

YouGov / HMRC Survey Results

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Adults

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Do you have children in any of the following age groups? Please tick all that apply. (If you don't have any children, please select the 'Not applicable' option.)

4 years and under	8	6	8	8	7	6	6	9	1	18	0	0	9	6	7	8	10	6	5
5 - 11 years old	11	8	14	9	11	11	10	11	3	22	4	0	10	11	9	10	11	12	10
12 - 16 years old	7	6	9	6	8	8	7	8	0	14	6	0	7	8	3	6	8	10	11
17 years old	2	1	3	1	2	2	2	2	1	3	2	0	2	2	2	1	2	3	2
18 years old	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	0	2	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
Older than 18 years old	37	53	29	39	33	49	32	42	1	12	61	77	35	41	27	43	40	35	34
Not applicable – I don't have children	44	33	49	44	47	33	50	38	94	50	31	22	46	42	58	41	39	44	47

323	86	128	19	134	138	146	177	6	278	37	3	194	129	33	96	77	87	30
334	91	129	19	156	134	136	198	3	287	41	3	205	129	25	111	81	85	32
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

The remaining questions were asked only to respondents with children aged 16 and under; n=334

How stressful, if at all, do you find arranging childcare for the school holidays?

Very stressful	10	10	6	0	10	8	11	8	29	10	2	0	10	9	9	7	8	12	16
Fairly stressful	21	22	20	15	21	22	18	23	71	20	13	34	25	14	11	28	19	15	30
TOTAL STRESSFUL	31	32	26	15	31	30	29	31	100	30	15	34	35	23	20	35	27	27	46
Not very stressful	22	25	20	16	25	21	29	17	0	23	22	0	24	20	18	21	18	30	25
Not stressful at all	35	33	44	55	35	39	32	38	0	33	59	40	30	43	56	32	40	31	22
TOTAL NOT STRESSFUL	57	58	64	71	60	60	61	55	0	56	81	40	54	63	74	53	58	61	47
Don't know	12	9	10	14	9	11	11	13	0	13	4	26	11	14	7	12	16	12	7

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Generally speaking, how much, if at all, do you look forward to when your child/ children return to school?

I look forward to this a lot	18	17	20	7	14	22	15	21	29	19	10	26	18	20	20	16	24	15	20
I look forward to this a little	36	43	32	28	40	34	38	34	71	35	41	34	35	38	24	33	35	39	56
TOTAL LOOK FORWARD TO THIS	54	60	52	35	54	56	53	55	100	54	51	60	53	58	44	49	59	54	76
I don't look forward to this very much	19	18	21	36	20	19	25	14	0	19	23	0	21	16	31	17	18	20	10
I don't look forward to this at all	11	7	13	13	11	12	6	15	0	11	16	0	11	11	2	15	7	15	5
TOTAL DON'T LOOK FORWARD TO THIS	30	25	34	49	31	31	31	29	0	30	39	0	32	27	33	32	25	35	15
Don't know	15	14	15	16	15	12	16	15	0	16	9	40	15	15	22	19	15	11	9

How much, if at all, do you worry about balancing your job and your child/ children's childcare during the school holidays?

Worry a great deal	11	18	5	0	11	9	10	12	29	12	4	0	15	6	3	14	9	10	17
Worry a fair amount	19	18	21	10	20	18	22	17	71	20	7	0	21	17	23	18	19	17	25
TOTAL WORRY	30	36	26	10	31	27	32	29	100	32	11	0	36	23	26	32	28	27	42
Don't worry that much	27	26	27	30	29	29	32	23	0	27	27	34	31	21	28	26	24	29	29
Don't worry at all	19	21	22	16	16	23	21	18	0	17	35	0	15	26	25	18	19	21	8
TOTAL DON'T WORRY	46	47	49	46	45	52	53	41	0	44	62	34	46	47	53	44	43	50	37
Don't know	7	6	9	8	10	5	7	7	0	7	4	0	6	8	2	7	4	13	3
Not applicable – I don't work	17	11	16	36	15	15	8	24	0	16	22	66	13	22	19	16	24	9	18

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Which, if any, of the following do you currently use to help with childcare arrangements during the school summer holidays? (Please tick all that apply)

My parents/ my partner's parents	33	38	33	22	39	30	35	32	100	35	17	0	41	23	12	31	32	40	50
I take time off myself from work or have shared parental leave/ family cover	28	33	31	16	35	27	31	25	100	28	20	0	34	19	25	31	22	27	37
Other family members	20	22	20	3	24	18	18	21	82	20	7	34	20	20	20	21	10	24	29
Other parents / Friends	16	22	11	15	17	16	20	13	88	15	12	34	18	14	9	20	11	18	17
Family holidays	12	17	12	10	16	11	16	9	71	11	10	34	17	5	7	12	9	17	12
Holiday clubs (school or local authority)	10	6	12	4	11	8	9	10	0	11	5	0	12	5	9	8	8	10	17
Holiday clubs (privately- run)	6	5	7	0	7	5	7	5	0	6	8	0	9	2	0	9	9	4	6
My older children	5	7	7	0	4	6	5	5	12	5	4	0	5	5	9	4	3	6	8
Babysitters	3	5	1	5	3	4	3	3	0	4	0	0	3	4	0	3	4	1	12
Activity centres	2	2	2	7	1	4	2	2	0	2	3	34	3	0	4	5	0	1	2
Neighbours	2	1	1	0	1	1	2	2	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	3	1	1	0
Other	6	7	6	15	7	5	6	5	0	6	2	0	6	5	12	5	5	7	0
Not sure	2	1	1	0	1	2	3	1	0	2	2	0	2	1	2	3	0	2	3
Not applicable – I don't use anything	37	30	38	44	28	41	29	43	0	35	54	66	29	49	36	33	45	38	26

Which, if any, of the following best describe how you feel before the childcare arrangements have been organised? (Please tick all that apply)

Stressed	26	27	27	6	29	24	23	29	100	26	19	0	30	20	24	27	23	24	41
Calm	13	9	17	19	14	12	18	8	0	12	19	0	12	13	27	11	8	13	11
Panicky	13	17	10	7	11	11	6	18	18	14	7	0	13	12	15	16	7	12	18
Frustrated	12	14	11	0	14	10	13	11	88	11	7	0	13	12	10	15	11	14	7
Relaxed	10	12	10	15	10	11	16	5	0	9	16	34	8	12	17	8	8	12	8
Indifferent	10	9	11	25	10	12	12	9	0	11	5	26	11	9	12	8	4	20	2
Happy	5	7	2	15	4	6	9	2	0	5	10	0	6	4	11	3	6	4	6
Sad	3	5	1	5	3	3	3	4	18	3	2	0	4	2	0	5	5	1	3
Relieved	1	3	2	0	2	1	2	1	0	1	5	0	1	1	0	1	3	2	0
Other	7	10	5	7	7	9	9	6	0	8	7	0	7	8	7	6	6	11	5
Don't know	31	29	28	50	27	31	25	35	0	30	37	40	26	38	33	34	40	22	20

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And which, if any, of the following best describe how you feel after the childcare arrangements have been organised? (Please tick all that apply)

Relieved	26	39	19	26	25	29	25	26	29	26	29	0	29	20	39	32	19	21	22
Relaxed	21	22	23	19	24	20	25	17	71	19	23	0	20	21	28	20	16	24	19
Calm	16	17	18	25	19	15	21	12	71	15	22	0	19	13	22	16	9	18	22
Happy	13	14	10	15	10	14	15	12	0	13	15	34	15	11	16	18	10	11	15
Indifferent	9	6	12	25	11	7	14	6	0	10	5	0	11	7	14	3	9	15	8
Stressed	4	5	3	0	2	4	3	4	0	4	4	0	4	3	0	6	4	1	5
Frustrated	3	4	1	0	2	2	2	3	0	3	2	0	4	1	0	3	3	2	5
Panicky	2	4	1	0	2	2	2	2	0	2	0	0	2	2	0	2	2	3	3
Sad	2	5	1	5	4	1	3	2	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	4	5	0	2
Other	7	9	6	7	6	9	7	6	0	6	10	26	6	8	7	5	8	10	2
Don't know	29	26	29	46	26	30	23	35	0	29	32	40	24	37	31	32	38	23	17

**Any percentages calculated on bases fewer than 50 respondents do not represent a wide enough cross-section of the target population to be considered statistically reliable. These figures will be italicised.*