

1. Stay-at-home Parents

Which comes closer to your opinion?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Children are better off having a parent stay home to take care of them	64%	68%	60%	51%	61%	69%	75%	57%	64%	75%
Children are just as well off without a stay-at-home parent	20%	14%	24%	27%	22%	16%	14%	25%	18%	16%
Not sure	16%	17%	15%	22%	17%	15%	11%	18%	19%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (478)	100% (520)	100% (159)	100% (274)	100% (370)	100% (195)	100% (352)	100% (404)	100% (242)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Children are better off having a parent stay home to take care of them	64%	68%	51%	55%	69%	63%	60%	72%	71%	55%	66%
Children are just as well off without a stay-at-home parent	20%	20%	23%	17%	16%	21%	25%	18%	16%	25%	16%
Not sure	16%	13%	26%	28%	15%	16%	14%	10%	13%	20%	19%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (763)	100% (109)	100% (126)	100% (370)	100% (295)	100% (188)	100% (172)	100% (221)	100% (372)	100% (233)

2. Preferences - Mothers

If they were free financially to choose, do you think most mothers of young children would prefer to work full-time, work part-time, or not work at all outside the home?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Work full-time	10%	12%	8%	13%	11%	10%	4%	11%	11%	5%
Work part-time	37%	35%	39%	43%	33%	38%	34%	39%	36%	36%
Not work at all outside the home	40%	38%	42%	33%	39%	39%	51%	35%	39%	49%
Not sure	13%	14%	12%	11%	17%	13%	10%	14%	14%	10%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (476)	100% (522)	100% (159)	100% (274)	100% (370)	100% (195)	100% (351)	100% (405)	100% (242)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Work full-time	10%	8%	18%	14%	9%	10%	11%	7%	8%	12%	10%
Work part-time	37%	37%	43%	33%	38%	36%	42%	41%	42%	33%	35%
Not work at all outside the home	40%	42%	25%	41%	39%	43%	35%	37%	36%	40%	46%
Not sure	13%	13%	13%	12%	14%	10%	12%	15%	13%	15%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (763)	100% (110)	100% (125)	100% (369)	100% (295)	100% (188)	100% (173)	100% (222)	100% (371)	100% (232)

3. Preferences - Fathers

If they were free financially to choose, do you think most fathers of young children would prefer to work full-time, work part-time, or not work at all outside the home?

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican	
Work full-time	50%	48%	51%	43%	45%	48%	67%	48%	47%	57%	
Work part-time	23%	24%	22%	27%	23%	22%	16%	21%	25%	20%	
Not work at all outside the home	13%	13%	13%	17%	11%	15%	7%	16%	11%	13%	
Not sure	15%	16%	14%	13%	21%	14%	10%	15%	17%	10%	
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (475)	100% (519)	100% (158)	100% (273)	100% (369)	100% (194)	100% (350)	100% (402)	100% (242)	

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Work full-time	50%	50%	50%	44%	49%	49%	49%	44%	49%	53%	48%
Work part-time	23%	23%	18%	22%	21%	28%	25%	24%	24%	20%	25%
Not work at all outside the home	13%	11%	14%	21%	14%	11%	13%	16%	10%	14%	12%
Not sure	15%	15%	18%	13%	16%	12%	13%	16%	17%	13%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (760)	100% (109)	100% (125)	100% (368)	100% (294)	100% (188)	100% (172)	100% (221)	100% (370)	100% (231)

4. Better Option

Of these two options, which do you think is better for children:

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Having their mother stay home to take care of them	39%	38%	40%	32%	37%	37%	52%	33%	36%	53%
Having their father stay home to take care of them	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	0%	1%	4%	1%	1%
It doesn't matter which parent stays home	51%	50%	51%	56%	47%	56%	41%	56%	51%	41%
Not sure	8%	10%	7%	9%	12%	7%	5%	7%	11%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (477)	100% (517)	100% (158)	100% (273)	100% (369)	100% (194)	100% (350)	100% (403)	100% (241)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Having their mother stay home to take care of them	39%	39%	31%	46%	39%	41%	33%	35%	40%	39%	41%
Having their father stay home to take care of them	2%	1%	2%	8%	4%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%
It doesn't matter which parent stays home	51%	54%	49%	33%	48%	53%	61%	53%	52%	51%	47%
Not sure	8%	6%	18%	12%	10%	5%	4%	9%	7%	8%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (760)	100% (110)	100% (124)	100% (368)	100% (294)	100% (187)	100% (172)	100% (222)	100% (370)	100% (230)

5. Opinion of Stay-at-home Dads

If you found out that a man stayed at home to take care of his children would you:

	Gender			Age				3 Point Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Think more highly of him	26%	24%	28%	28%	27%	23%	28%	30%	24%	25%
Think less highly of him	7%	6%	8%	11%	7%	7%	4%	8%	5%	11%
Not change your opinion of him	58%	61%	55%	55%	53%	60%	64%	56%	60%	57%
Not sure	9%	9%	8%	6%	12%	10%	4%	7%	11%	7%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (474)	100% (521)	100% (158)	100% (273)	100% (370)	100% (194)	100% (352)	100% (402)	100% (241)

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Think more highly of him	26%	26%	22%	33%	27%	28%	21%	29%	27%	25%	25%
Think less highly of him	7%	6%	10%	12%	9%	5%	6%	6%	4%	9%	8%
Not change your opinion of him	58%	62%	52%	39%	54%	58%	68%	55%	61%	58%	59%
Not sure	9%	6%	16%	16%	9%	9%	5%	10%	8%	8%	8%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (762)	100% (109)	100% (124)	100% (369)	100% (292)	100% (188)	100% (172)	100% (222)	100% (369)	100% (232)

6. Family Roles

When it comes to family roles, do you think men are:

	Total	Gender		Age				3 Point Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Better suited to be breadwinners	38%	40%	36%	32%	32%	39%	52%	30%	34%	57%
Better suited to be caretakers	2%	1%	3%	6%	3%	1%	—	4%	1%	3%
Equally suited to either role	54%	52%	55%	56%	56%	56%	43%	61%	57%	36%
Not sure	6%	6%	6%	6%	10%	4%	5%	5%	8%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (474)	100% (520)	100% (158)	100% (273)	100% (368)	100% (195)	100% (351)	100% (402)	100% (241)

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Better suited to be breadwinners	38%	40%	32%	30%	37%	37%	42%	35%	38%	38%	41%
Better suited to be caretakers	2%	1%	1%	8%	3%	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	4%
Equally suited to either role	54%	54%	51%	53%	51%	55%	54%	58%	55%	53%	50%
Not sure	6%	4%	16%	9%	8%	6%	3%	6%	7%	7%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (763)	100% (108)	100% (123)	100% (368)	100% (294)	100% (187)	100% (171)	100% (221)	100% (371)	100% (231)