

# YouGov/ Epiphany Search Survey Results

Sample size: 2103

Fieldwork: 15th - 16th February 2016

Total	Gender		Age					Parental Status	
	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+	Have children	Have no children

Which, if any, of the following subjects did you study at any school you attended (e.g. primary school, secondary school etc.)? (Please select all that apply. If you didn't attend school, please select the "Not applicable" option)

Unweighted base	2103	979	1124	253	267	326	488	769	1171	932
<b>Base: All GB Adults</b>	<b>2103</b>	<b>1009</b>	<b>1094</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>736</b>	<b>1190</b>	<b>913</b>
English	93%	91%	95%	90%	89%	93%	95%	94%	94%	91%
Maths	91%	89%	93%	87%	87%	93%	94%	92%	93%	89%
Science	85%	84%	86%	89%	84%	87%	87%	81%	84%	86%
Geography	83%	82%	85%	80%	80%	81%	84%	87%	83%	83%
Art	70%	65%	74%	80%	74%	63%	67%	69%	67%	73%
IT	38%	39%	38%	83%	79%	58%	22%	4%	26%	54%
Languages (e.g. French, Spanish etc.)	74%	69%	78%	81%	82%	78%	79%	62%	70%	79%
Other	32%	34%	31%	38%	33%	29%	30%	33%	29%	37%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Not applicable - I didn't attend school (e.g. I was home-schooled, had private tutoring etc.)	2%	4%	1%	5%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%

Which, if any, of the following Maths principles from your school days are you unable to remember how to calculate? (Please select all that apply)

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Fractions	21%	20%	22%	22%	18%	25%	19%	21%	22%	19%
Percentages	20%	17%	22%	17%	18%	24%	18%	20%	20%	19%
Long division	25%	22%	27%	27%	28%	33%	22%	20%	24%	26%
Long multiplication	23%	22%	24%	26%	22%	32%	20%	19%	24%	22%
The mean	28%	23%	32%	18%	19%	32%	26%	34%	33%	21%
The median	31%	27%	35%	20%	20%	34%	30%	39%	37%	24%
The mode	35%	30%	40%	20%	24%	36%	38%	44%	39%	30%
The area of a square	23%	19%	27%	22%	22%	25%	24%	22%	24%	21%
The area of a circle	27%	24%	31%	28%	28%	31%	27%	26%	29%	26%
The line of best fit on a graph	34%	28%	39%	28%	27%	30%	37%	39%	36%	30%
The square root	26%	23%	29%	24%	25%	32%	24%	26%	28%	24%
Don't know/ can't recall	6%	6%	7%	3%	6%	7%	6%	7%	6%	6%
Not applicable - I can remember how to calculate all of these Maths principles from my school days	20%	23%	17%	29%	19%	19%	22%	16%	19%	21%
Not applicable - I didn't study Maths at school	9%	11%	7%	13%	13%	7%	6%	8%	7%	11%

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Which, if any, of the following English principles from your school days are you unable to remember? (Please select all that apply)

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What a noun is	19%	18%	20%	17%	16%	24%	19%	19%	20%	17%
What a verb is	20%	19%	21%	16%	16%	26%	19%	20%	21%	18%
What an adjective is	20%	19%	21%	16%	16%	24%	20%	21%	21%	18%
When to use a semi-colon	23%	22%	24%	16%	22%	26%	24%	24%	24%	22%
When to use a colon	22%	20%	24%	13%	22%	26%	23%	23%	24%	19%
When to use a comma	17%	16%	19%	13%	13%	21%	16%	19%	18%	16%
When to use an apostrophe	18%	16%	20%	12%	16%	19%	18%	21%	20%	15%
What an oxymoron is	34%	29%	39%	25%	32%	32%	36%	38%	38%	28%
What a metaphor is	20%	18%	23%	15%	18%	20%	22%	23%	23%	17%
What a simile is	24%	22%	25%	17%	27%	24%	24%	24%	26%	20%
Don't know/ can't recall	7%	8%	6%	3%	7%	11%	5%	8%	8%	5%
Not applicable - I can remember all of these English principles from my school days	33%	34%	33%	45%	32%	31%	34%	31%	29%	40%
Not applicable - I didn't study English at school	7%	9%	5%	10%	11%	7%	5%	6%	6%	9%

Which, if any, of the following Science principles from your school days are you unable to remember/ explain? (Please select all that apply)

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What photosynthesis is	21%	21%	20%	17%	20%	19%	21%	22%	23%	17%
What mitosis is	41%	39%	44%	38%	38%	41%	48%	41%	42%	41%
What the greenhouse effect is	19%	18%	21%	17%	24%	20%	22%	16%	21%	17%
How gravity works	23%	20%	27%	21%	25%	23%	26%	22%	24%	23%
The name of all the planets in the solar system	24%	23%	25%	17%	22%	25%	25%	26%	26%	21%
What the pH scale is	24%	22%	27%	17%	23%	22%	25%	28%	27%	21%
What the groups on the periodic table are	39%	36%	41%	41%	36%	35%	44%	38%	38%	40%
What the structure of the Earth is	24%	21%	27%	25%	21%	21%	28%	25%	26%	22%
What the water cycle is	24%	22%	27%	22%	27%	18%	25%	27%	26%	22%
Don't know/ can't recall	8%	7%	8%	3%	4%	9%	7%	11%	9%	6%
Not applicable - I can remember all of these Science principles from my school days	14%	16%	12%	24%	18%	14%	12%	10%	12%	17%
Not applicable - I didn't study Science at school	15%	16%	14%	11%	16%	13%	13%	19%	16%	14%