

Crooked Media-Change Research "Pollercoaster"  
 Biden's First 100 Days Survey  
 January 22-23, 2021



Respondents

Sample Size (Weighted) 1742

How would you say things in the country are going? Are they going in the right direction, or are they off on the wrong track?

Right direction 43  
 Wrong track 57

How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - Joe Biden

Very favorable 34  
 Somewhat favorable 14  
 Neutral 5  
 Somewhat unfavorable 6  
 Very unfavorable 40  
 Never heard of them 1  
  
 Total Favorable 48  
 Total Unfavorable 46  
 Net Favorable 2

How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - Kamala Harris

Very favorable 34  
 Somewhat favorable 12  
 Neutral 7  
 Somewhat unfavorable 5  
 Very unfavorable 41  
 Never heard of them 1  
  
 Total Favorable 46  
 Total Unfavorable 46  
 Net Favorable 0

How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - Donald Trump

Very favorable 34  
 Somewhat favorable 10  
 Neutral 4  
 Somewhat unfavorable 3  
 Very unfavorable 47  
 Never heard of them 1

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<b>Total Favorable</b>	44
<b>Total Unfavorable</b>	50
<b>Net Favorable</b>	-6

**How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - Mike Pence**

<b>Very favorable</b>	14
<b>Somewhat favorable</b>	16
<b>Neutral</b>	17
<b>Somewhat unfavorable</b>	21
<b>Very unfavorable</b>	31
<b>Never heard of them</b>	1
<b>Total Favorable</b>	30
<b>Total Unfavorable</b>	52
<b>Net Favorable</b>	-21

**How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - The Democratic Party**

<b>Very favorable</b>	22
<b>Somewhat favorable</b>	21
<b>Neutral</b>	9
<b>Somewhat unfavorable</b>	7
<b>Very unfavorable</b>	40
<b>Never heard of them</b>	1
<b>Total Favorable</b>	43
<b>Total Unfavorable</b>	47
<b>Net Favorable</b>	-4

**How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - The Republican Party**

<b>Very favorable</b>	11
<b>Somewhat favorable</b>	18
<b>Neutral</b>	12
<b>Somewhat unfavorable</b>	19
<b>Very unfavorable</b>	38
<b>Never heard of them</b>	1
<b>Total Favorable</b>	29
<b>Total Unfavorable</b>	58
<b>Net Favorable</b>	-29

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How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - Black Lives Matter

Very favorable	30
Somewhat favorable	15
Neutral	10
Somewhat unfavorable	6
Very unfavorable	38
Never heard of them	1
<b>Total Favorable</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>Total Unfavorable</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>Net Favorable</b>	<b>1</b>

How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - QAnon

Very favorable	4
Somewhat favorable	4
Neutral	17
Somewhat unfavorable	7
Very unfavorable	52
Never heard of them	16
<b>Total Favorable</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Total Unfavorable</b>	<b>59</b>
<b>Net Favorable</b>	<b>-51</b>

How favorable are your feelings about each of the following public officials and groups? - Those who stormed the US Capitol on January 6

Very favorable	4
Somewhat favorable	5
Neutral	12
Somewhat unfavorable	8
Very unfavorable	70
Never heard of them	1
<b>Total Favorable</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Total Unfavorable</b>	<b>78</b>
<b>Net Favorable</b>	<b>-70</b>

In the November 2020 election, did you vote for:

Donald Trump, the Republican	45
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<b>Joe Biden, the Democrat</b>	<b>50</b>
<b>A different candidate</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Did not vote</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>In the November 2016 election, did you vote for:</b>	
<b>Donald Trump, the Republican</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Hillary Clinton, the Democrat</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>Did not vote</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Gary Johnson, the Libertarian</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Jill Stein, the Green Party</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>In the 2020 presidential election, do you think more people voted for Joe Biden or Donald Trump nationwide?</b>	
<b>Joe Biden</b>	<b>56</b>
<b>Donald Trump</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>Of the following policies, which ones would you most like to see the Biden administration prioritize in its first 100 days? Please select three or fewer.</b>	
<b>Improving the distribution of the COVID-19 vaccine</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>Economic relief including \$1400 relief checks, increased unemployment benefits, and aid to communities and businesses</b>	<b>32</b>
<b>Controlling the spread of COVID-19</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>Voting reforms to deal with rampant voter fraud in the 2020 election</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Holding Trump accountable for his involvement in the Capitol riot and attempting to overturn the election</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>Reducing the federal budget deficit</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Investing in infrastructure, manufacturing, and research and development</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Healthcare reform including a public option for insurance and lower drug costs</b>	<b>12</b>

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<b>Voting reforms, including automatic voter registration, online registration, expanded early in-person and mail voting, and enhanced election security</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Racial equity legislation</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Canceling student loan debt</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Reversing Trump's corporate tax cut</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Repair relationships with allies around the world</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Stopping family separation at the US-Mexico border</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Rejoining the Paris climate agreement</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Comprehensive immigration reform</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Police reform</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Criminal justice reform</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Legislation to promote clean energy and create green jobs</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Rejoining the Iran nuclear deal</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>None of the above</b>	<b>9</b>

**Joe Biden recently announced a \$1.9 trillion package, which would distribute the vaccine more quickly, provide \$1400 to individuals, increase unemployment benefits, require paid leave, subsidize childcare, create 100,000 public health jobs, provide rental aid and small business aid, and more. Do you support or oppose this package?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Total support</b>	<b>69</b>
<b>Total oppose</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Net support</b>	<b>42</b>

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**A bill called the For The People Act has been introduced in Congress that would end dark money in politics, end partisan gerrymandering, automatically register citizens to vote if they're eligible, expand in-person early voting, make voting by mail simpler, and enhance election security with a paper trail for every ballot. Do you support or oppose this bill?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Total support</b>	<b>65</b>
<b>Total oppose</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Net support</b>	<b>37</b>

**During the campaign, Joe Biden proposed forgiving \$10,000 in student loan debt for federal loan borrowers. Would you support or oppose this plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Total support</b>	<b>55</b>
<b>Total oppose</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>Net support</b>	<b>15</b>

**Several members of Congress have proposed that the Biden administration forgive \$50,000 in student loan debt per borrower. Would you support or oppose this plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>Somewhat support</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Total support</b>	<b>52</b>
<b>Total oppose</b>	<b>43</b>
<b>Net support</b>	<b>9</b>

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**Which of the following do you agree with most?**

<b>Congress should prioritize passing Covid relief and other important laws</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Congress should be able to work on both holding the Trump administration accountable and Covid relief and other important laws at the same time</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>Congress should prioritize former President Trump's impeachment trial so that he's not allowed to run for office again</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>12</b>

**Which of the following do you agree with more?**

<b>The Senate should hold the impeachment trial in order to hold Donald Trump accountable for inciting an insurrection and prevent him from running for office again.</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>The Senate should reject the impeachment trial of Donald Trump in order to promote national healing.</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>4</b>

**Do you agree or disagree with the following statement: "Because this country has gone so far off track, we must do what's necessary to set things right, even if it means breaking the law."**

<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Somewhat agree</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Somewhat disagree</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>64</b>
<b>Not sure</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Total agree</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>Total disagree</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>Net agree</b>	<b>-58</b>

**[50% SAW:] When it comes to addressing challenges like providing economic relief and controlling the spread of the virus, is it more important for Democrats to:**

<b>Win the support of members of both parties, even if Democrats have to compromise on some of their priorities</b>	<b>64</b>
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Pass a bill with all of their priorities, even if no Republicans support it	27
Not sure	8

[50% SAW:] When it comes to addressing challenges like providing economic relief and controlling the spread of the virus, is it more important for Democrats to:

Pass a bill that provides as much relief as possible, even if no Republicans support it	46
Win the support of members of both parties, even if it means providing less relief to Americans	38
Not sure	15

Some believe that Senate Republican Leader Mitch McConnell and Republicans in Congress will do everything in their power to block Democrats from passing any laws, regardless of what the laws might do. If that happens, which of the following best describes how it will make you feel?

Sad	4
Frustrated	22
Angry	32
Happy	12
Excited	5
Relieved	11
None of the above	14
Total Positive	29
Total Negative	58

As you may or may not know, the Senate has a procedure known as the filibuster which allows a group of Senators to block a bill unless it has the support of 60 of the 100 Senators. Would you support or oppose ending the filibuster, so that bills only need a majority of votes to pass?

Strongly support	33
Somewhat support	16
Somewhat oppose	11
Strongly oppose	29
Not sure	11
Total support	49
Total oppose	40



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Net support 8

Do you support or oppose raising the federal minimum wage from \$7.25 per hour to \$15?

Strongly support 42

Somewhat support 13

Somewhat oppose 10

Strongly oppose 32

Not sure 3

Total support 55

Total oppose 42

Net support 13

Some believe that a \$15 minimum wage could not pass the Senate because it could be blocked by a minority of Senators using the filibuster. If this happens, would you support or oppose ending the filibuster, so that the minimum wage could be increased if a majority of Senators voted for it?

Strongly support 39

Somewhat support 14

Somewhat oppose 7

Strongly oppose 32

Not sure 7

Total support 53

Total oppose 40

Net support 14

"Joe Biden's American Rescue Plan will turbocharge vaccine distribution, send \$1400 to most Americans, save hundreds of thousands of jobs, and raise the minimum wage to \$15 per hour. Americans are suffering through an economic recession and a pandemic, and this plan will build a bridge to the other side of this crisis." After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?

Strongly support 45

Somewhat support 19

Somewhat oppose 13

Strongly oppose 24

Total support 64

Total oppose 36

Net support 27

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**“Joe Biden calls his American Rescue Plan a relief bill, but it’s really just a bailout for blue states’ bad lockdown policy. The best stimulus available is to smartly and safely reopen the economy, as many states have done -- without having to borrow nearly \$2 trillion, like Biden’s plan does.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

Strongly support	40
Somewhat support	16
Total oppose	38
Net support	24

**“Joe Biden’s plans will lead to higher taxes and a higher deficit. Our deficit is already at record levels, and Biden’s plan could put us on a path to bankruptcy and depression.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

Strongly support	35
Somewhat support	15
Somewhat oppose	12
Strongly oppose	39
Total support	50
Total oppose	50
Net support	-1

**“During the Trump administration, millions of Americans lost their health insurance or paid too much for health care. Joe Biden will create a system that gives Americans more choice, lowers costs, and makes our healthcare system easier to navigate. And he’ll create a Medicare-like public option that Americans can choose if their health insurance isn’t working for them.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

Strongly support	46
Somewhat support	14
Somewhat oppose	11
Strongly oppose	29
Total support	60
Total oppose	40
Net support	20

**“Joe Biden’s healthcare plan can be described with one word: socialism. If his plan becomes law, people will lose jobs and you will lose your doctor.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

Strongly support	38
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<b>Somewhat support</b>	12
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	11
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	40
<b>Total support</b>	50
<b>Total oppose</b>	50
<b>Net support</b>	-1

**“Joe Biden knows there is no greater threat to our country and our world than climate change. That’s why he is outlining a plan to lead the world in addressing the emergency. His plan will turn the threat into an opportunity, ensuring the US reaches net-zero emissions by 2050 while creating new industries that create high-quality jobs in cities and towns across the country.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	43
<b>Somewhat support</b>	15
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	9
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	33
<b>Total support</b>	58
<b>Total oppose</b>	42
<b>Net support</b>	16

**“Joe Biden’s climate plan will ban oil and natural gas and kill energy jobs all over the country. Your electricity bill will go up and our country will be less prosperous and safe.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	36
<b>Somewhat support</b>	13
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	9
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	41
<b>Total support</b>	49
<b>Total oppose</b>	51
<b>Net support</b>	-2

**“Joe Biden believes that everyone should have a chance to achieve the American Dream, no matter what you look like or where you come from. He’ll tackle racial and economic inequality in our economy and our schools, strengthen the right to vote for people of all races, and address inequities in our justice system.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	46
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<b>Somewhat support</b>	15
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	9
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	29
<b>Total support</b>	62
<b>Total oppose</b>	38
<b>Net support</b>	24

**“Joe Biden’s racial justice plan will defund the police and make your neighborhood less safe.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	37
<b>Somewhat support</b>	11
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	9
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	43
<b>Total support</b>	48
<b>Total oppose</b>	52
<b>Net support</b>	-4

**“Joe Biden believes that Donald Trump’s cruel policies that separated thousands of children from their parents are criminal. He will reverse that policy on day one, create permanent protection for Dreamers and a pathway to citizenship for undocumented immigrants.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	45
<b>Somewhat support</b>	12
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	7
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	37
<b>Total support</b>	57
<b>Total oppose</b>	43
<b>Net support</b>	13

**“Joe Biden’s immigration plan will open our borders and make our country less safe. And giving citizenship to millions of illegal immigrants will only ensure that millions more do the same.” After reading this, do you support or oppose Biden's plan?**

<b>Strongly support</b>	39
<b>Somewhat support</b>	12
<b>Somewhat oppose</b>	8
<b>Strongly oppose</b>	42

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Total support	51
Total oppose	49
Net support	1

On a scale of 1 to 10, how enthusiastic are you about voting in the 2022 midterm election for U.S. House of Representatives and other offices?

1 - not enthusiastic at all	9
2	1
3	2
4	3
5	9
6	6
7	7
8	7
9	5
10 - extremely enthusiastic	52
Total 1 through 3	12
Total 8 through 10	64
Weighted Average	8

Do you believe Joe Biden is a socialist?

Yes	44
No	42
Not sure	14

For statistical purposes, what is your household income?

Less than \$20,000	11
\$20,000 to \$34,999	13
\$35,000 to \$49,999	14
\$50,000 to \$74,999	19
\$75,000 to \$99,999	16
\$100,000 to \$249,999	17
\$250,000 or more	3
Prefer not to say	8

Which of the following are your main sources of news about politics and current events? Select all that apply.

Online news websites	48
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	<b>Social media and related sites (such as Facebook, Twitter or YouTube)</b>	41
	<b>Local television</b>	41
	<b>Broadcast television news (CBS, NBC or ABC)</b>	36
	<b>CNN</b>	33
	<b>MSNBC</b>	27
	<b>Radio</b>	27
	<b>Fox News</b>	27
	<b>National newspapers (such as NYT, WSJ, or Washington Post)</b>	25
	<b>Local newspapers</b>	24
	<b>Newsmax</b>	23
	<b>One America News Network (OANN)</b>	18
	<b>Podcasts</b>	16
	<b>Magazines</b>	8
<b>Would you describe yourself as:</b>	<b>Progressive</b>	16
	<b>Liberal</b>	21
	<b>Moderate</b>	23
	<b>Conservative</b>	32
	<b>Other (specified)</b>	8
<b>How often do you use social media?</b>	<b>Many times throughout the day</b>	53
	<b>A few times per day</b>	36
	<b>Once per day</b>	7
	<b>Less than once per day</b>	4
<b>Gender</b>	<b>Male</b>	48
	<b>Female</b>	52
<b>Age Range</b>	<b>18 to 34</b>	26
	<b>35 to 49</b>	23
	<b>50 to 64</b>	26
	<b>65 or older</b>	25

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<b>Ethnicity</b>	<b>American Indian or Alaska Native</b>	1
	<b>Asian / Pacific Islander</b>	4
	<b>Black or African American</b>	12
	<b>Hispanic or Latino/a</b>	13
	<b>Other</b>	3
	<b>White / Caucasian</b>	68
<b>Educational Attainment</b>	<b>High school diploma or less</b>	17
	<b>Some college, but no degree</b>	28
	<b>Associate's degree, or two-year college degree</b>	14
	<b>Bachelor's degree, or four-year college degree</b>	24
	<b>Graduate degree</b>	16
<b>7 Pt Party ID</b>	<b>Strong Democrat</b>	31
	<b>Weak Democrat</b>	8
	<b>Ind Democrats</b>	9
	<b>Independents</b>	10
	<b>Ind Republicans</b>	11
	<b>Weak Republican</b>	7
	<b>Strong Republican</b>	24
<b>Party ID</b>	<b>Democrat</b>	39
	<b>Republican</b>	31
	<b>Independent/Other</b>	30
<b>Allocated PID</b>	<b>Strong + Weak + Indep Dems</b>	48
	<b>Independents</b>	10
	<b>Strong + Weak + Indep Repubs</b>	42
	<b>It was a draw</b>	10
	<b>Not sure</b>	14
<b>Did the debate make you more likely to vote for either candidate?</b>	<b>Yes, more likely to vote for Joe Biden</b>	29
	<b>Yes, more likely to vote for Donald Trump</b>	33

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	No, not more likely to vote for either candidate	37
Which of the following better matches your feelings about Trump's performance at Thursday's debate?	It was the same old Trump	56
	It was a new Trump	29
	Not sure	16
Which of the following better matches your feelings about Biden's performance at Thursday's debate?	No real change	40
	He was better than he was at the first debate	28
	He was worse than he was at the first debate	21
	Not sure	11
In the 2018 race for US House of Representatives, did you vote for:	The Democratic candidate	46
	The Republican candidate	36
	Another candidate	1
	Don't remember	6
	Did not vote	10
Gender	Male	46
	Female	54
Age Range	18 to 34	20
	35 to 49	25
	50 to 64	30
	65 or older	25
Ethnicity	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
	Asian / Pacific Islander	3
	Black or African American	11
	Hispanic or Latino/a	10
	Other	2
	White / Caucasian	73
Educational Attainment	High school diploma or less	11



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<b>Some college, but no degree</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Associate's degree, or two-year college degree</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Bachelor's degree, or four-year college degree</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Graduate degree</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>7 Pt Party ID</b>	
<b>Strong Democrat</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>Weak Democrat</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Ind Democrats</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Independents</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Ind Republicans</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Weak Republican</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Strong Republican</b>	<b>26</b>
<b>Party ID</b>	
<b>Democrat</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>Republican</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>Independent/Other</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>Allocated PID</b>	
<b>Strong + Weak + Indep Dems</b>	<b>49</b>
<b>Independents</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Strong + Weak + Indep Repubs</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>A little bit</b>	<b>32</b>
<b>None at all</b>	<b>22</b>