

FOX NEWS POLL

*Questions 13-17 and 29-52 are for release after 6:00 PM/ET Wed. June 28, 2023.
All other results are held for future release.*

Methodology

Conducted June 23-26, 2023, this Fox News Poll includes interviews among 1,005 registered voters (RV) nationwide who were randomly selected from a national voter file and spoke with live interviewers. Landline (148) and cellphone (857) telephone numbers were selected for inclusion using a probability proportionate to size method, which means phone numbers for each state are proportional to the number of voters in each state.

Results based on the full sample have a margin of sampling error of ± 3 percentage points.

The Fox News Poll is conducted under the joint direction of Beacon Research (D) and Shaw & Company Research (R).

Fieldwork conducted by Braun Research, Inc. of Princeton, NJ.
Fox News Polls before 2011 were conducted by Opinion Dynamics Corporation.

Results are of registered voters, unless otherwise noted.

An asterisk () is used for percentages of less than one-half percent.*

A dash (-) represents a value of zero.

Some percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding. In the same way, percentages in "total" columns may be one point more or less than the sum of their parts due to rounding.

Questions 1-12 held for future release.

13. Overall, would you say you generally trust the federal government, or not?

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
23-26 Jun 23	31%	66	3
22-25 May 21	34%	60	6
16-18 Jul 17	32%	61	7
5-8 Jun 16	36%	61	4
21-23 Jun 15	37%	61	3
10, 12-13 May 14	37%	60	3
22-24 Jun 13	35%	62	3
7-9 Oct 12	42%	53	5
17-19 Jul 11	33%	62	5
8-9 Jun 10	35%	60	6
23-24 Feb 10	37%	59	4
17-18 Feb 09	41%	54	5
26-27 Jun 02	54%	36	10

14.-17. I'm going to read you a list of institutions. Please tell me how much confidence you have in each. How much confidence do you have in: [RANDOMIZE]

	<u>-----Have confidence-----</u>			<u>-----Lack confidence-----</u>			<u>(Don't know)</u>
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>A great deal</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Not much</u>	<u>None at all</u>	
The FBI -- the Federal Bureau of Investigation?							
23-26 Jun 23	59%	21	38	40	17	23	1
9-12 Dec 22	63%	22	41	35	23	12	2
9-12 Sep 22	70%	30	41	13	7	6	17
6-8 Oct 19	69%	25	44	28	19	9	3
10-13 Feb 18	73%	30	43	24	14	10	3
16-18 Jul 17	73%	27	47	19	12	8	7
21-23 May 17	79%	39	40	19	13	6	2
11-13 Feb 17	80%	29	51	19	10	9	2
9-11 Feb 14	74%	24	50	20	12	8	6
18-19 Jun 02	73%	24	49	21	15	6	6
The Department of Justice?							
23-26 Jun 23	51%	18	32	49	25	24	1
The Supreme Court?							
23-26 Jun 23	48%	13	35	52	29	22	1
6-8 Oct 19	68%	22	45	30	21	8	3
10-13 Feb 18	76%	30	46	21	14	6	3
11-13 Feb 17	83%	31	52	15	9	6	2
9-11 Feb 14	69%	21	48	29	18	11	1

Congress?	-----Have confidence-----			-----Lack confidence-----			(Don't know)
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>A great deal</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Not much</u>	<u>None at all</u>	
23-26 Jun 23	34%	6	29	65	39	27	1
6-8 Oct 19	45%	9	35	53	33	20	3
10-13 Feb 18	44%	8	36	54	31	23	2
11-13 Feb 17	53%	8	45	45	26	19	2
9-11 Feb 14	39%	5	34	61	33	28	1
20-21 May 03	71%	11	60	25	19	6	4
2-3 Apr 02	76%	19	57	21	17	4	3

Questions 18-28 held for future release.

Next...

29. In the presidential <READ IN: primary election / caucus> in <state> next year, are you more likely to vote in the Democratic or Republican <READ IN: primary election / caucus> for president, or are you unlikely to participate in either?

	Democratic Primary / <u>caucus</u>	Republican Primary / <u>caucus</u>	<u>Neither</u>	(Other / <u>Don't know</u>)
23-26 Jun 23	39%	39	18	3
19-22 May 23	40%	41	16	3
21-24 Apr 23	39%	41	17	3
24-27 Mar 23	39%	42	15	4
19-22 Feb 23	40%	41	16	3

[Q30-33 IF DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY / CAUCUS IN Q29, ±5%]

30. I'm going to read a list of potential candidates for the 2024 Democratic nomination for president. Please tell me which one you would like to see as the Democratic presidential nominee. [RANDOMIZE]

	<u>23-26 Jun 23</u> N=394	<u>19-22 May 23</u> N=402	<u>21-24 Apr 23</u> N=392
Joe Biden	64%	62%	62%
Robert Kennedy, Jr.	17	16	19
Marianne Williamson	10	8	9
(Other)	2	4	4
(None of the above)	2	2	3
(Don't know)	6	8	4

31.-33. Which of the following best describes how you feel about voting for [NAME] for the Democratic nomination? [RANDOMIZE]

	I would definitely vote <u>for him/her</u>	I might vote <u>for him/her</u>	I would never vote <u>for him/her</u>	I want more info about him/her <u>to decide</u>	(Don't <u>know</u>)
Joe Biden	49%	36	10	5	1
Robert Kennedy, Jr.	14%	31	26	27	2
Marianne Williamson	14%	21	18	42	4

[Q34-43 IF REPUBLICAN PRIMARY / CAUCUS IN Q29, ±5%]

34. I'm going to read a list of potential candidates for the 2024 Republican nomination for president. Please tell me which one you would like to see as the Republican presidential nominee. [RANDOMIZE]

23-26 Jun 23

N=391

Donald Trump	56%
Ron DeSantis	22
Vivek Ramaswamy	5
Mike Pence	4
Tim Scott	4
Nikki Haley	3
Chris Christie	1
Larry Elder	1
Asa Hutchinson	1
Doug Burgum	*
Will Hurd	-
Francis Suarez	-
(Other)	*
(None of the above)	1
(Don't know)	3

For reference:

	<u>19-22 May 23</u>	<u>21-24 Apr 23</u>	<u>24-27 Mar 23</u>	<u>19-22 Feb 23</u>
	N=412	N=408	N=426	N=413
Donald Trump	53%	53%	54%	43%
Ron DeSantis	20	21	24	28
Mike Pence	5	6	6	7
Nikki Haley	4	4	3	7
Vivek Ramaswamy	4	3	1	N/A
Liz Cheney	2	2	3	2
Tim Scott	2	2	*	1
Greg Abbott	1	1	2	2
Kristi Noem	1	*	1	1
Chris Sununu	1	1	1	*
Glenn Youngkin	1	1	*	1
Chris Christie	*	1	1	*
Larry Elder	*	1	N/A	N/A
Asa Hutchinson	-	*	1	-
Francis Suarez	-	*	*	*
(Other)	*	1	1	1
(None of the above)	*	1	-	1
(Don't know)	4	2	3	3

[ROTATE NEXT TWO QUESTIONS]

35. In deciding your vote in the Republican presidential primary, how important is voting for a candidate who shares your views on the issues?

	-----Important-----			-----Not important-----			(Don't know)
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Not very</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>know</u>
23-26 Jun 23	95%	55	40	5	3	2	1

36. In deciding your vote for the Republican presidential primary, how important is voting for a candidate who can defeat Joe Biden?

	-----Important-----			-----Not important-----			(Don't know)
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Not very</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>know</u>
23-26 Jun 23	90%	70	20	9	4	5	*

37.-42. Which of the following best describes how you feel about voting for [NAME] for the Republican nomination? [RANDOMIZE]

	I would definitely vote for him/her	I might vote for him/her	I would never vote for him/her	I want more info about him/her to decide	(Don't know)
Donald Trump					
23-26 Jun 23	58%	26	13	2	1
10-12 Oct 15	37%	34	18	9	1
30 Jul-2 Aug 15^	34%	22	33	10	2
31 May-2 Jun 15	8%	15	59	16	2
<i>^August 2015: results among a split sample, +/-6%</i>					
Ron DeSantis					
23-26 Jun 23	30%	39	14	15	2
Vivek Ramaswamy					
23-26 Jun 23	13%	31	16	37	3
Mike Pence					
23-26 Jun 23	12%	40	35	10	2
Tim Scott					
23-26 Jun 23	12%	34	16	36	2
Nikki Haley					
23-26 Jun 23	10%	33	20	35	2

43. If your preferred candidate doesn't win the Republican nomination, which of the following are you most likely to do in November's general election?

	<u>23-26 Jun 23</u>
Vote for whoever is the Republican nominee	79%
Vote for the Democratic candidate	5
Vote for a third-party candidate	5
Not vote at all	4
(Depends on who wins)	6
(Don't know)	2

For reference: [IF DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY/CAUCUS ±4%] If your preferred candidate doesn't win the Democratic nomination, what are you most likely to do in November's general election?

	<u>19-22 Jan 20</u>
Vote for whoever is the Democratic nominee	82%
Vote for Donald Trump	3
Vote for a third-party candidate	4
Not vote at all	3
(Depends on who wins)	5
(Don't know)	4

[RESUME ALL]

44. How open would you be to voting for Cornel West as a third-party presidential candidate?

	-----Open-----			-----Not open-----			(Don't know)
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Extremely</u>	<u>Very</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Not very</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	
23-26 Jun 23	17%	6	11	71	35	36	13

45.-46. Thinking about each of the following individuals and their handling of classified documents, please tell me if you think they did something illegal, they did something careless but not illegal, or they didn't do anything wrong regarding classified documents.

[RANDOMIZE]

	<u>Did something illegal</u>	<u>Did something careless but not illegal</u>	<u>Didn't do anything wrong</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
Donald Trump				
23-26 Jun 23	56%	27	16	2
27-30 Jan 23	51%	29	19	1
Joe Biden				
23-26 Jun 23	37%	41	19	3
27-30 Jan 23	37%	46	14	3

47. Do you think Donald Trump's handling of classified documents after his presidency put our national security at risk, or not?

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
23-26 Jun 23	54%	42	4

[ROTATE NEXT TWO QUESTIONS]

48. Would you say the Department of Justice treatment of Donald Trump has been too tough, not tough enough, or has it been fair?

	<u>Too tough</u>	<u>Not tough enough</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
23-26 Jun 23	38%	36	23	2

49. Would you say the Department of Justice treatment of Hunter Biden has been too tough, not tough enough, or has it been fair?

	<u>Too tough</u>	<u>Not tough enough</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
23-26 Jun 23	7%	55	34	4

[READ IN SAME TRUMP/BIDEN ORDER AS Q48-49]

50. Do you think the way the Department of Justice is treating Donald Trump is motivated by partisan politics, or not?

	<u>Yes, it is</u>	<u>No, it isn't</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
23-26 Jun 23	55%	41	4

For reference: How much do you think each of the following is motivated by partisan politics? The lawsuit former President Donald Trump faces in New York about potential violations in 2016 of federal campaign finance laws.

	-----Motivated-----			-----Not motivated-----			
	A						(Don't know)
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>great deal</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Not much</u>	<u>None at all</u>	
21-24 Apr 23	64%	43	21	33	16	16	3

51. Do you think the way the Department of Justice is treating Hunter Biden is motivated by partisan politics, or not?

	<u>Yes, it is</u>	<u>No, it isn't</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
23-26 Jun 23	55%	39	6

For reference: How much do you think each of the following is motivated by partisan politics? Congressional investigations into Hunter Biden's business dealings with foreign governments.

	-----Motivated-----			-----Not motivated-----			
	A						(Don't know)
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>great deal</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Not much</u>	<u>None at all</u>	
21-24 Apr 23	70%	42	28	27	15	11	3

52. Do you think Donald Trump's legal issues will help or hurt his chances in the November general election, or not make much of a difference either way?

	<u>Help</u>	<u>Hurt</u>	<u>No difference</u>	<u>(Don't know)</u>
23-26 Jun 23	17%	40	41	3

POLITICAL IDENTIFICATION

	-----Democrat-----			-----Republican-----			Independent /
	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Solid</u>	<u>Lean</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>Solid</u>	<u>Lean</u>	<u>Other</u>
23-26 Jun 23	42%	32	10	39	34	5	19
19-22 May 23	43%	34	9	41	32	9	17
21-24 Apr 23	42%	33	9	40	33	7	18
24-27 Mar 23	42%	33	9	41	33	8	18
19-22 Feb 23	43%	32	11	42	34	8	15
27-30 Jan 23	39%	31	8	42	33	9	19
9-12 Dec 22	38%	30	8	41	34	7	21
9-12 Oct 22	42%	32	10	41	33	8	17
9-12 Sep 22	41%	33	8	39	32	7	19
6-9 Aug 22	39%	32	7	40	33	7	22
10-13 Jul 22	41%	32	9	41	35	6	19
10-13 Jun 22	40%	32	8	41	34	7	19