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**-- FINAL TOPLINE --**

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted August 1-12, 2018 with a random sample of –1,024—adults, ages 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on this sample of national adults, the margin of sampling error is  $\pm 4$  percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of –533—adults who are employed full- or part-time, the maximum margin of sampling error is  $\pm 5$  percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –229—parents with children in Kindergarten through Grade 12, the maximum margin of sampling error is  $\pm 8$  percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample of national adults includes a minimum quota of 70% cell phone respondents and 30% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained sample for this study from Survey Sampling International. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2017 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the July-December 2017 National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the 2010 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

In addition to sampling error, question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of public opinion polls. For questions about how this survey was conducted, please contact [galluphelp@gallup.com](mailto:galluphelp@gallup.com).

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Thinking again about Donald Trump,

8. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling -- [ITEMS READ IN RANDOM ORDER]?

*2018 Aug 1-12*  
*(sorted by "approve")*

	Approve	Disapprove
The economy	50	47
The situation with North Korea	46	50
Gun policy	43	53
Foreign trade	39	56
Foreign affairs	39	58
Education	39	54
Immigration	38	61
The environment	35	61
Relations with Russia	35	61

### **TREND RESULTS**

#### **A. The economy**

	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
2018 Aug 1-12	50	47	2
2018 Feb 1-10	51	47	1
2017 Nov 2-8	45	51	4
2017 Sep 6-10	51	47	2
2017 Jun 7-11	45	53	2
2017 Feb 1-5	48	47	5

#### **B. Foreign affairs**

	Approve	Disapprove	No opinion
2018 Aug 1-12	39	58	4
2018 Feb 1-10	39	59	2
2017 Nov 2-8	33	61	5
2017 Sep 6-10	41	56	3
2017 Jun 7-11	35	62	3
2017 Feb 1-5	38	57	4

## Q.8 (TRUMP APPROVAL ON ISSUES) CONTINUED

### C. Education

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2018 Aug 1-12	39	54	7

### D. Immigration

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2018 Aug 1-12	38	61	1
2018 Feb 1-10	41	58	2
2017 Sep 6-10	39	60	2
2017 Jun 7-11	40	59	2
2017 Feb 1-5	42	57	1

### E. Foreign trade

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2018 Aug 1-12	39	56	5
2018 Feb 1-10	46	49	5
2017 Feb 1-5	45	51	4

### F. The situation with North Korea

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2018 Aug 1-12	46	50	5
2018 Feb 1-10	41	55	4
2017 Nov 2-8	35	60	5
2017 Sep 6-10	45	50	5

### G. Relations with Russia

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2018 Aug 1-12	35	61	4
2018 Feb 1-10	37	59	4
2017 Jun 7-11	30	66	5

### H. The environment

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2018 Aug 1-12	35	61	4
2017 Jun 7-11	32	63	5

**Q.8 (TRUMP APPROVAL ON ISSUES) CONTINUED**

**I. Gun policy**

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2018 Aug 1-12	43	53	5