

Sample 2,143 Adults

Conducted September 6-10, 2019

Margin of Error  $\pm 2.2\%$ 

#### 2. How important are each of these issues to you personally?

	Very	Somewhat	Not too	Not at all
Economy and jobs	57%	32%	7%	4%
Gun policy	55%	27%	11%	7%
Health care	65%	24%	7%	4%
Immigration	49%	30%	14%	7%
Climate change	45%	25%	13%	17%

#### 20. Which comes closest to your view about your vote for president next year?

I will only vote for a candidate who shares my views on climate change	22%
A candidate's position on climate change is one of many factors I will consider	47%
I will not be considering a candidate's position on climate change all that much	31%

#### 21. Which comes closest to how you feel about the Green New Deal?

It's a good plan and what's needed to address climate change	15%
It has some good and bad things in it, but it could start discussions about climate change	26%
It's a bad plan and not what's needed to address climate change	24%
Haven't heard enough about it	35%

22. Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Democratic Party or Republican Party is more likely to do a better job on the environment?

Democratic Party	58%
Republican Party	42%

#### 23. How would rate the job Donald Trump is doing on the issue of the environment?

Excellent	. 16%
Good	. 20%
Fair	.16%
Poor	.47%



32. Do you approve or disapprove of how the Trump Administration is handling the response to Hurricane Dor	rian?
Strongly approve	
Somewhat approve	
Somewhat disapprove19%	
Strongly disapprove	



**2A.** Personal Issues — Economy and jobs How important are each of these issues to you personally?

		Ge	nder		Age	group	Race (3 categories)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very	57%	57%	57%	40%	57%	66%	58%	58%	63%	53%
Somewhat	32%	31%	33%	40%	32%	28%	32%	34%	23%	32%
Not too	7%	7%	7%	13%	7%	4%	8%	6%	9%	9%
Not at all	4%	5%	2%	7%	4%	2%	2%	2%	4%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,085)	(1,006)	(1,079)	(432)	(519)	(714)	(421)	(1,350)	(253)	(315)

		Party ID				ldeolog	у	Family Income (3 categories)		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k
Very	57%	61%	55%	58%	53%	56%	63%	57%	55%	56%
Somewhat	32%	34%	33%	30%	40%	31%	27%	31%	37%	32%
Not too	7%	4%	9%	9%	6%	7%	9%	8%	6%	9%
Not at all	4%	1%	3%	3%	1%	6%	1%	4%	2%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,085)	(707)	(642)	(523)	(578)	(879)	(614)	(988)	(496)	(358)



**2B. Personal Issues** — **Gun policy** How important are each of these issues to you personally?

		Gender			Age	group	Race (3 categories)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very	55%	51%	59%	44%	56%	57%	64%	55%	63%	50%
Somewhat	27%	27%	27%	33%	30%	24%	19%	26%	24%	29%
Not too	11%	13%	9%	15%	9%	11%	11%	11%	6%	16%
Not at all	7%	9%	5%	8%	5%	8%	6%	7%	6%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,089)	(1,010)	(1,079)	(434)	(518)	(715)	(421)	(1,352)	(254)	(316)

		Party ID				ldeolog	у	Family Income (3 categories)		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k
Very	55%	68%	47%	51%	67%	48%	55%	55%	54%	54%
Somewhat	27%	23%	30%	28%	23%	30%	24%	27%	27%	28%
Not too	11%	7%	13%	14%	8%	12%	13%	11%	12%	10%
Not at all	7%	2%	10%	7%	2%	10%	8%	7%	7%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,089)	(706)	(641)	(526)	(579)	(883)	(613)	(988)	(498)	(359)



2C. Personal Issues — Health care

How important are each of these issues to you personally?

		Ge	nder		Age (	group	Race (3 categories)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very	65%	60%	70%	46%	66%	70%	75%	66%	73%	60%
Somewhat	24%	27%	22%	34%	26%	21%	19%	26%	18%	24%
Not too	7%	9%	5%	12%	5%	6%	5%	6%	4%	11%
Not at all	4%	4%	3%	8%	3%	3%	1%	2%	5%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,082)	(1,007)	(1,075)	(433)	(514)	(713)	(421)	(1,348)	(254)	(314)

		Party ID				ldeolog	у	Family Income (3 categories)		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k
Very	65%	82%	58%	54%	79%	65%	54%	67%	68%	56%
Somewhat	24%	14%	29%	33%	17%	23%	33%	22%	24%	31%
Not too	7%	2%	9%	10%	3%	7%	10%	7%	6%	8%
Not at all	4%	2%	4%	3%	1%	5%	3%	4%	2%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,082)	(705)	(642)	(522)	(577)	(876)	(615)	(988)	(494)	(356)



**2D. Personal Issues** — **Immigration**How important are each of these issues to you personally?

		Gender Age group					Race (3 categories)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very	49%	51%	47%	34%	45%	53%	64%	52%	40%	49%
Somewhat	30%	28%	32%	37%	30%	29%	25%	29%	34%	28%
Not too	14%	14%	14%	19%	16%	11%	9%	13%	14%	16%
Not at all	7%	7%	7%	9%	9%	7%	2%	5%	12%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,088)	(1,009)	(1,079)	(435)	(520)	(714)	(419)	(1,351)	(254)	(317)

			Party ID	ID Ideology				Family I	ncome (3 categories)			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k		
Very	49%	43%	52%	62%	45%	38%	70%	46%	51%	52%		
Somewhat	30%	35%	27%	24%	33%	35%	20%	31%	31%	29%		
Not too	14%	16%	15%	9%	15%	17%	7%	15%	13%	12%		
Not at all	7%	6%	6%	4%	7%	10%	3%	8%	5%	6%		
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%		
Weighted N	(2,088)	(704)	(644)	(524)	(577)	(882)	(613)	(990)	(491)	(359)		



**2E. Personal Issues** — **Climate change**How important are each of these issues to you personally?

		Ge	nder		Age	group		Race (3 categories)		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Very	45%	42%	48%	47%	51%	41%	42%	42%	52%	54%
Somewhat	25%	22%	28%	30%	28%	23%	19%	25%	28%	22%
Not too	13%	14%	12%	12%	11%	13%	15%	14%	10%	12%
Not at all	17%	22%	12%	11%	10%	23%	24%	19%	10%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,083)	(1,007)	(1,076)	(432)	(515)	(713)	(421)	(1,349)	(255)	(311)

			Party ID			ldeolog	у	Family Income (3 categories)			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k	
Very	45%	72%	39%	20%	76%	43%	20%	47%	44%	47%	
Somewhat	25%	20%	25%	28%	15%	32%	22%	27%	24%	18%	
Not too	13%	6%	13%	21%	6%	13%	19%	12%	13%	13%	
Not at all	17%	2%	23%	31%	3%	12%	39%	14%	19%	22%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,083)	(705)	(642)	(523)	(579)	(878)	(612)	(986)	(494)	(359)	



20. Climate Change and Presidential Vote
Which comes closest to your view about your vote for president next year?

		Ge	nder		Age	group		Rad	ce (3 catego	ories)
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
I will only vote for a candidate who shares my views on climate change	22%	23%	20%	24%	22%	20%	21%	21%	19%	26%
A candidate's position on climate change is one of many factors I will consider	47%	45%	49%	49%	49%	45%	44%	45%	55%	47%
I will not be considering a candidate's position on climate change all that much	31%	32%	31%	26%	29%	35%	34%	34%	26%	27%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,061)	(1,002)	(1,059)	(424)	(510)	(712)	(415)	(1,337)	(248)	(313)

			Party ID			Ideolog	ıy .	Family Income (3 categories)		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k
I will only vote for a candidate who shares my views on climate change	22%	27%	19%	17%	31%	18%	19%	21%	21%	26%
A candidate's position on climate change is one of many factors I will consider	47%	60%	46%	36%	59%	50%	31%	47%	49%	47%
I will not be considering a candidate's position on climate change all that much	31%	13%	35%	47%	10%	32%	50%	32%	30%	27%
Totals Weighted N	100% (2,061)	100% (701)	100% (638)	100% (518)	100% (575)	100% (864)	100% (615)	100% (983)	100% (488)	100% (354)



**21. Green New Deal**Which comes closest to how you feel about the Green New Deal?

		Ge	nder		Age	group		Rad	ce (3 catego	ories)
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
It's a good plan and what's needed to address climate change	15%	18%	13%	20%	20%	13%	9%	13%	20%	21%
It has some good and bad things in it, but it could start discussions about climate change	26%	26%	25%	32%	27%	24%	21%	24%	30%	30%
It's a bad plan and not what's needed to address climate change	24%	32%	17%	16%	14%	29%	38%	29%	9%	14%
Haven't heard enough about it	35%	24%	45%	32%	39%	34%	32%	34%	41%	35%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,078)	(1,014)	(1,064)	(429)	(517)	(711)	(421)	(1,345)	(251)	(317)

	Party ID Ideology				ıy	Family Income (3 categories)				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k
It's a good plan and what's needed to address climate change	15%	25%	12%	9%	31%	11%	7%	13%	17%	22%
It has some good and bad things in it, but it could start discussions about climate change	26%	36%	23%	21%	37%	24%	18%	25%	28%	30%
It's a bad plan and not what's needed to address climate change	24%	6%	33%	46%	7%	15%	54%	19%	27%	31%
Haven't heard enough about it	35%	33%	32%	24%	25%	50%	21%	42%	28%	17%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,078)	(703)	(642)	(524)	(575)	(877)	(619)	(984)	(493)	(359)



22. Better Party on the Environment

Regardless of how you usually vote, do you think the Democratic Party or Republican Party is more likely to do a better job on the environment?

		Ge	ender		Age	group		Rad	ce (3 catego	ories)
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Democratic Party	58%	53%	63%	66%	63%	55%	50%	51%	76%	72%
Republican Party	42%	47%	37%	34%	37%	45%	50%	49%	24%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,000)	(976)	(1,025)	(410)	(500)	(695)	(396)	(1,291)	(245)	(305)

			Party ID			Ideolog	ЗУ	Family Ir	Family Income (3 categories)		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k	
Democratic Party	58%	95%	52%	15%	88%	62%	24%	61%	57%	53%	
Republican Party	42%	5%	48%	85%	12%	38%	76%	39%	43%	47%	
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Weighted N	(2,000)	(703)	(601)	(520)	(572)	(814)	(607)	(939)	(482)	(349)	



23. Trump Job Approval on the Environment
How would rate the job Donald Trump is doing on the issue of the environment?

		Gei		Age (	group	Race (3 categories)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Excellent	16%	20%	12%	8%	15%	17%	24%	19%	5%	9%
Good	20%	22%	19%	20%	19%	22%	19%	22%	17%	19%
Fair	16%	15%	18%	23%	20%	13%	10%	15%	18%	19%
Poor	47%	43%	51%	49%	46%	48%	46%	44%	60%	53%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,068)	(1,004)	(1,064)	(427)	(517)	(712)	(412)	(1,340)	(249)	(317)

			Party ID			ldeolog	у	Family Income (3 categories)		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k
Excellent	16%	4%	17%	35%	5%	9%	37%	11%	16%	24%
Good	20%	7%	21%	41%	7%	19%	34%	19%	23%	25%
Fair	16%	10%	20%	16%	10%	21%	15%	20%	13%	12%
Poor	47%	79%	42%	8%	78%	51%	14%	50%	48%	39%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,068)	(706)	(634)	(524)	(576)	(865)	(616)	(980)	(492)	(356)



**32. Trump Administration Approval on Hurricane Dorian**Do you approve or disapprove of how the Trump Administration is handling the response to Hurricane Dorian?

		Gender			Age (	group	Race (3 categories)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Strongly approve	24%	29%	20%	9%	19%	29%	38%	31%	7%	11%
Somewhat approve	26%	26%	27%	32%	29%	26%	18%	26%	24%	32%
Somewhat disapprove	19%	18%	21%	31%	22%	14%	15%	17%	29%	23%
Strongly disapprove	30%	27%	32%	28%	30%	31%	29%	26%	40%	34%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,046)	(1,000)	(1,045)	(423)	(508)	(704)	(411)	(1,327)	(247)	(312)

		Party ID			ldeology			Family Income (3 categories)		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative	Under \$50k	\$50-100k	Over \$100k
Strongly approve	24%	4%	27%	54%	5%	15%	56%	18%	27%	35%
Somewhat approve	26%	18%	30%	32%	14%	33%	28%	31%	23%	19%
Somewhat disapprove	19%	23%	19%	10%	23%	25%	9%	21%	21%	16%
Strongly disapprove	30%	55%	24%	4%	58%	27%	7%	30%	28%	30%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,046)	(701)	(626)	(522)	(576)	(845)	(619)	(969)	(484)	(357)

# HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED AND THE MARGIN OF ERROR CALCULATED

#### September 15, 2019

The CBS News survey is conducted by YouGov using a nationally representative sample of 2,143 U.S. residents interviewed online between September 6-10, 2019.

This sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, and education based on the American Community Survey, conducted by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, as well as 2016 Presidential vote and registration status. Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in panel to be representative of all U.S residents. The weights range from 0.2 to 2.2, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.3.

The margin of error (a 95% confidence interval) for a sample percentage p based upon the entire sample is approximately 2.2%. It is calculated using the formula

$$\hat{p} \pm 100 \times \sqrt{\frac{1 + \mathsf{CV}^2}{n}}$$

where CV is the coefficient of variation of the sample weights and n is the sample size used to compute the proportion. This is a measure of sampling error (the average of all estimates obtained using the same sample selection and weighting procedures repeatedly). The sample estimate should differ from its expected value by less than margin of error in 95 percent of all samples. It does not reflect non-sampling errors, including potential selection bias in panel participation or in response to a particular survey.