone?

	National	Current & Former Parents	Current Parents	Former Parents
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	644	311	227	84
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	598	290	200	90
Yes	41.3%	43.8%	42.7%	46.8%
No	57.9%	55.6%	56.4%	53.2%
[DO NOT READ] DON'T KNOW/ REFUSED	0.8%	0.7%	0.9%	-

PP. Of all the phone calls you and your household receive, are...?

	National	Current & Former	Current Parents	Former Parents
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		Parents		
<i>TOTAL ANSWERING</i>	<i>535</i>	<i>305</i>	<i>150</i>	<i>154</i>
<i>UNWEIGHTED BASE</i>	<i>652</i>	<i>381</i>	<i>165</i>	<i>216</i>
All or most calls received on your cell phone	36.7%	36.8%	49.6%	24.3%
Some calls received on your cell phone and some on your home phone, or	40.4%	45.2%	43.8%	46.4%
Very few or no calls received on your cell phone?	22.4%	17.7%	6.6%	28.6%
[DO NOT READ] DON'T KNOW/REFUSED	0.6%	0.3%	-	0.7%

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