

YouGov / Save the Children Survey Results

Sample Size: 1681 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 29th - 30th August 2018

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	24-25 June	29-30 Aug																		
How much do you currently know about the conflict in Yemen?																				
I know a lot about the conflict in Yemen	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	3	2	4	2	3	1	2	4	3	1	4	3	1
I know a little about the conflict in Yemen	22	18	21	20	26	21	19	22	14	10	15	20	24	21	13	23	20	14	18	14
I have heard about the conflict in Yemen but know very little	51	53	57	55	63	59	54	53	54	40	50	60	60	54	53	53	55	53	52	53
I have never heard about the conflict in Yemen	18	20	16	18	8	14	20	16	22	33	25	13	10	18	22	12	19	22	21	22
Don't know	8	7	5	5	1	5	5	6	7	13	8	3	5	5	9	9	5	7	7	10
Since 2015, a coalition led by Saudi Arabia and the United Emirates has been involved in the conflict in Yemen. The UK Government is approving the sale of arms to both countries. Before taking this survey, were you aware that the UK Government is approving the sale of arms which could be used in the conflict in Yemen?																				
Yes, I was aware	31	36	38	38	59	43	36	46	27	27	29	42	47	40	31	44	37	33	35	34
No, I was not aware	62	58	57	57	41	53	60	48	67	67	63	53	50	56	60	49	57	63	59	58
Don't know	7	6	5	5	0	4	5	6	6	6	8	5	3	3	9	7	6	4	6	8
Generally speaking, to what extent do you support or oppose UK arms sales to Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates which may be used in the conflict in Yemen?																				
Strongly support	3	3	6	0	2	1	5	5	1	4	2	3	4	3	3	2	3	2	3	2
Tend to support	9	10	18	5	8	8	13	16	5	7	8	11	16	11	9	10	11	11	12	5
TOTAL SUPPORT	12	13	24	5	10	9	18	21	6	11	10	14	20	14	12	12	14	13	15	7
Tend to oppose	27	24	29	22	31	26	26	23	26	19	22	29	27	25	23	27	28	24	19	25
Strongly oppose	34	39	23	55	51	46	33	33	44	35	38	39	42	42	34	35	35	40	45	37
TOTAL OPOSE	61	63	52	77	82	72	59	56	70	54	60	68	69	67	57	62	63	64	64	62
Don't know	28	23	24	17	8	19	22	23	24	35	30	18	12	18	31	26	23	23	22	30

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Which one of the following statements best reflects what you think the UK government should do?																					
		47	51	38	66	66	57	48	47	55	48	48	57	53	54	47	48	51	53	51	53
	The government should not approve any arms sales to any government involved in the Yemen conflict																				
	The government should approve about the same level of arms sales to any government involved in the Yemen conflict as they currently do	11	11	20	5	8	9	15	16	7	7	9	10	19	13	10	12	12	13	10	6
	The government should approve fewer arms sales to any government involved in the Yemen conflict	9	8	11	7	13	9	10	9	8	8	7	9	12	9	8	11	8	6	10	7
	The government should approve more arms sales to any government involved in the Yemen conflict	3	2	4	1	1	1	4	4	1	1	2	3	2	2	2	1	2	2	3	3
	Don't know	31	27	26	22	12	25	24	24	30	36	35	21	15	22	33	28	27	26	26	31
Before taking this survey, were you aware that the coalition led by Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates (UAE) led an air strike in Yemen which hit a school bus in Saada, killed over 40 children, and left another 56 wounded?																					
	Yes, I was aware	34	40	32	51	39	35	40	28	16	23	42	53	37	30	41	34	33	32	31	
	No, I was not aware	60	55	63	49	56	59	54	66	75	68	53	44	59	61	53	60	62	63	55	
	Don't know	6	5	5	0	6	5	6	7	8	9	4	3	4	9	7	6	5	5	14	
And has this attack made you more or less favourable towards British support for Saudi Arabia and the UAE in the Yemen conflict, including arms supplies, or has there been no difference?																					
	More favourable	1	0	1	2	1	0	1	1	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0
	Less favourable	24	22	26	26	24	23	25	23	26	20	28	26	26	21	23	24	23	27	15	
	No difference – I was favourable before and still am	9	19	2	11	7	14	16	4	3	7	11	15	10	9	8	11	10	9	7	
	No difference – I wasn't favourable before and still am not	44	35	54	52	48	43	39	48	42	46	42	44	46	41	47	43	44	43	46	
	Don't know	22	23	16	10	20	21	19	25	25	27	19	15	18	28	21	22	22	19	31	

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Following the attack, Saudi Arabia released a statement stating that the air strike was a 'legitimate military action'. Do you think the air strike should or should not be considered as 'legitimate military action'?

Should definitely be considered as legitimate	2	3	1	2	2	2	3	2	4	2	3	2	2	3	2	1	3	2	3
Should probably be considered as legitimate	8	11	4	3	5	9	10	6	11	7	7	9	8	7	6	8	7	8	9
TOTAL SHOULD BE CONSIDERED AS LEGITIMATE	10	14	5	5	7	11	13	8	15	9	10	11	10	10	8	9	10	10	12
Should probably not be considered as legitimate	23	27	22	28	22	25	24	22	24	20	22	30	24	22	23	23	24	24	19
Should definitely not be considered as legitimate	37	26	51	53	46	33	37	36	28	34	43	41	39	34	40	34	37	39	37
TOTAL SHOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED AS LEGITIMATE	60	53	73	81	68	58	61	58	52	54	65	71	63	56	63	57	61	63	56
Don't know	30	34	21	14	24	31	26	34	33	38	26	18	26	35	30	33	28	27	33

Following the attack on the school bus, which, if any, of the following best reflects what you think should happen? (Please tick all that apply)

The UK government should back the UN Secretary General's call for an independent investigation into the attack	47	44	56	70	57	43	51	43	43	42	53	52	53	39	59	48	43	44	42
The UK government should immediately suspend the supply of British arms at risk of being used in Yemen	38	27	53	57	48	32	35	41	40	37	40	37	41	34	47	38	35	37	36
The UK government should publicly condemn the attack	36	28	46	65	45	31	39	34	33	32	39	43	40	32	43	36	35	35	34
The UK government should call for an immediate ceasefire in Yemen	32	24	41	46	39	27	36	28	31	29	36	34	34	29	40	31	27	33	31
Other	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	5
The UK government should take no action	8	12	3	7	4	11	10	5	6	9	7	7	7	8	5	9	9	6	8
Don't know	19	17	17	5	17	16	16	23	27	27	13	8	15	25	16	17	21	21	23

Do you think the UK's role in supporting the Saudi-led Coalition does or does not reflect British values and interests?

Does reflect British values and interests very strongly	4	3	4	5	5	3	5	3	3	5	6	2	3	5	5	3	4	5	6
Does reflect British values and interests fairly strongly	10	13	8	5	10	11	13	7	13	8	11	13	11	9	10	8	10	14	9
TOTAL DOES REFLECT BRITISH VALUES AND INTERESTS	14	16	12	10	15	14	18	10	16	13	17	15	14	14	15	11	14	19	15
Does not reflect British values and interests very strongly	23	27	25	33	26	25	24	23	24	18	28	29	27	19	22	26	23	22	24
Does not reflect British values and interests at all	28	20	36	35	31	27	27	29	24	29	27	28	29	26	31	27	28	28	26
TOTAL DOES NOT REFLECT BRITISH VALUES AND INTERESTS	51	47	61	68	57	52	51	52	48	47	55	57	56	45	53	53	51	50	50
Don't know	34	37	26	22	29	34	30	38	35	41	29	28	30	41	33	37	34	32	36