

## Consent

### **BROWN UNIVERSITY**

#### CONSENT FOR RESEARCH STUDY PARTICIPATION

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You are invited to take part in a survey designed by students in POLS 1140  
Public Opinion and American Democracy

### **What is this study about?**

The purpose of this survey is for students to get experience designing and analyzing survey data.

### **Why I am I being asked to participate?**

Eligible participants are residents of the United States who are 18 years of age or older. If you do not meet these requirements, please close the window.

Your decision to participate or decline participation in this study is completely voluntary and you have the right to terminate your participation at any time

without penalty. If you do not wish to complete this survey just close your browser.

### **What will I be asked to do?**

You will be asked to answer some questions about yourself and your opinions on politics. You will also be asked to indicate your preferences for hypothetical candidates.

This study will take approximately 10 minutes of your time.

### **Will I be paid?**

You will receive \$2.00 upon completing this study and submitting the HIT.

### **What are the risks?**

The risks to individuals participating in this survey are comparable to those that exist in daily life from reading the news or during normal Internet use. You may refuse to answer any questions you are uncomfortable with and you may end your participation in this study at any time. If you wish to withdraw from the study or have any questions, contact the investigator listed above.

### **What are the benefits?**

Although your participation in this research may not benefit you personally, it will help us understand how voters think about politics and elections.

### **Confidentiality:**

No personally identifiable information will be collected (e.g., name, address, phone number, email) by the researchers. The data will be deleted following the

completion of the course in December 2024. Brown University staff sometimes review studies like this one to make sure they are being done safely and correctly. If a review of this study takes place, your records may be examined. The reviewers will protect your confidentiality. This survey is fielded on Qualtrics. For information more about Qualtrics's data and privacy policies please click here: <https://www.qualtrics.com/support/survey-platform/getting-started/data-protection-privacy/>

### **Important information about your MTurk ID:**

This ID does not directly identify you, but it can be linked to your public profile page. You may therefore wish to restrict what information you share on this public profile. We will not share your MTurk ID with anyone outside of our research team. If you ever contact us, Amazon.com will automatically insert your email address into the message so that we can reply to you. We will use your name and email only to respond to your communication and will never distribute it to anyone outside of our research team. For more information about the privacy and confidentiality limitations associated with using mTurk please refer to Amazon's MTurk Privacy Policy: <https://www.mturk.com/mturk/privacynotice> and <https://www.mturk.com/mturk/contact>

**Voluntary:** You do not have to be in this study if you do not want to be. Even if you decide to be in this study, you can change your mind and stop at any time.

### **Who can I talk to if I have questions?**

If you have any questions about your participation in this study, you can email [paul\\_testa@brown.edu](mailto:paul_testa@brown.edu). If you have questions about your rights as a research participant, you can contact Brown University's Human Research Protection Program at 401-863-3050 or email them at [IRB@Brown.edu](mailto:IRB@Brown.edu).

Please print a copy of this consent form for your records, if you so desire.

## **Voluntary Consent**

I have read and understand the above consent form, I certify that I am 18 years old or older and, by clicking the submit button to enter the survey, I indicate my willingness to voluntarily take part in this study.

- ☐ I agree
- ☐ I do not agree

## **Prolific ID**

What is your Prolific ID?

*Please note that this response should auto-fill with the correct ID*

## **POLS 1140 - Demographics**

What is your age in years?

What's the highest level of education you've completed?

- ☐ Less than high school
- ☐ High school graduate
- ☐ Some college
- ☐ 2 year degree
- ☐ 4 year degree
- ☐ Professional degree
- ☐ Doctorate

What was your total household income before taxes during the past 12 months?

- ☐ Less than \$25,000
- ☐ \$25,000-\$49,999
- ☐ \$50,000-\$74,999
- ☐ \$75,000-\$99,999
- ☐ \$100,000-\$149,999
- ☐ \$150,000 or more
- ☐ Prefer not to say

What racial or ethnic group best describes you? Please select all that apply

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> White                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American        | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino/a                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian                            |  |

First, we'd like to ask you some questions about yourself.

What is your gender identity?

- ☐ Fluid/Genderfluid
- ☐ Gender Non-Conforming/Genderqueer
- ☐ Man
- ☐ Non-Binary
- ☐ Transgender Man/Trans Man
- ☐ Transgender Woman/Trans Woman
- ☐ Woman
- ☐  Not listed (please state):

☐ Prefer not to answer

In general, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

- ☐ Extremely Liberal
- ☐ Liberal
- ☐ Slightly liberal
- ☐ Moderate, middle of the road
- ☐ Slightly conservative
- ☐ Conservative
- ☐ Extremely Conservative

Generally speaking do you think of yourself as a...

- ☐ Democrat
- ☐ Republican
- ☐ Independent
- ☐ Other

Would you call yourself a...

- ☐ Not very strong Democrat
- ☐ Strong Democrat

Would you call yourself a...

- ☐ Not very strong Republican
- ☐ Strong Republican

Would you consider yourself closer to...

- ☐ The Republican Party
- ☐ The Democratic Party
- ☐ Neither

How would you describe where you currently live?

- ☐ Rural
- ☐ Suburban
- ☐ Urban

What zip code do you currently reside in

## Political Participation

Did you vote in the 2024 Presidential Elections?

- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes

Who did you vote for?

- ☐
- ☐ Another candidate
- ☐ Prefer not to say
- ☐ Kamala Harris
- ☐ Donald Trump

The next set of questions use thermometer scale.

Ratings between 50 degrees and 100 degrees mean that you feel favorable and warm toward the group. Ratings between 0 degrees and 50 degrees mean that you don't feel favorable toward the group and that you don't care too much for that group. You would rate the group at the 50 degree mark if you don't feel particularly warm or cold toward the group.

On the feeling thermometer scale of 0 to 100, how would you rate:

0    10    20    30    40    50    60    70    80    90    100

Donald Trump

Kamala Harris

Democrats

Republicans

## Political Knowledge

In an election for U.S. president, which of these chooses the next president if the vote in the Electoral College is tied?

- ☐ The presidential cabinet
- ☐ The U.S. House of Representatives
- ☐ The U.S. Senate
- ☐ A convention of the states

Which of the following rights is guaranteed by the FIRST Amendment to the Constitution?

- ☐ The right to freedom of religion
- ☐ The right to bear arms
- ☐ The right to privacy
- ☐ The right to remain silent

For how many years is a U.S. senator elected – that is, how many years are there in one full term of office for a U.S. senator?

- ☐ 2 years
- ☐ 4 years
- ☐ 6 years
- ☐ 8 years

Over the past year, has the inflation rate, as measured by the Consumer Price Index, increased, decreased or stayed roughly the same?

- ☐ Increased
- ☐ Decreased
- ☐ Stayed roughly the same

## Media Use / Group 1

Some people seem to follow what's going on in the government and public affairs most of the time, whether there's an election or not. Others aren't that interested. Would you say you follow what's going on in government and public affairs...?

- ☐ Most of the time
- ☐ Some of the time
- ☐ Now and then

☐ Hardly at all

In past week, have you ... (check all that apply)

- ☐ Used social media (such as Facebook or Youtube)
- ☐ Watched TV News
- ☐ Read a newspaper in print or online
- ☐ Listened to a radio news program or talk radio
- ☐ Listened to a podcast
- ☐ None of these

How often do you engage with political content on the following platforms

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Always
Instagram	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
TikTok	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Twitter/ X	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Threads	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Facebook	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How conservative or liberal would you say the overall content on these social media platforms are?

	Very conservative	Somewhat conservative	Balanced	Somewhat liberal	Very liberal	Don't know /Don't Use
Instagram	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
TikTok	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Twitter/ X	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Threads	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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Facebook	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How much do you trust the following social media platforms to provide reliable information?

	Never	Sometimes	About half the time	Most of the time	Always	Don't know / Don't
Instagram	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
TikTok	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Twitter/ X	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Threads	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Facebook	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

### Group 3 -- party second

How often do you listen to each of the following musical genres:

	Never	Sometimes	Frequently	All the Time
Classic Rock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hip-Hop / Rap	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jazz / Classical / Instrumental	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pop	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
International (Foreign Language)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you think either Democrats or Republicans are more likely to listen to these genres?

	Democrats more likely	Equally Likely	Republicans more likely
Classic Rock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hip-Hop / Rap	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jazz / Classical / Instrumental	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pop	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
International (Foreign Language)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

### Group 3 -- party first

Do you think either Democrats or Republicans are more likely to listen to these genres?

	Democrats more likely	Equally Likely	Republicans more likely
Classic Rock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hip-Hop / Rap	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jazz / Classical / Instrumental	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Pop	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Pop	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
International (Foreign Language)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

### Group 3 -- dem treatment

If your favorite musical artist endorsed a Democratic candidate, how would that impact how often you listen to their music?

- ☐ I would stop listening to their music
- ☐ I may listen to their music less often
- ☐ I don't know / It wouldn't change
- ☐ I may listen to their music more often
- ☐ I would definitely listen to their music more often

### Group 3 -- rep treatment

If your favorite musical artist endorsed a Republican candidate, how would that impact how often you listen to their music?

- ☐ I would stop listening to their music
- ☐ I may listen to their music less often
- ☐ I don't know / It wouldn't change
- ☐ I may listen to their music more often
- ☐ I would definitely listen to their music more often

## Group 4

Now we'd like to ask you some questions about elections and voting rights

Do you support or oppose the following policies

	Strongly oppose	Somewhat oppose	Neither support nor oppose	Somewhat support	Strongly support
Requiring voters to show a photo ID to vote	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing voters to vote by mail	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing voters to vote early	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing citizens to register to vote on the day of an election	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing citizens to challenge the eligibility of other voters	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Limiting the number of voter challenges a citizen can make	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Banning vote by mail	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Regularly purging voter rolls	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

If you had to pick, would you say these policies make our elections more democratic and fair or do they make our elections more likely to have fraud and

abuse more likely? Or do they have no effect?

	More democratic and fair	No effect	More likely to have fraud and abuse
Requiring voters to show a photo ID to vote	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing voters to vote by mail	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing voters to vote early	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Allowing citizens to register to vote on the day of an election	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Banning vote by mail	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Regularly purging voter rolls	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How confident are you that, across the country, the votes for president were be accurately cast and counted in this year's election

- ☐ Very confident
- ☐ Somewhat confident
- ☐ Not too confident
- ☐ Not at all confident

**Group 5 -- celeb rating no endorsement**

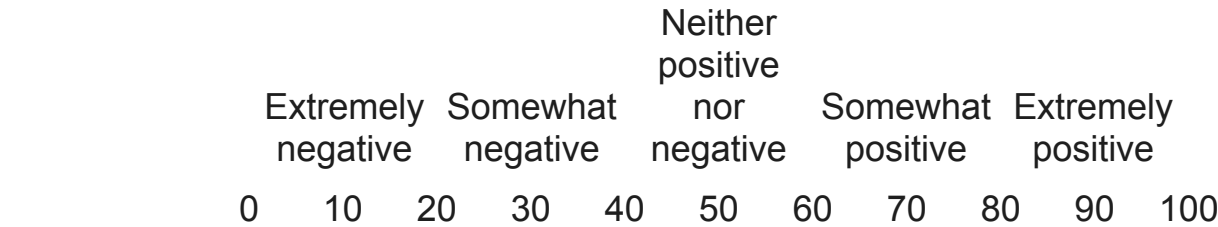
Now we'd like to ask you some questions on celebrity endorsements

Do you know who these celebrities endorsed for president in the 2024 election?

	Kamala Harris	Neither candidate	Donald Trump	Don't Know
Chappell Roan	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Taylor Swift	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dr. Phil McGraw	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Oprah Winfrey	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Kid Rock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

On scale of 0 to 100 how positively or negatively do you feel towards these public figures:

	Extremely negative	Somewhat negative	Neither positive nor negative	Somewhat positive	Extremely positive						
	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
Chappell Roan											
Kid Rock											
Dr. Phil McGraw											
Taylor Swift											
Oprah Winfrey											
Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson											
Kamala Harris											



Donald Trump

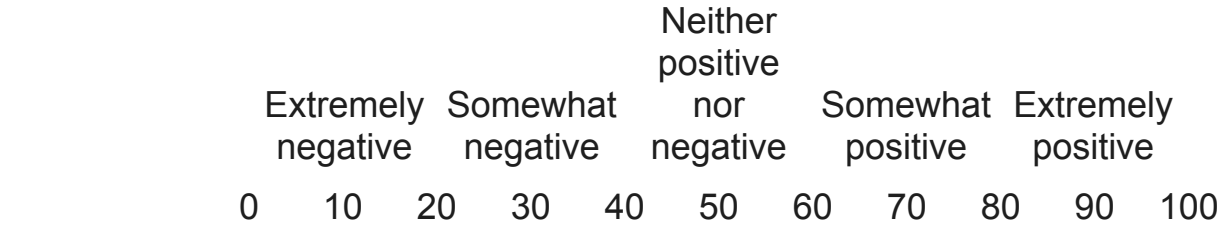
Group 5 - celeb rating with endorsements

Now we'd like to ask you some questions on celebrity endorsements

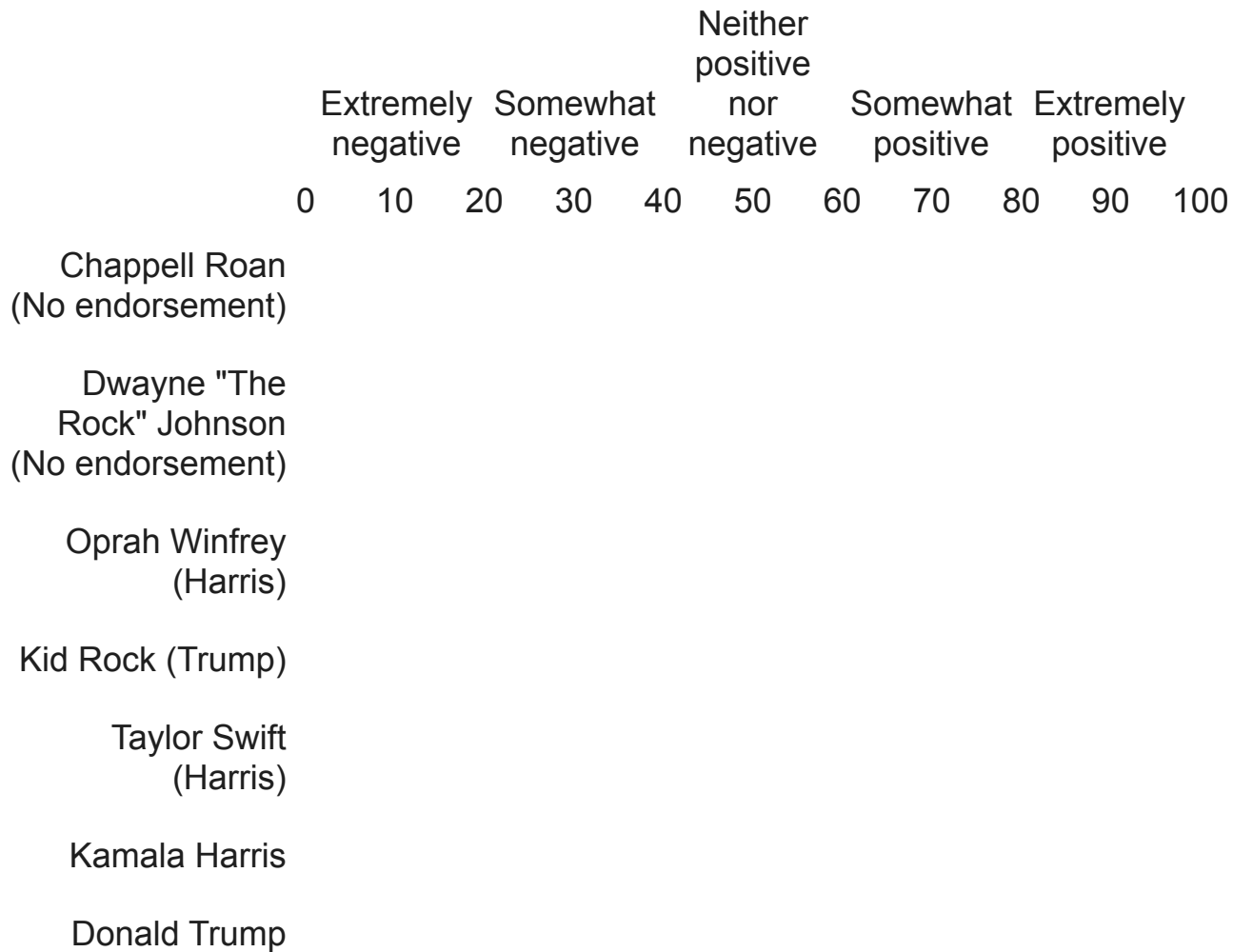
Do you know who these celebrities endorsed for president in the 2024 election?

	Kamala Harris	Neither candidate	Donald Trump	Don't know
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Taylor Swift	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Kid Rock	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Oprah Winfrey	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Chappell Roan	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

On scale of 0 to 100 how positively or negatively do you feel towards these public figures:



Dr. Phil McGraw  
(Trump)



## Group 6

Now we'd like to ask you some questions about your state's representation in various aspects of government

How well would you say your states's interests are represented by:



	Very poorly	Somewhat poorly	Somewhat well	Very well
The Supreme Court	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How well would you say your states's interests are represented by:

	Very poorly	Somewhat poorly	Somewhat well	Very well
U.S. House of Representatives	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
U.S. Senate	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
President Biden	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The Supreme Court	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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U.S. House of Representatives	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
U.S. Senate	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
President Trump	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The Supreme Court	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Do you think the current system of electing presidents via the Electoral College helps or hurts the interests of the following:

	Benefits	Neither helps nor hurts	Hurts
Democrats	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Republicans	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Residents of your state	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Yourself	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

	Benefits	Neither helps nor hurts	Hurts
Racial minorities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

For future presidential elections, would you support or oppose changing to a system in which the president is elected by direct popular vote, instead of by the Electoral College?

- ☐ Strongly oppose
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Somewhat support
- ☐ Strongly support

## Group 8

Do you agree or disagree with the following statements? I believe

	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree
There is fraudulent activity occurring in the mail-in voting process.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Illegal immigrants are voting in our elections	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Trump won the 2020 election	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Trump won the 2024 election	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## Group 2 -- T0

Now we'd like you ask you some questions about President-elect Trump's plans for immigration

How strongly would you agree or disagree with following statements. Trump's immigration plans will ...

	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree
Reduce illegal immigration	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduce legal immigration	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduce violent crime	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strengthen the economy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increase inflation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Overall, do you support or oppose President-elect Trump's plans for immigration

- ☐ Strongly support
- ☐ Somewhat support
- ☐ Neither support nor oppose
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

## Group 2 -- T1

Now we'd like you to read portion of a recent article and ask you some questions about President-elect Trump's plans for immigration



# Trump says there's 'no price tag' for his mass deportation plan

President-elect Donald Trump told MSNBC on Thursday that one of his first priorities upon taking office in January would be to make the border “strong and powerful.” When questioned about his campaign promise of mass deportations, Trump said his administration would have “no choice” but to carry them out.

Trump said he considers his sweeping victory over Vice President Kamala Harris a mandate "to bring common sense" to the country.

"We obviously have to make the border strong and powerful and, and we have to — at the same time, we want people to come into our country," he said. "And you know, I'm not somebody that says, 'No, you can't come in.' We want people to come in."

How strongly would you agree or disagree with following statements. Trump's immigration plans will ...

	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree
Reduce illegal immigration	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduce legal immigration	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduce violent crime	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strengthen the economy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increase inflation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Overall, do you support or oppose President-elect Trump's plans for immigration

- ☐ Strongly support
- ☐ Somewhat support
- ☐ Neither support nor oppose
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

## Group 2 -- T2

Now we'd like you to read an article about President-elect Trump's plans for immigration



# Trump says there's 'no price tag' for his mass deportation plan

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Reduce legal immigration	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reduce violent crime	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Strengthen the economy	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Increase inflation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Overall, do you support or oppose President-elect Trump's plans for immigration

- ☐ Strongly support
- ☐ Somewhat support
- ☐ Neither support nor oppose
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

## Group 9 -- Control

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Thinking about the article you read, how much would you agree or disagree with the following statements:

The article...

	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree
was unbiased.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
provided useful information	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
increased my support for tariffs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
decreased my support for tariffs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

How strongly do you support or oppose President Trump's tariff proposals?

- ☐ Strongly oppose
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Neither support nor oppose
- ☐ Somewhat support
- ☐ Strongly support

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How strongly do you support or oppose President Trump's tariff proposals?

- ☐ Strongly oppose
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Neither support nor oppose
- ☐ Somewhat support
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Finally, we'd like to ask you some questions about ways to reduce obesity in the U.S.

In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy?

- ☐ Strongly favor
- ☐ Somewhat favor
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy using food stamps?

- ☐ Strongly favor
- ☐ Somewhat favor
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

## Obesity 2 - General First | Same page

Finally, we'd like to ask you some questions about ways to reduce obesity in the U.S.

In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy?

- ☐ Strongly favor
- ☐ Somewhat favor
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy using food stamps?

- ☐ Strongly favor
- ☐ Somewhat favor
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

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Finally, we'd like to ask you some questions about ways to reduce obesity in the U.S.

In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy using food stamps?

- ☐ Strongly favor
- ☐ Somewhat favor
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy?

- ☐ Strongly favor
- ☐ Somewhat favor
- ☐ Somewhat oppose
- ☐ Strongly oppose

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In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy using food stamps?

- ☐ Strongly favor
- ☐ Somewhat favor
- ☐ Somewhat oppose

☐ Strongly oppose

In order to reduce obesity, do you favor or oppose limiting the types or amounts of unhealthy foods people can buy?

- ☐ Strongly favor
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