

YouGov / Fifty Acres Survey Results

Sample Size: 1034 Australian Adults
Fieldwork: 23rd - 27th November 2017

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		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%		
		9-12	23-27																
		Nov	Nov																
Voting Intention - Primary																			
	Australian Labor Party	34	32	100	0	0	0	62	0	80	8	6	29	36	30	46	31	36	25
	Liberal	21	22	0	70	0	0	0	47	3	49	4	25	20	12	24	17	19	29
	Liberal National Party	6	6	0	19	0	0	0	13	1	14	0	7	5	1	2	4	7	10
	The Nationals	3	3	0	10	0	0	0	7	1	6	2	3	4	0	3	3	3	5
	Country Liberals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	Coalition	31	32	0	100	0	0	0	67	5	70	6	35	29	13	29	24	30	44
	The Greens	11	10	0	0	100	0	16	4	4	2	75	10	11	36	8	12	10	2
	One Nation	11	11	0	0	0	100	8	14	4	13	0	10	11	0	5	17	13	13
	Nick Xenophon Team	4	5	0	0	0	0	4	5	2	3	0	4	5	1	2	6	5	6
	Christian Parties	3	3	0	0	0	0	2	5	2	2	0	4	3	1	2	6	0	5
	Katter's Australian Party	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	1
	Other/Independent	6	7	0	0	0	0	9	4	2	2	9	8	5	17	8	4	5	4
Voting Intention - Two Party Preferred																			
	Australian Labor Party	52	53	100	0	79	39	100	0	92	14	82	51	54	80	67	49	57	36
	Coalition	48	47	0	100	21	61	0	100	8	86	18	49	46	20	33	51	43	64

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Which of the following do you think would make the best Prime Minister?

Bill Shorten	31	63	10	41	18	50	12	57	13	33	33	29	31	41	38	33	21
Malcolm Turnbull	31	9	69	17	20	12	55	8	58	23	38	24	26	20	28	31	40
Not sure	38	28	22	42	62	38	34	35	29	44	29	47	43	39	35	36	39

Do you think Malcolm Turnbull is a strong or weak leader?

Strong	21	12	39	27	6	13	31	15	32	16	25	17	26	24	23	21	17
Weak	41	55	20	44	57	52	31	51	31	47	43	39	34	34	31	50	47
Neither	30	22	38	25	34	27	34	24	34	31	26	33	27	28	37	23	32
Don't know	8	10	3	5	3	8	3	9	3	7	5	11	13	14	9	6	4

The government has announced that it has cancelled a sitting week for the House of Representatives, arguing that it is to allow the Senate to finish debating the bill to legalise same-sex marriage. Labor has argued that the actual reason for the delay is because the government is scared of losing votes on issues like a banking commission. Do you approve or disapprove of the government's decision?

Approve	30	18	55	24	25	16	48	17	48	19	39	22	15	34	42	28	29
Disapprove	43	52	22	48	58	55	32	53	32	51	45	41	54	25	30	46	54
Don't know	27	30	22	28	17	29	20	30	20	29	16	37	31	41	27	26	17

Do you have a favourable or unfavourable opinion of the following?

John Alexander (The Liberal candidate for the Bennelong by-election)

Very favourable	17	5	35	7	20	4	32	5	33	7	23	12	5	13	19	15	25
Somewhat favourable	23	13	40	15	14	12	37	15	35	9	24	21	13	18	22	19	30
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	40	18	75	22	34	16	69	20	68	16	47	33	18	31	41	34	55
Somewhat unfavourable	14	22	8	21	10	21	7	18	8	25	16	12	15	10	12	23	12
Very unfavourable	14	25	4	20	13	23	5	26	5	20	14	13	15	17	9	13	14
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	28	47	12	41	23	44	12	44	13	45	30	25	30	27	21	36	26
Don't know	33	36	14	36	43	41	19	36	19	39	23	42	51	43	37	30	19

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Kristina Keneally (The Labor candidate for the Bennelong by-election)

Very favourable	17	31	10	21	11	26	10	25	11	25	21	14	10	25	21	16	14
Somewhat favourable	22	30	16	28	21	28	17	32	17	21	23	21	18	21	29	23	20
TOTAL FAVOURABLE	39	61	26	49	32	54	27	57	28	46	44	35	28	46	50	39	34
Somewhat unfavourable	13	5	21	9	13	7	20	8	18	9	16	10	16	10	7	14	16
Very unfavourable	16	2	34	4	24	3	32	2	35	2	18	15	3	1	12	21	30
TOTAL UNFAVOURABLE	29	7	55	13	37	10	52	10	53	11	34	25	19	11	19	35	46
Don't know	32	32	19	38	32	36	21	33	19	43	23	40	53	44	31	26	20

Do you think that the bill to legalise same sex marriage should or should not incorporate new religious protection laws?

It should	46	39	58	21	55	32	62	36	59	22	56	36	27	50	55	32	53
It should not	36	39	27	68	34	49	24	40	31	62	34	39	62	30	24	46	32
Don't know	18	22	15	11	11	19	13	25	10	17	10	25	12	20	21	22	15

Around 420 asylum seekers have remained in Australia's former detention centre on Manus Island in Papua New Guinea which closed on 31 October. Many of the asylum seekers say they fear for their safety if they move to nearby transit centres. Do you think the Australian Government does or does not still have a responsibility for the safety of the asylum seekers remaining in the closed detention centre?

The government does have a responsibility	55	67	49	87	19	65	46	62	44	85	58	52	80	67	57	52	41
The government does not have a responsibility	36	21	45	9	72	25	48	24	52	13	36	36	15	23	27	38	54
Don't know	9	11	6	3	10	9	6	14	4	2	6	12	5	10	16	11	5

Currently, under Australia's constitution, a person cannot run for federal office if they hold dual citizenship. Do you think the constitution should or should not be changed to allow dual citizens to run for Federal office?

It should be changed	46	42	58	45	44	41	52	37	56	39	47	44	27	60	46	44	45
It should not be changed	40	43	36	33	47	41	40	46	38	34	45	36	45	24	34	46	48
Don't know	14	15	6	22	9	17	8	17	6	27	8	20	28	17	20	10	7

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Currently, under Australia's constitution, a person cannot run for federal office if they "hold any office of profit under the crown" (meaning they already work for the state in some other role when they run for office). Do you think the constitution should or should not be changed to allow those who "hold any office of profit under the crown" to run for Federal office?

It should be changed	31	25	44	32	29	25	40	22	42	22	37	25	19	42	39	24	29
It should not be changed	47	51	45	47	49	49	47	51	46	47	50	44	54	25	30	58	59
Don't know	22	25	12	20	23	26	14	26	12	31	13	31	26	32	31	18	12

Australian Prime Minister Malcolm Turnbull has been mocked for failing to name any songs by Australian band AC/DC following the death of guitarist Malcolm Young. How important, if at all, do you think it is for politicians to be familiar with popular culture such as football, music and current TV shows?

Very important	16	17	12	16	19	16	17	19	13	12	18	14	16	21	24	17	9
Fairly important	24	31	20	32	19	30	19	34	18	25	24	25	28	28	27	26	19
TOTAL IMPORTANT	40	48	32	48	38	46	36	53	31	37	42	39	44	49	51	43	28
Not very important	28	25	32	34	25	28	29	21	33	37	27	29	28	24	20	27	35
Not at all important	25	19	33	13	29	19	32	17	34	22	27	24	20	17	16	25	36
TOTAL NOT IMPORTANT	53	44	65	47	54	47	61	38	67	59	54	53	48	41	36	52	71
Don't know	6	7	3	4	9	7	3	9	3	3	4	8	8	10	13	4	1