

GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

JUNE WAVE 1

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted June 1-15, 2026, with a random sample of –1,001—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 ± 4 percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of –500—national adults in Form A and the sample of –501—national adults in Form B, the margin of sampling error is ± 5 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 80% cell phone respondents and 20% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. 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, party identification, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the most recent Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the most recent National Health Interview Survey. Party identification targets are based on the average of the three most recent Gallup polls. Population density targets are based on the 2020 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.

7. Now I am going to read you a list of institutions in American society. Please tell me how much confidence you, yourself, have in each one -- a great deal, quite a lot, some, or very little?

Q. Higher Education

	<u>Great deal</u>	<u>Quite a lot</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Very little</u>	<u>None (vol.)</u>	<u>No opinion</u>	Great deal/ Quite a lot
2026 Jun 1-15	18	20	37	24	1	1	38
2025 Jun 2-26	17	25	33	21	2	1	42
2024 Jun 3-23	18	18	32	30	2	1	36
2023 Jun 1-22	17	19	40	22	1	*	36
2018 Jun 1-13	23	25	34	15	1	1	48
2015 Jun 2-7	28	29	33	9	1	1	57

GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SURVEY
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QN7Q: Confidence in: Higher education BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Household Income

	Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Household Income		
		Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000-100,000	\$100,000+
A great deal	18%	16%	20%	13%	28%	15%	21%	17%	17%	18%	19%	10%	17%	26%	21%	16%	17%
Quite a lot	20%	18%	21%	21%	18%	24%	17%	20%	26%	17%	16%	13%	22%	24%	21%	18%	21%
Some	37%	37%	36%	38%	34%	41%	36%	36%	37%	36%	38%	42%	34%	37%	33%	40%	38%
Very little	24%	27%	22%	26%	19%	19%	26%	25%	19%	28%	26%	34%	26%	12%	24%	23%	24%
NONE (VOL)	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	2%	0%
DONT KNOW/REFUSED	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	-	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%