

YouGov/Adam Smith Institute Survey Results

Sample Size: 1742 GB adults

Fieldwork: 12th - 13th August 2012

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To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? (Please tick one option per row)

It is up to me, rather than the government, to secure myself a job

Strongly agree	24	36	16	31	33	16	23	25	23	14	28	21	27	26	20	27	26	23	23	15
Tend to agree	47	45	42	55	46	48	47	48	46	56	46	49	41	49	43	44	47	45	49	46
TOTAL AGREE	71	81	58	86	79	64	70	73	69	70	74	70	68	75	63	71	73	68	72	61
Neither agree nor disagree	20	13	30	11	14	25	22	18	22	19	16	22	21	17	24	19	20	22	17	25
Tend to disagree	5	2	8	3	2	7	4	5	5	4	4	5	6	4	6	6	3	4	6	9
Strongly disagree	2	1	3	1	1	2	2	2	2	0	1	2	3	1	2	1	1	3	2	2
TOTAL DISAGREE	7	3	11	4	3	9	6	7	7	4	5	7	9	5	8	7	4	7	8	11
Don't know	3	2	2	0	3	3	1	3	3	6	5	2	3	3	4	3	3	3	4	3

At some stage I would quite like to run my own business instead of working all my life for other people

Strongly agree	12	15	11	14	13	9	14	12	12	17	15	12	6	14	10	15	15	12	9	6
Tend to agree	20	19	17	29	19	19	21	25	17	32	29	18	11	20	21	21	22	16	22	22
TOTAL AGREE	32	34	28	43	32	28	35	37	29	49	44	30	17	34	31	36	37	28	31	28
Neither agree nor disagree	25	25	26	17	26	25	21	26	24	12	20	27	33	26	24	22	25	26	27	21
Tend to disagree	15	15	19	18	15	18	16	12	18	10	19	16	12	15	15	13	15	19	11	20
Strongly disagree	21	20	23	20	21	24	22	19	23	17	11	22	30	19	23	20	18	20	26	24
TOTAL DISAGREE	36	35	42	38	36	42	38	31	41	27	30	38	42	34	38	33	33	39	37	44
Don't know	7	5	5	2	6	5	5	7	6	11	6	3	9	6	7	9	5	8	6	7

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The government has a duty to provide secure housing for people like me

Strongly agree	12	4	20	6	5	20	13	11	12	10	8	14	13	7	19	17	10	9	15	12
Tend to agree	26	17	35	26	19	34	27	27	25	42	25	23	22	25	27	30	26	24	24	28
TOTAL AGREE	38	21	55	32	24	54	40	38	37	52	33	37	35	32	46	47	36	33	39	40
Neither agree nor disagree	30	30	27	29	28	29	27	29	30	22	32	32	28	30	28	22	31	30	32	28
Tend to disagree	19	27	12	31	27	10	24	18	19	12	19	18	22	22	15	15	20	24	16	16
Strongly disagree	10	21	4	8	18	4	8	11	10	3	9	11	14	13	6	13	11	9	9	11
TOTAL DISAGREE	29	48	16	39	45	14	32	29	29	15	28	29	36	35	21	28	31	33	25	27
Don't know	4	2	2	0	3	4	1	3	5	10	6	2	1	3	5	3	3	6	4	4

I think most of my retirement pension will probably come from a pension fund I have saved myself

Strongly agree	19	28	14	19	24	17	17	22	16	11	23	18	18	22	14	21	22	19	13	17
Tend to agree	32	33	33	39	30	32	36	33	30	33	37	30	28	34	29	33	31	31	31	37
TOTAL AGREE	51	61	47	58	54	49	53	55	46	44	60	48	46	56	43	54	53	50	44	54
Neither agree nor disagree	19	17	22	18	19	21	19	18	20	14	17	20	22	20	19	18	21	19	19	18
Tend to disagree	13	11	11	10	14	13	9	11	14	15	8	11	17	10	15	10	10	12	17	11
Strongly disagree	9	8	11	10	9	10	10	8	11	1	5	15	10	7	13	9	9	12	8	8
TOTAL DISAGREE	22	19	22	20	23	23	19	19	25	16	13	26	27	17	28	19	19	24	25	19
Don't know	8	3	10	4	4	8	9	8	9	25	10	5	3	7	10	11	6	7	11	9

Politicians and civil servants are well-equipped to make personal decisions on my behalf

Strongly agree	1	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
Tend to agree	8	11	9	7	9	8	10	9	7	17	7	5	8	8	7	9	8	11	4	8
TOTAL AGREE	9	12	10	9	10	10	10	10	8	17	8	6	9	9	8	10	9	12	5	8
Neither agree nor disagree	22	23	23	27	20	22	20	20	23	24	27	23	15	24	19	22	23	22	21	16
Tend to disagree	35	39	33	32	37	36	36	37	33	31	37	36	33	36	33	36	32	36	36	37
Strongly disagree	30	23	31	30	30	27	32	30	31	16	23	33	40	28	34	29	30	26	34	34
TOTAL DISAGREE	65	62	64	62	67	63	68	67	64	47	60	69	73	64	67	65	62	62	70	71
Don't know	4	3	2	2	4	5	1	3	5	13	6	2	3	3	6	3	6	3	3	4

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Government should provide advice on what foods people like me should eat and how much to drink

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Tend to agree	18	15	24	24	16	22	24	23	14	24	19	16	18	23	11	27	18	18	14	16
TOTAL AGREE	22	18	28	30	17	27	30	27	18	31	24	20	20	27	15	30	22	23	18	19
Neither agree nor disagree	27	23	29	30	26	32	22	26	29	33	30	27	22	26	30	25	28	22	31	30
Tend to disagree	25	34	20	18	28	19	23	23	26	18	22	27	28	23	26	21	26	27	23	23
Strongly disagree	23	23	21	23	26	19	24	22	23	10	19	25	29	21	25	22	21	22	26	25
TOTAL DISAGREE	48	57	41	41	54	38	47	45	49	28	41	52	57	44	51	43	47	49	49	48
Don't know	3	1	2	0	2	3	1	2	4	8	5	1	1	2	4	2	3	5	3	2