

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 2353 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 28th - 29th September 2025

	Vote in 2024 GE						EU Ref 2016		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Country			Region in England			
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Reform UK	Green	Remain	Leave	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	England	Wales	Scotland	North	Midlands	London	Rest of South
Weighted Sample	2353	424	605	216	254	137	826	840	1139	1214	247	972	581	553	1339	999	2035	113	205	558	386	285	807
Unweighted Sample	2353	367	670	257	284	149	977	836	1021	1332	206	802	643	702	1413	929	2014	128	211	575	383	204	852
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Would you support or oppose increasing tax on pension income for those with above-average pension incomes, in order to fund more generous state pension payments for the lowest income pensioners?

Strongly support	11	6	17	12	6	21	14	8	14	9	13	12	12	8	12	10	12	7	11	12	12	17	9
Somewhat support	25	18	31	35	17	32	32	20	25	26	26	26	24	26	25	25	25	27	26	26	25	21	26
TOTAL SUPPORT	36	24	48	47	23	53	46	28	39	35	39	38	36	34	37	35	37	34	37	38	37	38	35
Somewhat oppose	20	26	15	21	23	16	21	22	18	22	17	19	20	23	21	19	20	15	21	21	22	16	20
Strongly oppose	27	43	18	21	43	11	20	39	30	24	10	22	33	36	26	28	26	32	28	24	27	23	28
TOTAL OPPOSE	47	69	33	42	66	27	41	61	48	46	27	41	53	59	47	47	46	47	49	45	49	39	48
Don't know	17	6	18	11	10	20	13	11	13	20	34	21	10	8	15	18	17	19	14	17	14	22	16

In principle, who do you think should bear more responsibility for funding more generous state pension payments for the lowest income pensioners?

Pensioners with higher than average pension incomes	34	21	42	43	25	49	38	24	37	30	54	38	27	24	36	30	34	27	34	36	29	37	34
Working people in younger generations	29	40	23	31	38	19	29	37	31	27	10	22	35	42	28	30	29	25	29	30	33	25	28
Don't know	38	39	35	26	37	31	33	39	32	43	36	40	37	34	36	41	37	48	37	34	38	38	39

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		Total	Strongly support	Somewhat support	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	Don't know	Pensioners with higher than average pension incomes	Working people in younger generations	Don't know
Weighted Sample	2353	267	598	469	628	391		789	678	886
Unweighted Sample	2353	257	631	482	628	355		783	713	857
		%	%	%	%	%		%	%	%

Would you support or oppose increasing tax on pension income for those with above-average pension incomes, in order to fund more generous state pension payments for the lowest income pensioners?

Strongly support	11	100	0	0	0	0	24	6	3
Somewhat support	25	0	100	0	0	0	44	18	14
TOTAL SUPPORT	36	100	100	0	0	0	68	24	17
Somewhat oppose	20	0	0	100	0	0	13	25	22
Strongly oppose	27	0	0	0	100	0	9	44	29
TOTAL OPPOSE	47	0	0	100	100	0	22	69	51
Don't know	17	0	0	0	0	100	9	7	31

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Working people in younger generations	29	16	20	36	48	11	0	100	0
Don't know	38	11	21	41	41	71	0	0	100

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