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**Survey of Young Americans' Attitudes toward Politics and Public Service**  
**48th Edition: September 4 – 16, 2024**  
**N=2,002 18- to- 29-Year-Olds in English and Spanish**  
**Margin of Error: +/-2.65% at the 95% Level**

1. With regard to school, are you currently enrolled at any of the following?

High school .....	4%
Trade/Vocational school .....	2%
2-year or junior college or community college .....	8%
4-year college/university .....	21%
Graduate school.....	5%
Business or professional school (law, medicine, etc.) .....	2%
Not enrolled in a college/university, but taking at least one course .....	1%
Not currently enrolled in any of these.....	58%
Refused.....	1%

**[If respondent is currently enrolled in a 4-year college or university, ask Q2]**

2. In which year of college are you? (n=317)

First year student/Freshman .....	26%
Second year student/Sophomore .....	23%
Third year student/Junior .....	21%
Fourth year student/Senior .....	23%
Fifth year student or higher .....	6%
Refused.....	1%

3. We understand that plenty of young people are not registered to vote, but we are wondering if you are registered to vote?

Yes.....	75%
No .....	20%
Don't know.....	4%
Refused.....	1%

The following questions are about registration and voting...

**[If respondent was over 18 on November 3, 2020, ask Q4 – Q6]**

4. Which of the following statements best describes your voter registration status for the last presidential election held on November 3rd, 2020? (n=1,522)

I was registered .....	73%
I thought about registering, but didn't.....	2%
I tried to register, but was unable to .....	1%
I was not registered to vote on November 3, 2020 .....	18%
Not sure .....	6%
Refused.....	1%

5. **[Split Sample A]** Which of the following statements best describes your voting in the last presidential election held on November 3rd, 2020? (n=756)

I voted at a polling place .....	34%
I voted early.....	8%
I voted by mail / absentee ballot .....	26%
I planned on voting but wasn't able to .....	2%
I did not vote in this election.....	28%
I went to the polling place but wasn't allowed to vote .....	1%
Refused.....	1%

6. **[Split Sample B]** In November 2020, Donald Trump ran on the Republican ticket against Joe Biden, for the Democrats. Do you remember for sure whether or not you voted in that election for president? (n=766)

Yes, I definitely voted.....	67%
I'm not 100% certain if I voted .....	5%
I definitely did not vote .....	27%
Refused.....	1%

7. When it comes to voting, with which party do you consider yourself to be affiliated?

<b>Net: Democrat.....</b>	<b>39%</b>
Strong Democrat .....	20%
Not a very strong Democrat .....	18%

<b>Net: Republican.....</b>	<b>23%</b>
Strong Republican.....	12%
Not a very strong Republican.....	11%

<b>Net: Independent/Unaffiliated .....</b>	<b>36%</b>
Lean Democrat.....	10%
Lean Republican.....	7%
Do not lean towards either party .....	20%
Refused.....	2%

8. When it comes to most political issues, do you think of yourself as a...?

Liberal .....	30%
Moderate, lean liberal.....	8%
Moderate, no lean.....	29%
Moderate, lean conservative .....	8%
Conservative.....	22%
Refused.....	3%

**[If respondent voted in 2020, ask Q9]**

9. For whom did you vote for president in 2020? (n=1,028)
- |                        |     |
|------------------------|-----|
| Joe Biden.....         | 62% |
| Donald Trump.....      | 29% |
| Someone else.....      | 5%  |
| Don't remember.....    | 1%  |
| Decline to answer..... | 2%  |
| Refused.....           | 0%  |
10. How likely is it that you will vote in the 2024 election for President?
- |                                 |     |
|---------------------------------|-----|
| Definitely will be voting.....  | 56% |
| Probably will be voting.....    | 13% |
| 50-50.....                      | 11% |
| Probably won't be voting.....   | 7%  |
| Definitely won't be voting..... | 11% |
| Refused.....                    | 1%  |
11. How do you plan to vote in the November election?
- |   |     |
|---|-----|
| At a polling place.....                 | 38% |
| By absentee ballot or by mail.....      | 26% |
| At a place set up for early voting..... | 7%  |
| I do not plan on voting.....            | 15% |
| Don't know.....                         | 12% |
| Refused.....                            | 1%  |
12. Do you consider yourself to be politically engaged or politically active?
- |              |     |
|--------------|-----|
| Yes.....     | 29% |
| No.....      | 69% |
| Refused..... | 1%  |
13. Overall, how closely do you follow news about national politics?..
- |                              |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| <b>Net: Closely.....</b>     | <b>47%</b> |
| <b>Net: Not Closely.....</b> | <b>52%</b> |
| Very closely.....            | 12%        |
| Somewhat closely.....        | 34%        |
| Not very closely.....        | 33%        |
| Not at all closely.....      | 19%        |
| Refused.....                 | 1%         |
14. All in all, do you think that things in the nation are...?
- |   |     |
|---|-----|
| Generally headed in the right direction.....          | 11% |
| Off on the wrong track.....                           | 51% |
| Not sure what direction the country is headed in..... | 36% |
| Refused.....  | 2%  |

15. Thinking about national issues for a moment, which issue concerns you most?

<b>Net: Economic Issues .....</b>	<b>32%</b>
Economy .....	14%
Inflation/cost of living increases .....	11%
High cost of living/difficult to make ends meet.....	3%
Economic equality/inequality/poverty .....	1%
Jobs/Employment.....	1%
Financial stability .....	1%
Money issues.....	1%
Taxes .....	1%
Other economy mentions .....	2%
 Abortion/Reproductive rights/Women’s rights.....	 8%
 Illegal immigrants /Immigration .....	 6%
 <b>Net: Environmental Issues .....</b>	 <b>6%</b>
The environment .....	5%
Global warming.....	1%
 <b>Net: Foreign Policy/National Security.....</b>	 <b>5%</b>
War/military .....	1%
National security .....	1%
Israel/Palestine conflict .....	1%
Other foreign policy .....	1%
Foreign policy/affairs.....	1%
 Gun control/Second Amendment rights.....	 4%
Government/political corruption.....	3%
Housing .....	2%
Health care .....	2%
Democracy .....	2%
Other mentions.....	22%
Don't know/no answer.....	7%
None .....	1%

In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job performance of:

**[Randomize list. Rank-ordered by “Approve”]**

		<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>Refused</u>
16.	Kamala Harris as vice president	44%	50%	5%
17.	The Democrats in Congress	42%	52%	6%
18.	Joe Biden as president	32%	62%	6%
19.	Donald Trump	31%	63%	5%
20.	The Republicans in Congress	26%	68%	7%

Do you have a favorable or unfavorable view of the following individuals, groups, or plans?

**[Randomize list. Rank-ordered by “Net: Favorable”]**

		<u>Net: Fav.</u>	<u>Net: Unfav.</u>	<u>Very Fav.</u>	<u>S’what Fav.</u>	<u>S’what Unfav.</u>	<u>Very Unfav.</u>	<u>Don’t have enough info to rate</u>	<u>Never heard of</u>	<u>Refused</u>
21.	Barack Obama	<b>63%</b>	<b>28%</b>	37%	26%	13%	15%	5%	1%	4%
22.	Kamala Harris	<b>47%</b>	<b>42%</b>	21%	25%	13%	29%	7%	2%	3%
23.	Bernie Sanders	<b>47%</b>	<b>30%</b>	22%	25%	12%	17%	16%	5%	3%
24.	NATO	<b>39%</b>	<b>17%</b>	13%	26%	9%	8%	32%	9%	3%
25.	Joe Biden	<b>36%</b>	<b>55%</b>	11%	25%	21%	42%	4%	2%	3%
26.	Tim Walz	<b>36%</b>	<b>22%</b>	19%	16%	7%	15%	25%	15%	3%
27.	Donald Trump	<b>31%</b>	<b>61%</b>	15%	16%	10%	51%	3%	1%	3%
28.	JD Vance	<b>18%</b>	<b>46%</b>	7%	11%	7%	39%	22%	11%	3%
29.	Project 2025	<b>6%</b>	<b>48%</b>	2%	5%	5%	43%	22%	21%	3%

30. If the election for President were held today and the candidates were: **[Randomize candidates]** for whom would you vote?

	<u>All</u>	<u>Registered Voters</u>	<u>Likely Voters</u>
Kamala Harris, the Democrat.....	46%	52%	61%
Donald Trump, the Republican.....	29%	29%	30%
Jill Stein, the Green party candidate, .....	4%	2%	1%
Cornel West, an independent candidate .....	3%	2%	1%
Chase Oliver, the Libertarian candidate.....	1%	1%	0%
Don’t know.....	18%	13%	5%
Refused.....	2%	1%	0%

31. If the election for President were held today and the candidates were **[Rotate: Joe Biden, the Democrat and Donald Trump, the Republican]**, for whom would you vote?

	<u>All</u>	<u>Registered</u> <u>Voters</u>	<u>Likely</u> <u>Voters</u>
Kamala Harris, the Democrat.....	49%	56%	61%
Donald Trump, the Republican.....	30%	32%	30%
Would not vote.....	10%	5%	2%
Don't know.....	9%	7%	3%
Refused.....	2%	0%	0%

Percentage of vote when “Would not vote” is not included: (n=1,761)

	<u>All</u>	<u>Registered</u> <u>Voters</u>	<u>Likely</u> <u>Voters</u>
Kamala Harris, the Democrat.....	54%	59%	64%
Donald Trump, the Republican.....	33%	33%	32%
Would not vote.....	-	-	-
Don't know.....	9%	7%	3%
Refused.....	2%	0%	0%

**[If the respondent plans to vote for Kamala Harris in Q31, ask Q32]**

32. Is your vote for Kamala Harris more about: (n=964)

Your support for Vice President Harris and her policies .....	47%
or	
Your opposition to Donald Trump becoming president again.....	53%
Refused.....	1%

**[If the respondent plans to vote for Donald Trump in Q31, ask Q33]**

33. Is your vote for Donald Trump more about: (n=599)

Your support for former President Trump and his policies .....	72%
or	
Your opposition to Kamala Harris becoming president.....	28%
Refused.....	0%

34. When thinking about a candidate for president, which is more important:

The policies of the candidate.....	60%
The moral character of the candidate .....	37%
Refused.....	3%

35. What is the first word or phrase that comes to mind when you think about Kamala Harris?

<b>Net: Positive</b> .....	<b>33%</b>
Capable/Competent .....	5%
Leadership/Strength .....	5%
Hopeful/Joyful.....	4%
Young/Breath of fresh air.....	3%
Honest/Trustworthy.....	2%
Other positive .....	14%
<b>Net: Negative</b> .....	<b>28%</b>
Dishonest/Fake .....	5%
Not qualified/Incompetent .....	4%
Dumb/Not smart.....	3%
Other negative .....	17%
<b>Net: Descriptive</b> .....	<b>18%</b>
Identity Association (Black, Woman, etc.) .....	9%
Liberal/Democrat .....	5%
Meme (Coconut, Brat, etc.).....	2%
Policy stance.....	2%
Vice President .....	2%
Don't know .....	6%
No Response.....	13%

36. What is the first word or phrase that comes to mind when you think about Donald Trump?

<b>Net: Positive</b> .....	<b>17%</b>
Patriotic/MAGA .....	3%
Leadership/Strength .....	3%
Capable/Competent .....	1%
Other positive .....	10%
<b>Net: Negative</b> .....	<b>63%</b>
Disgusting/Repulsive .....	8%
Criminal/Felon .....	7%
Angry/Bully.....	5%
Dumb/Not smart.....	4%
Dishonest/Fake .....	3%
Racist/Misogynist.....	3%
Arrogant .....	3%
Mentally unstable .....	2%
Evil/Fascist.....	2%
Unserious/Childish.....	2%
Dangerous .....	1%
Other Negative .....	22%
<b>Net: Descriptive</b> .....	<b>10%</b>
Businessman.....	5%
Orange .....	2%
President.....	2%
Republican/Conservative .....	1%
Don't know .....	1%
No Response.....	11%



37. How confident are you that your ballot will be counted?

**Net: Extremely/Very Confident .....55%**

Extremely confident ..... 31%  
 Very confident..... 24%  
 Somewhat confident..... 23%  
 Not very confident..... 9%  
 Not at all confident..... 10%  
 Refused..... 3%

38. How likely is it that you might change your mind and vote for another candidate in November?

**Net: Likely.....11%**

**Net: Unlikely .....86%**

Very likely..... 2%  
 Somewhat likely..... 9%  
 Not very likely..... 26%  
 Not at all likely..... 60%  
 Refused..... 3%

**[If respondent plans to vote for a candidate in Q31, Ask Q39]**

39. How enthusiastic are you about your support of this candidate? (n=1,563)

**Net: Enthusiastic .....77%**

**Net: Not Enthusiastic .....23%**

Very enthusiastic..... 39%  
 Somewhat enthusiastic..... 38%  
 Not very enthusiastic..... 17%  
 Not at all enthusiastic..... 6%  
 Refused..... 1%

40. If the campaign you supported provided you an opportunity, would you be interested in volunteering?

**Net: Interested .....29%**

**Net: Not Interested .....68%**

Very interested ..... 8%  
 Somewhat interested ..... 21%  
 Not very interested ..... 31%  
 Not at all interested ..... 37%  
 Refused..... 3%

41. Regardless of who you plan to vote for, who do you predict will win the election?

Kamala Harris ..... 37%

Donald Trump ..... 24%

Don't know..... 37%

Refused..... 2%

Please indicate which candidate you trust more to handle each of the following issues

**[Randomize list. Rank-ordered by “Net: Harris - Trump”]**

		<u>Net:</u> <u>Harris</u> – <u>Trump</u>	<u>Kamala</u> <u>Harris</u>	<u>Donald</u> <u>Trump</u>	<u>Neither</u>	<u>Not</u> <u>Sure</u>	<u>Refused</u>
42.	Climate change	<b>32%</b>	48%	15%	18%	15%	4%
43.	Abortion	<b>31%</b>	52%	21%	11%	12%	4%
44.	Education	<b>28%</b>	49%	22%	12%	13%	3%
45.	Health care	<b>26%</b>	48%	22%	14%	13%	3%
46.	Gun violence prevention	<b>25%</b>	46%	21%	18%	12%	4%
47.	Protecting democracy	<b>23%</b>	47%	25%	12%	13%	4%
48.	Strengthening the working class	<b>11%</b>	42%	31%	12%	12%	4%
49.	Crime and public safety	<b>6%</b>	38%	32%	12%	14%	4%
50.	Ukraine	<b>6%</b>	34%	28%	15%	19%	3%
51.	The economy	<b>-1%</b>	35%	37%	11%	13%	4%
52.	National security and defense	<b>-2%</b>	35%	36%	10%	15%	4%
53.	Israel-Hamas war	<b>-2%</b>	26%	28%	22%	20%	4%
54.	Immigration	<b>-2%</b>	34%	37%	13%	13%	3%

Which of the following candidates do these attributes and qualities apply to more?

**[Randomize list. Rank-ordered by “Net: Harris - Trump”]**

		<u>Net:</u> <u>Harris</u> – <u>Trump</u>	<u>Kamala</u> <u>Harris</u>	<u>Donald</u> <u>Trump</u>	<u>Neither</u>	<u>Not</u> <u>Sure</u>	<u>Refused</u>
55.	Empathetic	<b>33%</b>	49%	15%	21%	12%	3%
56.	Relatable	<b>24%</b>	42%	18%	26%	10%	3%
57.	Honest	<b>22%</b>	40%	18%	26%	12%	3%
58.	Competent	<b>19%</b>	46%	27%	12%	11%	3%
59.	Strong	<b>6%</b>	40%	33%	12%	12%	3%
60.	Patriotic	<b>-2%</b>	34%	36%	12%	15%	4%
61.	Funny	<b>-3%</b>	29%	32%	22%	13%	3%

62. On which of the following, if any, do you regularly access for news and current events related content? Please select all that apply

**[Randomize responses. Rank Ordered]**

YouTube.....	32%
Instagram.....	27%
TikTok.....	24%
Local TV News .....	22%
X.....	19%
Facebook .....	18%
CNN .....	18%
Fox News .....	12%
Podcasts.....	11%
Snapchat .....	8%
MSNBC.....	8%
Barstool Sports .....	2%
Truth Social.....	1%
None of the above .....	23%
Refused.....	3%

63. Have you encountered memes about Kamala Harris online in the past month?

Yes.....	53%
No.....	33%
Don't know.....	13%

**[If respondent has encountered Harris memes in Q63, ask]**

64. Overall, what effect have these memes had on your opinion of Kamala Harris? (n=1,032)

<b>Net: Positive .....</b>	<b>34%</b>
<b>Net: Negative.....</b>	<b>16%</b>
Very positive .....	19%
Somewhat positive .....	15%
No effect.....	50%
Somewhat negative .....	7%
Very negative .....	9%
Refused.....	0%

65. Have you encountered memes about Donald Trump online in the past month?

Yes.....	56%
No.....	30%
Don't know.....	12%
Refused.....	2%

**[If respondent has encountered Trump memes in Q65, ask]**

66. Overall, what effect have these memes had on your opinion of Donald Trump? (n=1,114)

**Net: Positive .....13%**  
**Net: Negative.....26%**

Very positive ..... 7%  
 Somewhat positive ..... 7%  
 No effect..... 61%  
 Somewhat negative ..... 9%  
 Very negative ..... 17%  
 Refused..... 0%

Do you support or oppose each of the following policies?

**[Randomize list. Rank-ordered by “Net: Support”]**

	<u>Net: Support</u>	<u>Net: Oppose</u>	<u>Strongly support</u>	<u>S`what support</u>	<u>S`what oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>Don` t know</u>	<u>Refused</u>
67. Capping prescription drug prices	74%	7%	54%	20%	5%	2%	15%	3%
68. No tax on tips	66%	11%	45%	20%	7%	4%	20%	3%
69. Nationwide law to legalize abortion	59%	26%	45%	13%	8%	18%	12%	3%
70. \$25,000 to first-time homebuyers	55%	24%	33%	22%	10%	14%	18%	3%
71. Mass deportation	37%	47%	21%	16%	20%	27%	13%	3%
72. Arms embargo with Israel	32%	20%	20%	12%	10%	10%	44%	4%
73. At this moment, would you say that you are more hopeful or fearful about the future of America?								
Hopeful.....	39%							
Fearful .....	59%							
Refused.....	3%							

**[Randomize list. Rank-ordered by “Net: At Least Several Days”]**

74. Feeling nervous, anxious or on edge

**Net: At least several days.....51%**

Not at all..... 46%  
 Several days ..... 32%  
 More than half the days..... 11%  
 Nearly every day ..... 8%  
 Refused..... 3%

75. Trouble relaxing
- Net: At least several days.....47%**
- Not at all..... 50%
- Several days ..... 31%
- More than half the days..... 9%
- Nearly every day ..... 7%
- Refused..... 3%
76. Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless
- Net: At least several days.....39%**
- Not at all..... 58%
- Several days ..... 25%
- More than half the days..... 8%
- Nearly every day ..... 6%
- Refused..... 3%
77. Little interest or pleasure in doing things
- Net: At least several days.....37%**
- Not at all..... 60%
- Several days ..... 24%
- More than half the days..... 8%
- Nearly every day ..... 5%
- Refused..... 3%
78. Loneliness
- Net: At least several days.....36%**
- Not at all..... 61%
- Several days ..... 22%
- More than half the days..... 7%
- Nearly every day ..... 7%
- Refused..... 3%
79. Feeling afraid as if something awful might happen
- Net: At least several days.....35%**
- Not at all..... 62%
- Several days ..... 24%
- More than half the days..... 6%
- Nearly every day ..... 5%
- Refused..... 3%

80. Worried about a potential mass shooting when in a public space (such as school/university, mall, office, theater, etc.)

**Net: At least several days.....33%**

Not at all..... 63%  
 Several days ..... 22%  
 More than half the days..... 6%  
 Nearly every day ..... 6%  
 Refused..... 3%

81. Thoughts that you would be better off dead, or thoughts of hurting yourself in some way

**Net: At least several days.....15%**

Not at all..... 82%  
 Several days ..... 9%  
 More than half the days..... 4%  
 Nearly every day ..... 2%  
 Refused..... 3%

82. How would you rate your personal financial situation these days?

**Net: Good .....66%**

**Net: Bad.....31%**

Very good..... 11%  
 Fairly good ..... 55%  
 Fairly bad ..... 23%  
 Very bad..... 8%  
 Refused..... 3%

83. Which one of these best describes your religious preference?

Catholic ..... 17%  
 Fundamentalist/Evangelical Christian ..... 15%  
 Jewish..... 2%  
 LDS/Mormon ..... 2%  
 Muslim ..... 1%  
 Protestant..... 9%  
 Another religion ..... 7%  
 No religious preference ..... 31%  
 Not sure ..... 6%  
 Decline to answer ..... 6%  
 Refused..... 2%

**[If Catholic, Fundamentalist/Evangelical Christian, LDS/Mormon, Protestant, Jewish, Muslim, another religion, or not sure, ask Q84]**

84. How important is religion in your own life? (n=1,144)
- |                          |     |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Very important .....     | 40% |
| Somewhat important ..... | 33% |
| Not very important ..... | 22% |
| Not sure .....           | 5%  |
| Refused.....             | 0%  |

**[If Catholic, Fundamentalist/Evangelical Christian, LDS/Mormon, Protestant, another religion, or not sure, ask Q85]**

85. Do you consider yourself a born-again Christian? (n=1,073)
- |                        |     |
|------------------------|-----|
| Yes.....               | 33% |
| No.....                | 51% |
| Not sure .....         | 12% |
| Decline to answer..... | 4%  |
| Refused.....           | 1%  |

86. Which of the following do you consider yourself to be?
- |  |     |
|--|-----|
| Heterosexual or straight .....                           | 73% |
| Gay .....  | 3%  |
| Lesbian.....   | 2%  |
| Bisexual.....  | 9%  |
| Other Queer identity (e.g. pansexual, asexual etc.)..... | 4%  |
| None of the above .....                                  | 1%  |
| I don't know .....                                       | 2%  |
| Prefer not to say .....                                  | 4%  |
| Refused.....   | 2%  |

87. Do you consider yourself to be transgender or non-binary?
- |                         |     |
|-------------------------|-----|
| Yes.....                | 4%  |
| No.....                 | 91% |
| Prefer not to say ..... | 3%  |
| Refused.....            | 2%  |

**[If transgender or non-binary, ask Q88]**

88. Are you: (n=84)
- |   |     |
|---|-----|
| Transgender, male to female .....       | 8%  |
| Transgender, female to male .....       | 17% |
| Gender non-binary .....                 | 57% |
| No, not transgender or non-binary ..... | 12% |
| Prefer not to say .....                 | 6%  |
| Refused.....                            | 0%  |

89. Switching topics, which of these best describes your phone service at this time? Please select all that apply.

Cell phone .....	93%
Landline phone service .....	5%
VOIP phone service .....	1%
None of these.....	4%

**[If enrolled in a 4-year college/university, ask Q90 & Q91]**

90. Is your college/university...? (n=317)

Public.....	65%
Private .....	34%
Refused.....	1%

91. Is the college/university that you currently attend...? (n=317)

In an urban or city area.....	50%
In a suburban area next to a city.....	29%
In a small town or rural area .....	19%
Refused.....	1%

92. Which of the following best describes the area in which you live (if in college, when not in school)?

Suburban .....	45%
Urban.....	23%
Rural.....	14%
Small town .....	15%
Refused.....	3%

**[If enrolled in a 4-year college/university, ask Q93 – Q96]**

93. Which college/university do you attend? (n=317)

Available upon request

94. How many undergraduate students are enrolled in your college/university? Your best estimate is fine. (n=267)

Less than 1,000.....	5%
1,000 - 4,999 .....	19%
5,000 – 9,999.....	25%
10,000 – 19,999.....	18%
20,000 or more .....	32%
Refused.....	1%



95. Where do you live while attending college? (n=267)
- |  |     |
|--|-----|
| In an on-campus dormitory .....  | 37% |
| At home, with my parents .....   | 29% |
| In an apartment/house that is not campus-owned<br>(not with parents) ..... | 23% |
| In a campus-owned apartment .....  | 6%  |
| Somewhere else.....  | 2%  |
| In fraternity/sorority housing .....                                       | 1%  |
| Refused.....   | 1%  |
96. Are you a ...? (n=267)
- |                         |     |
|-------------------------|-----|
| Full-time student ..... | 90% |
| Part-time student ..... | 10% |
| Refused.....            | 1%  |
97. Which of the following best describes your current employment status? (n=1,008)
- |                                |     |
|--------------------------------|-----|
| Employed full time.....        | 39% |
| Student.....                   | 20% |
| Employed part time .....       | 17% |
| Not employed.....              | 13% |
| Self-employed .....            | 5%  |
| Not employed / Homemaker ..... | 3%  |
| Refused.....                   | 2%  |
- [If employed full time or part time, ask Q98]**
98. Are you currently employed in the gig economy -- where people earn income providing on-demand work, services or goods? (n=584)
- |              |     |
|--------------|-----|
| Yes.....     | 13% |
| No.....      | 87% |
| Refused..... | 0%  |
99. Age
- |             |     |
|-------------|-----|
| 18-24 ..... | 58% |
| 25-29 ..... | 42% |
100. Race / Ethnicity
- |                             |     |
|-----------------------------|-----|
| White, Non-Hispanic.....    | 52% |
| Hispanic.....               | 24% |
| Black, Non-Hispanic .....   | 13% |
| Other, Non-Hispanic .....   | 7%  |
| 2+ Races, Non-Hispanic..... | 3%  |

101. Please choose one or more race(s) that you consider yourself to be:

White .....	70%
Black or African American .....	15%
Asian .....	7%
Some other race.....	6%
American Indian or Alaska Native.....	*0%

102. Gender

Male.....	50%
Female .....	50%
Non-binary .....	0%

103. Marital Status

Never married.....	85%
Now married.....	13%
Divorced.....	1%
Separated .....	1%
Widowed .....	0%

104. Region 4 (Based on state of residence)

Northeast .....	17%
Midwest.....	20%
South .....	39%
West.....	24%

105. Region 9 (Based on state of residence)

New England.....	4%
Mid-Atlantic .....	13%
East-North Central .....	15%
West-North Central .....	6%
South Atlantic.....	21%
East-South Central .....	5%
West-South Central .....	13%
Mountain .....	8%
Pacific.....	16%

106. MSA Status

Non-Metro.....	12%
Metro .....	88%

107. Education Status

College student.....	21%
Not in college, no degree .....	55%
College degree.....	24%

### **Methodology**

This poll of 2,002 18-to-29-year-olds was organized with undergraduate students from the Harvard Public Opinion Project (HPOP) and supervised by John Della Volpe, Director of Polling. Data were collected by Ipsos Public Affairs using the KnowledgePanel. KnowledgePanel provides probability-based samples with an “organic” representation of the study population for measurement of public opinions, attitudes, and behaviors. Interviews were conducted in English and Spanish between September 4 and 16, 2024. The target population for this survey is US residents between the ages of 18 and 29. Data are weighted to reflect population estimates based on age, race/Hispanic ethnicity, education, household income, census region by metropolitan area, and primary language within Hispanics. The margin of error for the total sample is +/- 2.65%.

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