

YouGov / Barnardo's Survey Results

Sample Size: 2021
Fieldwork: 14th-16th October 2008

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Grade		Region				
	Base	Male	Female	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 +	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands and Wales	North	Scotland
All GB Adults	2021	970	1051	222	407	321	353	717	1091	930	379	440	444	515	189
Unweighted Base	2021	978	1043	208	399	326	374	714	956	1065	363	461	441	500	195

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [Please tick one option on each horizontal row]

"Children are increasingly a danger to each other and to adults"

Strongly agree	12%	14%	9%	7%	10%	11%	15%	13%	10%	14%	13%	12%	12%	12%	7%
Agree	37%	38%	37%	38%	36%	34%	37%	40%	37%	38%	40%	36%	35%	41%	34%
Disagree	32%	32%	32%	36%	31%	36%	30%	31%	33%	31%	31%	35%	34%	29%	30%
Strongly disagree	12%	11%	12%	12%	16%	12%	11%	9%	14%	10%	9%	12%	10%	11%	21%
Don't know	7%	5%	9%	8%	7%	6%	7%	7%	6%	8%	7%	5%	9%	6%	8%

"British children are beginning to behave like animals"

Strongly agree	16%	19%	14%	12%	16%	16%	18%	17%	14%	18%	16%	15%	17%	18%	11%
Agree	38%	37%	38%	36%	39%	34%	36%	40%	37%	38%	42%	40%	34%	39%	32%
Disagree	31%	31%	31%	31%	29%	36%	30%	30%	33%	29%	27%	32%	33%	30%	36%
Strongly disagree	11%	10%	11%	14%	12%	10%	12%	8%	12%	9%	11%	10%	10%	9%	18%
Don't know	5%	4%	5%	7%	5%	3%	4%	5%	4%	6%	5%	3%	7%	4%	3%

"Something has to be done to protect us from children"

Strongly agree	11%	14%	8%	8%	8%	12%	13%	13%	9%	13%	8%	13%	10%	12%	10%
Agree	32%	31%	32%	21%	29%	24%	32%	39%	31%	32%	33%	31%	33%	34%	26%
Disagree	37%	36%	37%	44%	40%	42%	32%	32%	39%	34%	37%	38%	35%	36%	33%
Strongly disagree	15%	14%	16%	19%	17%	16%	16%	12%	17%	13%	16%	14%	15%	11%	26%
Don't know	6%	5%	7%	8%	6%	6%	7%	5%	4%	8%	7%	4%	7%	7%	5%

"People refer to children as feral but I don't think they behave this way"

Strongly agree	7%	6%	8%	9%	10%	5%	6%	6%	8%	6%	5%	7%	5%	7%	15%
Agree	35%	35%	36%	32%	36%	39%	34%	35%	37%	33%	36%	36%	36%	34%	31%
Disagree	34%	35%	34%	29%	31%	34%	34%	37%	34%	34%	37%	34%	34%	34%	33%
Strongly disagree	11%	12%	10%	3%	8%	11%	14%	12%	11%	11%	9%	12%	13%	11%	9%
Don't know	13%	13%	12%	27%	14%	10%	12%	9%	9%	17%	13%	11%	12%	15%	12%

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Unweighted Base		2021		978	1043	208	399	326	374	714	956	1065	363	461	441	500	195
"Nowadays it feels like the streets are infested with children"																	
Strongly agree	8%	10%	7%	4%	6%	10%	10%	9%	7%	10%	8%	8%	7%	9%	8%		
Agree	27%	29%	26%	28%	26%	29%	24%	29%	26%	29%	28%	28%	29%	29%	20%		
Disagree	46%	45%	46%	50%	44%	44%	48%	45%	48%	43%	45%	49%	44%	45%	45%		
Strongly disagree	14%	11%	16%	11%	17%	14%	13%	13%	15%	12%	13%	12%	14%	11%	24%		
Don't know	5%	4%	6%	6%	8%	3%	5%	4%	4%	6%	6%	4%	6%	6%	4%		
"Children who get into trouble are often misunderstood and in need of professional help"																	
Strongly agree	7%	5%	9%	11%	7%	7%	4%	7%	7%	7%	8%	8%	6%	4%	7%		
Agree	37%	31%	42%	47%	43%	33%	30%	35%	39%	33%	39%	34%	34%	36%	44%		
Disagree	31%	33%	29%	19%	27%	35%	41%	31%	30%	32%	30%	33%	30%	35%	27%		
Strongly disagree	18%	23%	12%	13%	11%	17%	18%	23%	16%	19%	15%	18%	19%	20%	13%		
Don't know	8%	8%	7%	10%	11%	9%	7%	4%	7%	8%	7%	8%	10%	5%	10%		

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All GB Adults Unweighted Base	Total	Which ITV channel do you receive? (If you receive more than one ITV channel which one do you watch most often?)												
	Base	Carlton / LWT (London)	Central (Midlands)	Anglia (East Anglia)	HTV (Wales / West)	West Country TV (South West)	Meridian (South)	Granada (Lancashire)	Tyne Tees (North East)	Yorkshire	Scottish TV (Central Scotland)	Grampian TV (North Scotland)	Border	Ulster
	2021	372	307	147	131	85	182	211	97	196	130	31	26	54
	2021	356	284	154	150	91	189	190	104	198	135	30	27	60

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [Please tick one option on each horizontal row]

"Children are increasingly a danger to each other and to adults"

Strongly agree	12%	12%	12%	13%	14%	9%	11%	14%	9%	12%	6%	10%	6%	20%
Agree	37%	40%	33%	36%	40%	48%	33%	36%	42%	46%	35%	38%	23%	27%
Disagree	32%	31%	33%	34%	35%	27%	40%	33%	33%	24%	27%	37%	35%	37%
Strongly disagree	12%	9%	12%	11%	5%	12%	13%	11%	11%	11%	24%	8%	25%	11%
Don't know	7%	7%	10%	7%	7%	3%	3%	6%	6%	7%	8%	6%	12%	5%

"British children are beginning to behave like animals"

Strongly agree	16%	15%	16%	16%	19%	17%	13%	18%	13%	20%	13%	15%	1%	22%
Agree	38%	41%	33%	37%	36%	45%	41%	37%	41%	41%	31%	35%	36%	34%
Disagree	31%	27%	33%	32%	34%	29%	35%	36%	32%	23%	33%	44%	38%	29%
Strongly disagree	11%	11%	11%	11%	6%	7%	9%	7%	9%	10%	21%	3%	20%	9%
Don't know	5%	5%	7%	4%	5%	3%	2%	2%	5%	6%	3%	4%	5%	6%

"Something has to be done to protect us from children"

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Agree	32%	33%	33%	28%	34%	37%	32%	35%	34%	34%	26%	33%	20%	17%
Disagree	37%	37%	35%	38%	35%	37%	41%	37%	40%	32%	29%	41%	35%	46%
Strongly disagree	15%	16%	17%	14%	10%	10%	13%	10%	9%	14%	29%	13%	31%	15%
Don't know	6%	7%	7%	4%	6%	5%	4%	6%	7%	6%	4%	3%	8%	3%

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Strongly agree	7%	5%	4%	6%	4%	6%	6%	5%	9%	7%	16%	6%	23%	13%
Agree	35%	37%	35%	38%	40%	35%	38%	38%	31%	32%	29%	32%	44%	39%
Disagree	34%	37%	34%	35%	34%	38%	32%	35%	35%	32%	34%	39%	17%	30%
Strongly disagree	11%	9%	13%	14%	13%	7%	11%	10%	8%	13%	10%	7%	4%	9%
Don't know	13%	13%	14%	7%	9%	14%	14%	13%	16%	15%	12%	17%	12%	10%

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Strongly agree	8%	8%	5%	9%	11%	4%	8%	8%	7%	10%	8%	4%	11%	12%	
Agree	27%	28%	30%	27%	27%	35%	28%	29%	27%	32%	19%	27%	15%	18%	
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Strongly agree	7%	8%	7%	4%	6%	11%	9%	4%	3%	6%	4%	13%	9%	17%	
Agree	37%	40%	36%	31%	29%	36%	34%	30%	41%	40%	44%	37%	51%	41%	
Disagree	31%	31%	31%	42%	27%	28%	30%	39%	41%	27%	29%	23%	20%	21%	
Strongly disagree	18%	15%	17%	17%	27%	14%	21%	22%	11%	22%	14%	16%	5%	17%	
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