

## GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

### GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SERIES: WORK AND EDUCATION

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted August 1-14, 2019 with a random sample of –1,522—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  $\pm 3$  percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of –761—adults who are employed full- or part-time, the maximum margin of sampling error is  $\pm 4$  percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –320—parents with children in Kindergarten through Grade 12, the maximum margin of sampling error is  $\pm 7$  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 Dynata. 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 2018 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2018 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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Finally,

31. We have a question about Unidentified Flying Objects, also known as UFOs. Which comes closer to your view – [ROTATED: some UFOs have been alien spacecraft visiting Earth from other planets or galaxies, (or) all UFO sightings can be explained by human activity on Earth or natural phenomenon]

	Some have been <u>Alien spacecraft</u>	All human activity/ <u>Natural phenomenon</u>	No <u>opinion</u>
2019 Aug 1-14	33	60	7

**GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SURVEY  
August 2019  
Public Release Data**

**QN31: View of UFOs BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	1522	805	717	1122	340	290	380	822	667	504	332	463	568	431	594	526	330
	Weighted n	1522	749	773	1001	482	434	467	604	498	430	587	409	612	445	565	542	353
Some UFOs have been alien spacecraft visiting Earth from other planets or galaxies, (or)		506	253	253	338	163	160	150	190	132	170	203	122	234	141	160	201	138
		33%	34%	33%	34%	34%	37%	32%	31%	27%	40%	35%	30%	38%	32%	28%	37%	39%
All UFO sightings can be explained by human activity on Earth or natural phenomenon (or)		915	456	459	615	278	262	281	367	335	237	342	269	345	268	370	317	198
		60%	61%	59%	61%	58%	60%	60%	61%	67%	55%	58%	66%	56%	60%	65%	59%	56%
(DK)/(Refused)		101	40	61	48	41	12	36	47	30	22	42	18	32	36	36	24	17
		7%	5%	8%	5%	9%	3%	8%	8%	6%	5%	7%	4%	5%	8%	6%	4%	5%