



# The March 2024 AP-NORC Center Poll

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*Interviews: 3/21-25/2024*

*1,282 adults*

*Margin of sampling error: +/- 3.8 percentage points at the 95% confidence level among all adults*

*NOTE: All results show percentages among all respondents, unless otherwise labeled.*

**CUR2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?**

*If don't know, skipped, or refused in CUR2:*

**CUR3. If you had to choose, do you lean more toward approving or disapproving of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?**

*If approve in CUR2:*

**CUR3A. Would you say you approve of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president strongly or do you approve just somewhat?**

*If disapprove in CUR2:*

**CUR3B. Would you say you disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president strongly or do you disapprove just somewhat?**

**[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC	Approve NET	Strongly approve	Some- what approve	Lean toward approv- ing	Do not lean either way	Dis- approve NET	Lean toward disapp- roving	Some- what dis- approve	Strongly disapprove	DK	SKP/ REF
03/21- 25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>38</b>	15	23	*	*	<b>61</b>	*	20	40	*	1
02/22- 26/2024 (N=1,102)	<b>38</b>	13	25	*	<b>1</b>	<b>61</b>	*	19	41	-	*
01/25- 29/2024 (N=1,152)	<b>38</b>	15	23	*	*	<b>61</b>	*	21	40	-	1
11/30- 12/4/2023 (N= 1,074)	<b>41</b>	14	26	*	<b>1</b>	<b>59</b>	*	19	40	*	*
11/2- 6/2023 (N=1,239)	<b>38</b>	14	24	*	<b>1</b>	<b>61</b>	*	19	42	*	*
10/5- 9/2023 (N=1,163)	<b>38</b>	13	24	*	*	<b>61</b>	*	21	40	-	1
09/07- 11/2023 (N=1,146)	<b>40</b>	13	26	*	<b>1</b>	<b>59</b>	*	24	36	*	*
08/10- 14/2023 (N=1,165)	<b>42</b>	14	28	1	*	<b>57</b>	*	18	39	-	*

	<b>Approve NET</b>	Strongly approve	Some- what approve	Lean toward approv- ing	<b>Do not lean either way</b>	<b>Dis- approve NET</b>	Lean toward disapp- roving	Some- what dis- approve	Strongly disapprove	DK	SKP/ REF
AP-NORC 06/22- 26/2023 (N=1,220)	<b>41</b>	14	27	*	<b>1</b>	<b>58</b>	*	21	37	*	*
05/11- 15/2023 (N=1,680)	<b>40</b>	12	28	*	<b>1</b>	<b>59</b>	*	21	38	*	*
04/13- 17/2023 (N=1,230)	<b>42</b>	15	27	1	*	<b>58</b>	1	20	36	*	*
03/16- 20/2023 (N=1,081)	<b>38</b>	12	26	*	<b>1</b>	<b>61</b>	1	21	40	-	*
02/16- 20/2023 (N=1,247)	<b>45</b>	16	28	*	<b>1</b>	<b>54</b>	*	19	35	*	1
01/26- 30/2023 (N=1,068)	<b>41</b>	14	27	*	<b>1</b>	<b>58</b>	*	20	37	*	*
12/1- 5/2022 (N=1,124)	<b>43</b>	15	28	*	<b>1</b>	<b>55</b>	1	20	34	-	1
10/06- 10/2022 (N=1,121)	<b>43</b>	15	26	1	<b>1</b>	<b>56</b>	*	20	36	*	*
09/09- 12/2022 (N=1,054)	<b>45</b>	16	30	*	<b>1</b>	<b>53</b>	*	20	33	*	*
07/14- 17/2022 (N=1,085)	<b>36</b>	8	27	*	<b>1</b>	<b>62</b>	*	18	44	*	1
06/23- 27/2022 (N=1,053)	<b>39</b>	12	27	*	<b>1</b>	<b>60</b>	*	19	41	-	*
05/12- 16/2022 (N=1,172)	<b>39</b>	12	26	1	*	<b>60</b>	1	21	39	*	*
4/14- 18/2022 (N=1,085)	<b>45</b>	15	30	*	*	<b>54</b>	*	18	36	*	*
3/17- 21/2022 (N=1,082)	<b>43</b>	16	27	*	*	<b>56</b>	*	19	37	*	*

AP-NORC	Approve NET	Strongly approve	Some-what approve	Lean toward approving	Do not lean either way	Dis-approve NET	Lean toward disapproving	Some-what disapprove	Strongly disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	44	15	29	*	1	55	1	19	35	*	*
1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	43	13	30	*	1	56	1	19	36	-	1
12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	48	18	30	*	1	51	*	20	30	-	*
10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	48	17	31	*	1	51	*	17	34	*	*
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	50	18	31	1	1	49	*	17	32	*	*
8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	54	24	30	*	*	46	*	15	30	*	*
7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	59	25	33	1	*	41	1	14	26	-	*
9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	50	18	31	1	1	49	*	17	32	*	*
8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	54	24	30	*	*	46	*	15	30	*	*
7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	59	25	33	1	*	41	1	14	26	-	*
6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	55	26	29	*	1	44	1	14	29	-	-
4/29-5/3/2021 (N=1,842)	63	34	29	*	1	36	*	11	25	*	*
3/25-29/2021 (N=1,166)	61	31	29	*	*	38	*	13	25	-	1
2/25-3/1/2021 (N=1,434)	60	32	28	*	*	40	*	15	24	*	*

AP-NORC	Approve NET	Strongly approve	Some-what approve	Lean toward approving	Do not lean either way	Dis-approve NET	Lean toward disapproving	Some-what disapprove	Strongly disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	61	35	26	*	1	38	*	11	26	*	*

**CURY2. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling...?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC		Approve	Disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
The economy	03/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	37	62	*	*
	02/22-26/2024 (N=1,102)	34	64	*	2
	01/25-29/2024 (N=1,152)	35	64	*	*
	11/30-12/4/23 (N=1,074)	34	65	*	1
	11/2-6/2023 (N=1,239)	33	66	*	1
	10/5-9/2023 (N=1,163)	32	67	*	1
	09/07-11/2023 (N=1,146)	33	66	*	1
	08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165)	36	63	*	1
	06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220)	34	64	*	2
	05/11-15/2023 (N=1,680)	33	66	*	1
	03/16-20/2023 (N=1,081)	31	68	*	1
	02/16-20/2023 (N=1,247)	36	61	1	2
	01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068)	33	66	*	1
	10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121)	36	63	*	*
	09/09-12/2022 (N=1,054)	38	61	*	1
06/23-27/2022 (N=1,053)	28	69	1	1	

AP-NORC		Approve	Disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
The economy cont.	05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	33	67	*	1
	4/14-18 2022 (N=1,085)	33	66	*	1
	3/17-21/2022 (N=1,082)	34	65	1	*
	2/18-21/2022 (N=1,289)	38	61	*	1
	1/13-18/2022 (N=1,161)	37	62	*	1
	12/2-7/2021 (N=1,089)	41	57	*	1
	10/21-25/2021 (N=1,083)	41	58	1	1
	9/23-27/2021 (N=1,099)	47	51	1	1
	8/12-16/2021 (N=1,729)	49	49	*	1
	7/15-19/2021 (N=1,308)	52	47	*	*
Border Security	03/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	30	69	1	1
	02/16-20/2023 (N=1,247)	38	59	*	2
	3/25-29/2021 (N= 1,166)	44	55	1	1
Immigration	03/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	31	68	*	1
	02/22-26/2024 (N=1,102)	29	68	1	2
	11/30-12/4/23 (N=1,074)	28	70	*	1
	05/11-15/2023 (N=1,680)	31	67	*	1
	02/16-20/2023 (N=1,247)	39	58	1	2
	01/26-30/2023 (N=1,068)	31	66	1	1
	10/06-10/2022 (N=1,121)	39	59	1	1
	05/12-16/2022 (N=1,172)	38	62	*	*

AP-NORC		Approve	Disapprove	DK	SKP/REF
The conflict between the Israelis and Palestinians	03/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	32	65	1	*
	02/22-26/2024 (N=1,102)	31	67	1	2
	01/25-29/2024 (N=1,152)	31	67	1	1
	11/30-12/4/23 (N=1,074)	37	61	1	2
	11/2-6/2023 (N=1,239)	34	63	1	2
	08/10-14/2023 (N=1,165)	35	61	1	3
	6/10-14/2021 (N=1,125)	40	56	1	4

**ISSUES. How important are the following issues to you personally?**

**[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC	Extremely /very important	Extremely important	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too/not important at all	Not too important	Not important at all	DK	SKP /REF
03/21-25/2024	<b>NET</b>				<b>NET</b>				
The economy and jobs	<b>85</b>	46	39	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>	2	*	*	*
Health care	<b>83</b>	46	37	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	2	*	-	*
Immigration	<b>58</b>	31	27	<b>30</b>	<b>12</b>	10	2	-	*
Abortion	<b>58</b>	33	25	<b>24</b>	<b>16</b>	11	6	*	1
Crime	<b>76</b>	38	38	<b>20</b>	<b>4</b>	3	1	-	*
Gun policy	<b>66</b>	37	29	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	8	4	-	*
Foreign policy	<b>53</b>	20	33	<b>38</b>	<b>8</b>	6	2	*	1
Climate change	<b>50</b>	27	22	<b>26</b>	<b>24</b>	11	12	*	1

N=1,282

**PRES1. If Joe Biden is elected president in 2024, how well does each of the following describe how you would feel?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024	<b>Extremely/ very well NET</b>	Extremely well	Very well	<b>Somewhat well</b>	<b>Not very/ not well at all NET</b>	Not very well	Not well at all	DK	SKP/REF
Excited	<b>21</b>	10	11	<b>20</b>	<b>58</b>	18	41	*	1
Angry	<b>28</b>	19	9	<b>18</b>	<b>53</b>	19	34	*	2
Fearful	<b>31</b>	19	12	<b>20</b>	<b>48</b>	19	29	*	1
Satisfied	<b>25</b>	13	12	<b>22</b>	<b>52</b>	15	38	*	1

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**PRES2. If Donald Trump is elected president in 2024, how well does each of the following describe how you would feel?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024	<b>Extremely/ very well NET</b>	Extremely well	Very well	<b>Somewhat well</b>	<b>Not very/ not well at all NET</b>	Not very well	Not well at all	DK	SKP/REF
Excited	<b>25</b>	15	10	<b>15</b>	<b>59</b>	12	47	*	2
Angry	<b>38</b>	28	9	<b>17</b>	<b>45</b>	15	29	*	1
Fearful	<b>43</b>	33	10	<b>15</b>	<b>41</b>	15	26	-	2
Satisfied	<b>27</b>	16	11	<b>17</b>	<b>55</b>	10	45	*	2

*N=1,282*

**DEM2. Which of these statements best describes your opinion about the United States?**

	AP-NORC 03/21- 25/2024	AP-NORC 02/16- 20/2017	AP-NORC 06/23- 27/2016
Stands above all other countries in the world	21	33	26
One of the greatest countries in the world, along with some others	51	56	55
There are other countries better than the United States	26	11	19
DON'T KNOW	*	*	*
SKIP/REFUSED	1	*	*

*N=*

*1,282*

*1,004*

*1,008*



**RIGHTS.** The following are some examples of rights and freedoms listed in the Bill of Rights or that are protected under various American laws and court rulings. For each one, please select how important you think that particular right or freedom is to the United States’s identity as a nation.

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

	<b>Extremely /very important NET</b>	Extremely important	Very important	<b>Somewhat important</b>	<b>Not too/ not important at all NET</b>	Not too important	Not important at all	DK	SKP /REF
AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024									
The right to vote	<b>91</b>	74	17	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	2	1	-	*
The freedom of religion	<b>84</b>	60	24	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>	3	2	-	1
The right of the people to assemble peacefully	<b>83</b>	56	27	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	2	1	-	1
The freedom of speech	<b>90</b>	64	26	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	2	1	-	*
The freedom of the press	<b>77</b>	49	28	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	3	1	-	1
The right to keep and bear arms	<b>54</b>	37	17	<b>24</b>	<b>22</b>	14	8	*	*
The right of everyone to equal protection under the law	<b>91</b>	70	21	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	2	1	*	*
The right to privacy	<b>88</b>	62	26	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	1	1	-	*

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**USID5** How important is each of the following to the United States’ identity as a nation?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

		<b>Ex-tremely/ Very impt.</b>	Ext-remely impt.	Very impt.	<b>Some-what impt.</b>	<b>Not too/Not impt. at all</b>	Not too impt.	Not impt. at all	DK	SKP /REF
AP-NORC										
A shared American culture and set of values	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>57</b>	28	30	<b>29</b>	<b>12</b>	10	2	*	2
	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	<b>65</b>	30	36	<b>27</b>	<b>7</b>	5	2	1	*
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	<b>60</b>	24	36	<b>30</b>	<b>9</b>	6	2	1	1
	2/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	<b>65</b>	24	40	<b>27</b>	<b>8</b>	6	2	*	1

AP-NORC		Ex- tremely/ Very impt.	Ext- remely impt.	Very impt.	Some- what impt.	Not too/Not impt. at all	Not too impt.	Not impt. at all	DK	SKP /REF
The ability of people living here to get good jobs and achieve the American dream	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>79</b>	45	35	<b>16</b>	<b>4</b>	2	2	-	*
	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	<b>83</b>	45	38	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	1	1	*	*
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	<b>75</b>	32	43	<b>20</b>	<b>4</b>	2	2	1	1
	2/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	<b>79</b>	33	46	<b>16</b>	<b>5</b>	4	1	*	*
A culture grounded in Christian religious beliefs	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>36</b>	18	18	<b>23</b>	<b>39</b>	14	25	*	2
	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	<b>43</b>	20	23	<b>22</b>	<b>35</b>	18	17	1	*
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	<b>38</b>	19	19	<b>24</b>	<b>37</b>	19	18	1	1
	2/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	<b>40</b>	19	21	<b>25</b>	<b>34</b>	16	18	*	*
The ability of people to come from other places in the world to escape violence or find economic opportunities	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>52</b>	25	27	<b>32</b>	<b>15</b>	10	4	*	1
The mixing of cultures and values from around the world	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>57</b>	27	30	<b>27</b>	<b>14</b>	11	4	-	1
The mixing of cultures and values from around the world (cont.)	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	<b>58</b>	25	33	<b>31</b>	<b>11</b>	8	3	*	*
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	<b>48</b>	17	31	<b>34</b>	<b>17</b>	12	5	1	1
	2/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	<b>50</b>	17	33	<b>34</b>	<b>14</b>	11	4	*	1
A culture established by the country's early European immigrants	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>28</b>	11	17	<b>30</b>	<b>40</b>	27	13	*	1
	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	<b>29</b>	10	20	<b>33</b>	<b>36</b>	23	13	1	1
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	<b>33</b>	12	21	<b>34</b>	<b>31</b>	21	9	1	1
	2/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	<b>33</b>	11	22	<b>40</b>	<b>26</b>	17	9	1	1

AP-NORC		Ex-tremely/ Very impt.	Ext-remely impt.	Very impt.	Some-what impt.	Not too/Not impt. at all	Not too impt.	Not impt. at all	DK	SKP /REF
A democratically elected government	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	76	55	22	13	9	4	5	-	2
	1/28-2/1/2021 (N=1,055)	80	53	26	13	7	4	3	1	*
A capitalist or free market economy	3/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	57	26	31	30	11	8	3	*	2

**CON1. Which of these statements comes closer to your views, even if neither is exactly right?**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
The United States Constitution should be interpreted to reflect current values and reality	61
The United States Constitution should be interpreted to reflect the values and reality at the time of its adoption	37
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2

N =

1,282

**DEM5. Do you think each of the following is doing a good job or a bad job, or neither of upholding democratic values in the United States?**

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED; HALF OF RESPONDENTS SHOWN RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC		Very/ somewhat Good Job NET	Very Good Job	Somewhat Good Job	Neither a good job nor a bad job	Very/ somewhat Bad Job NET	Somewhat Bad Job	Very Bad Job	DK	SKP/ REF
Congress	03/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	13	2	12	32	54	30	24	*	1
	06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220)	16	2	14	30	53	32	21	*	*
The Democratic Party	03/21-25/2024 (N=1,282)	30	6	24	24	44	17	27	*	1
	06/22-26/2023 (N=1,220)	27	6	21	26	47	20	27	*	1

		<b>Very/ somewhat Good Job NET</b>	Very Good Job	Somewhat Good Job	<b>Neither a good job nor a bad job</b>	<b>Very/ somewhat Bad Job NET</b>	Somewhat Bad Job	Very Bad Job	DK	SKP/ REF
AP-NORC										
The Republican Party	03/21- 25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>22</b>	5	16	<b>25</b>	<b>52</b>	17	35	-	1
	06/22- 26/2023 (N=1,220)	<b>20</b>	4	16	<b>24</b>	<b>56</b>	27	28	*	1
The Supreme Court	03/21- 25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>25</b>	6	19	<b>28</b>	<b>45</b>	24	22	*	1
	06/22- 26/2024 (N=1,220)	<b>28</b>	4	24	<b>26</b>	<b>45</b>	26	19	*	1
Your state government	03/21- 25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>34</b>	7	27	<b>28</b>	<b>36</b>	19	17	*	1
Joe Biden	03/21- 25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>33</b>	11	23	<b>18</b>	<b>48</b>	14	33	*	1
	06/22- 26/2024 (N=1,220)	<b>33</b>	10	22	<b>21</b>	<b>46</b>	16	30	*	1
Donald Trump	03/21- 25/2024 (N=1,282)	<b>31</b>	15	16	<b>16</b>	<b>53</b>	9	44	*	*

**DIV7 The United States has a diverse population, with people of many different races, ethnicities, religions, and backgrounds. Do you think this diversity makes the country ... ?**

**[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

	AP-NORC 3/21-25/2024	AP-NORC 10/08-12/2020	AP-NORC 09/20-23 /2019	AP-NORC 10/11-14/2018	AP-NORC 6/23-27/2016
<b>Much/Moderately stronger NET</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>56</b>
Much stronger	34	38	33	30	29
Moderately stronger	26	25	27	24	27
<b>Neither stronger nor weaker</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>Much/Moderately weaker NET</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16</b>
Moderately weaker	8	10	8	12	12
Much weaker	4	4	3	5	4
DON'T KNOW	*	*	1	1	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	1	*
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,282</i>	<i>1,121</i>	<i>1,286</i>	<i>1,152</i>	<i>1,008</i>

**IMM1. In the last five years, would you say immigrants have had a major impact, a minor impact, or no impact at all on each of the following?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS]**

AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024	Major impact	Minor impact	No impact	DK	SKP/REF
Your local community	29	49	20	*	1
Your state	44	43	11	*	1
The country as a whole	62	31	6	*	1

*N=1,282*

**USID6\_0. When immigrants come legally to the United States, how much of a benefit is each of the following?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS]**

AP-NORC		Major benefit	Minor benefit	Not a benefit at all	DK	SKP /REF
American companies get the expertise of skilled workers in fields like science and technology	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	41	30	28	*	1
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	58	31	10	1	1
	02/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	59	31	8	*	1
They enrich American culture and values	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	38	32	29	*	2
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	44	40	14	1	1
	02/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	50	36	13	*	*
They take jobs Americans don't want	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	35	34	29	*	2
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	37	39	22	1	1
	02/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	36	41	22	*	1
They contribute to economic growth	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	42	36	22	*	1
They contribute with military service	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	33	34	32	*	1
They contribute to government revenue by paying taxes	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	40	32	27	*	1

**USID6\_1. When immigrants come illegally to the United States, how much of a benefit is each of the following?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS]**

AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024	Major benefit	Minor benefit	Not a benefit at all	DK	SKP /REF
American companies get the expertise of skilled workers in fields like science and technology	40	30	28	-	2
They enrich American culture and values	36	37	26	-	2
They take jobs Americans don't want	33	38	27	*	2
They contribute to economic growth	44	33	23	*	1
They contribute with military service	25	40	32	*	2
They contribute to government revenue by paying taxes	38	30	30	-	2

*N=614*

**USID7\_0. When immigrants come legally to the United States, how much of a risk is each of the following?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS]**

AP-NORC		Major risk	Minor risk	Not a risk at all	DK	SKP /REF
The number of jobs available to American workers will be reduced	03/21-25/2024 ( <i>N=668</i> )	27	40	32	*	1
	09/20-23/2019 ( <i>N=1,286</i> )	22	50	26	1	1
	02/16-20/2017 ( <i>N=1,004</i> )	25	49	25	*	1
Welfare and safety net programs will be burdened	03/21-25/2024 ( <i>N=668</i> )	40	42	17	*	1
	09/20-23/2019 ( <i>N=1,286</i> )	31	48	20	*	1
	02/16-20/2017 ( <i>N=1,004</i> )	34	46	19	*	1

AP-NORC		Major risk	Minor risk	Not a risk at all	DK	SKP /REF
They will commit crimes in the United States	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	32	45	22	*	1
	09/20-23/2019 (N=1,286)	17	56	25	1	1
	02/16-20/2017 (N=1,004)	19	60	20	*	1
Their population growth will weaken American identity	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	24	31	44	*	1
They will vote illegally	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	28	29	41	*	1
Eventually English will no longer be the dominant language	03/21-25/2024 (N=668)	27	31	42	*	1

**USID7\_1. When immigrants come illegally to the United States, how much of a risk is each of the following?**

**[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS]**

AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024	Major risk	Minor risk	Not a risk at all	DK	SKP /REF
The number of jobs available to American workers will be reduced	36	35	27	*	1
Welfare and safety net programs will be burdened	53	30	16	*	1
They will commit crimes in the United States	40	43	15	*	1
Their population growth will weaken American identity	29	33	36	*	1
They will vote illegally	33	26	39	-	2
Eventually English will no longer be the dominant language	27	32	40	-	1

N=614



**BORDER.** How responsible are each of the following for the current situation at the U.S.-Mexico border?

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC 03/21- 25/2024	<b>Extremely/ very responsible NET</b>	Extremely responsible	Very responsible	<b>Moderately responsible</b>	<b>Slightly/ not at all responsible NET</b>	Slightly responsible	Not at all responsible	DK	SKP/ REF
Joe Biden	<b>48</b>	33	15	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	14	11	*	1
Democrats in Congress	<b>46</b>	28	18	<b>29</b>	<b>23</b>	13	10	*	1
Republicans in Congress	<b>41</b>	20	21	<b>30</b>	<b>28</b>	16	12	*	1
Donald Trump	<b>35</b>	19	15	<b>19</b>	<b>44</b>	14	30	*	1

N=1,282

**IMM5.** Please tell me whether you favor, oppose or neither favor nor oppose each of the following policy ideas related to immigration and border security along the U.S.-Mexico border.

[GRID ITEMS RANDOMIZED ACROSS SCREENS, HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]

AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024	<b>Strongly/ somewhat favor NET</b>	Strongly favor	Somewhat favor	<b>Neither favor nor oppose</b>	<b>Somewhat /strongly oppos NET</b>	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	D K	SKP/ REF
Build a wall	<b>42</b>	31	11	<b>20</b>	<b>37</b>	9	28	*	1
Hire more immigration judges and court personnel	<b>58</b>	31	26	<b>26</b>	<b>16</b>	7	9	*	*
Hire more border patrol agents	<b>64</b>	34	30	<b>20</b>	<b>15</b>	7	8	*	1

AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024	<b>Strongly/ somewhat favor NET</b>	Strongly favor	Somewhat favor	<b>Neither favor nor oppose</b>	<b>Somewhat /strongly oppos NET</b>	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	D K	SKP/ REF
Reduce the number of immigrants who are allowed to seek asylum in the United States when they arrive at the U.S. border	<b>53</b>	33	20	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	12	12	*	1

*N=1,282*

**DEM3. Which of these statements best describes your opinion about democracy?**

**[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Democracy is the greatest system of government	21
Democracy is a good system of government even though it sometimes has problems	69
Democracy is not a good system of government	8
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1

*N =*

*1,282*

**DEM4. Which of the following comes closest to your opinion about democracy in the United States?**

**[HALF SAMPLE ASKED RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER]**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
The U.S. is a well-functioning democracy	31
The U.S. is a poorly functioning democracy	53
The U.S. is a not a democracy	14
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	2

*N =*

*1,282*

**PID1. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these?**

*If Democrat:*

**PIDA. Do you consider yourself a strong or not so strong Democrat?**

*If Republican:*

**PIDB. Do you consider yourself a strong or not so strong Republican?**

*If independent, none of these, don't know, skipped, or refused:*

**PIDI. Do you lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?**

**Combines PID1, PIDI, PIDA, and PIDB.**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
<b>Democrat NET</b>	<b>43</b>
Strong Democrat	18
Not so strong Democrat	16
Lean Democrat	9
<b>Independent/None – Don't lean</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Republican NET</b>	<b>37</b>
Lean Republican	10
Not so strong Republican	12
Strong Republican	15
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,282</i>

**D3. Generally speaking, do you consider yourself to be a liberal, moderate, or conservative?**

*If liberal:*

**D4. Do you consider yourself very liberal or somewhat liberal?**

*If conservative:*

**IDEO. Do you consider yourself very conservative or somewhat conservative?**

**Combines D3, D4, D5:**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
<b>Liberal NET</b>	<b>25</b>
Very liberal	14
Somewhat liberal	11
<b>Moderate</b>	<b>46</b>
<b>Conservative NET</b>	<b>28</b>
Somewhat conservative	16
Very conservative	12
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,282</i>

**REG. Are you currently registered to vote at your address, or not?**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Yes	85
No	15
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	*
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,282</i>

**DM5. How would you describe the community you live in now?**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Urban area	26
Suburban area	48
Rural area	24
DON'T KNOW	*
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,282</i>

**RELIG. What is your present religion, if any?**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Protestant	24
Roman Catholic	21
Mormon	1
Orthodox	*
Jewish	2
Muslim	1
Buddhist	1
Hindu	1
Atheist	6
Agnostic	6
Nothing in particular	15
Just Christian	19
Unitarian	1
Something else	1
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	1
<i>N=</i>	<i>1,282</i>

If Religion is Protestant, Roman Catholic, Mormon, Orthodox, Christian, or something else:  
**BORN. Would you describe yourself as a 'born-again' or evangelical Christian, or not?**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Yes	34
No	66
DON'T KNOW	-
SKIPPED ON WEB/REFUSED	-
<i>N=</i>	864

**AGE**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
18-29	20
30-44	25
45-59	24
60+	31
<i>N=</i>	1,282

**GENDER**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Male	49
Female	51
<i>N=</i>	1,282

**RACE/ETHNICITY**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
White, non-Hispanic	61
Black or African American	12
Hispanic	17
Other	9
<i>N=</i>	1,282

**MARITAL STATUS**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Married	49
Not married	51
<i>N=</i>	1,282

## EMPLOYMENT STATUS

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Employed	57
Not employed	43

N= 1,282

## EDUCATION

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Less than a high school diploma	9
High school graduate or equivalent	29
Some college	26
College graduate or above	20
Post grad study/professional degree	16

N= 1,282

## CENSUS REGION

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
<b>Northeast NET</b>	<b>17</b>
New England	5
Mid-Atlantic	13
<b>Midwest NET</b>	<b>20</b>
East North Central	14
West North Central	6
<b>South NET</b>	<b>39</b>
South Atlantic	21
East South Central	6
West South Central	12
<b>West NET</b>	<b>24</b>
Mountain	8
Pacific	16

N= 1,282

## HOME OWNERSHIP

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Owned or being bought by you or someone in your household	70
Rented for cash	27
Occupied without payment of cash rent	2

N= 1,282

**INCOME**

	AP-NORC 03/21-25/2024
Under \$10,000	5
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	7
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	10
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	9
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	10
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	19
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	13
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	14
\$150,000 or more	13

*N=**1,282*

## Study Methodology

This survey was conducted by The Associated Press-NORC Center for Public Affairs Research and with funding from The Associated Press and NORC at the University of Chicago.

Data were collected using the AmeriSpeak Omnibus®, a bi-monthly multi-client survey using NORC's probability-based panel designed to be representative of the U.S. household population. The survey was part of a larger study that included questions about other topics not included in this report. During the initial recruitment phase of the panel, randomly selected U.S. households were sampled with a known, non-zero probability of selection from the NORC National Sample Frame and then contacted by U.S. mail, email, telephone, and field interviewers (face-to-face). The panel provides sample coverage of approximately 97 percent of the U.S. household population. Those excluded from the sample include people with P.O. Box only addresses, some addresses not listed in the USPS Delivery Sequence File, and some newly constructed dwellings.

Interviews for this survey were conducted between March 21 through March 25, 2024, with adults aged 18 and over representing the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Panel members were randomly drawn from AmeriSpeak, and 1,282 completed the survey—1,198 via the web and 84 by telephone. Panel members were invited by email or by phone from an NORC telephone interviewer. Interviews were conducted in both English and Spanish, depending on respondent preference. Respondents were offered a small monetary incentive for completing the survey. The final stage completion rate is 15.7 percent, the weighted household panel response rate is 22.3 percent, and the weighted household panel retention rate is 78.9 percent, for a cumulative response rate of 2.8 percent.

The overall margin of sampling error is +/- 3.8 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level, including the design effect. The margin of sampling error may be higher for subgroups. For example, the margin of sampling error is +/- 5.9 percentage points for Democrats and +/- 5.9 percentage points for Republicans.

Sampling error is only one of many potential sources of error and there may be other unmeasured error in this or any other survey.

Quality assurance checks were conducted to ensure data quality. In total, 71 interviews were removed for nonresponse to at least 50% of the questions asked of them, for completing the survey in less than one-third the median interview time for the full sample, or for straight-lining all grid questions asked of them. These interviews were excluded from the data file prior to weighting.

Once the sample has been selected and fielded, and all the study data have been collected and made final, a poststratification process is used to adjust for any survey nonresponse as well as any noncoverage or under and oversampling resulting from the study specific sample design.

Poststratification variables included age, gender, census division, race/ethnicity, and education. Weighting variables were obtained from the 2023 Current Population Survey. The weighted data reflect the U.S. population of adults age 18 and over.

Complete questions and results are available at: [apnorc.org](https://apnorc.org).



Additional information on the AmeriSpeak Panel methodology is available at: <https://amerispeak.norc.org/about-amerispeak/Pages/Panel-Design.aspx>.  
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