

**1. Helping which class - Republican Party**

Do you think the Republican Party is most interested in helping the poor, helping the rich or helping the middle class?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The poor	5%	5%	4%	8%	4%	2%	5%	1%	6%	7%
The middle class	26%	29%	23%	17%	23%	30%	35%	6%	24%	63%
The rich	56%	56%	57%	53%	59%	59%	50%	86%	51%	19%
Not sure	13%	10%	16%	21%	14%	9%	10%	7%	19%	11%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (460)	100% (534)	100% (164)	100% (254)	100% (383)	100% (186)	100% (359)	100% (405)	100% (230)

	Race				Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The poor	5%	4%	1%	12%	6%	3%	5%	3%	3%	5%	3%	8%
The middle class	26%	30%	6%	22%	22%	28%	28%	31%	22%	26%	27%	29%
The rich	56%	54%	73%	51%	57%	58%	61%	65%	68%	53%	56%	51%
Not sure	13%	12%	20%	15%	15%	10%	7%	2%	7%	17%	14%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (789)	100% (105)	100% (100)	100% (381)	100% (303)	100% (70)	100% (112)	100% (170)	100% (222)	100% (334)	100% (268)

**2. Helping which class - Democratic party**

Do you think the Democratic Party is most interested in helping the poor, helping the rich or helping the middle class?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The poor	29%	31%	27%	19%	27%	33%	36%	34%	23%	34%
The middle class	28%	29%	26%	36%	27%	24%	26%	46%	21%	11%
The rich	25%	24%	25%	21%	21%	29%	25%	9%	30%	38%
Not sure	19%	17%	21%	24%	25%	14%	13%	12%	26%	17%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (991)	100% (458)	100% (533)	100% (164)	100% (252)	100% (383)	100% (185)	100% (359)	100% (403)	100% (229)

	Total	Race			Family Income				Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The poor	29%	28%	38%	25%	27%	33%	26%	37%	26%	29%	32%	27%
The middle class	28%	27%	26%	31%	27%	29%	30%	39%	37%	24%	25%	28%
The rich	25%	27%	9%	25%	26%	23%	32%	16%	24%	25%	22%	28%
Not sure	19%	17%	27%	20%	21%	16%	11%	7%	13%	23%	21%	16%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (991)	100% (786)	100% (105)	100% (100)	100% (381)	100% (302)	100% (69)	100% (110)	100% (169)	100% (221)	100% (333)	100% (268)

**3. Helping which class - Government does**

Generally speaking, do you think the government does more to help the poor, help the rich or help the middle class?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The poor	21%	22%	20%	14%	19%	22%	30%	10%	19%	41%
The middle class	9%	10%	7%	11%	9%	7%	8%	13%	7%	4%
The rich	54%	52%	56%	55%	52%	57%	52%	60%	56%	40%
Not sure	17%	16%	18%	21%	20%	14%	11%	17%	17%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (459)	100% (536)	100% (163)	100% (253)	100% (384)	100% (188)	100% (358)	100% (403)	100% (234)

	Total	Race			Family Income				Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The poor	21%	23%	13%	14%	15%	26%	25%	26%	19%	17%	24%	20%
The middle class	9%	7%	9%	17%	9%	9%	4%	11%	11%	8%	9%	7%
The rich	54%	56%	48%	48%	57%	54%	52%	52%	57%	57%	49%	57%
Not sure	17%	14%	31%	20%	19%	12%	19%	11%	13%	18%	18%	16%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (995)	100% (793)	100% (103)	100% (99)	100% (381)	100% (303)	100% (70)	100% (112)	100% (170)	100% (221)	100% (336)	100% (268)

**4. Helping which class - Government should**

Do you think the government should do more to help the poor, help the rich or help the middle class?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
The poor	39%	35%	43%	40%	43%	39%	34%	56%	34%	21%
The middle class	46%	47%	44%	39%	42%	49%	53%	34%	46%	63%
The rich	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
Not sure	14%	15%	13%	20%	14%	11%	9%	8%	18%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (459)	100% (534)	100% (163)	100% (254)	100% (382)	100% (189)	100% (359)	100% (400)	100% (234)

	Race				Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
The poor	39%	36%	57%	41%	50%	30%	32%	37%	38%	43%	42%	33%
The middle class	46%	49%	26%	43%	35%	55%	56%	55%	51%	41%	42%	52%
The rich	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	3%	—	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%
Not sure	14%	13%	16%	15%	13%	12%	12%	7%	10%	14%	15%	14%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (993)	100% (790)	100% (104)	100% (99)	100% (380)	100% (301)	100% (69)	100% (112)	100% (168)	100% (222)	100% (335)	100% (268)