



Arkansas Survey

A Survey of Arkansas Residents

March 12, 2021

1. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, or something else?

	Total
Democrat	31%
Republican	36%
Something else	33%

2. How has COVID impacted you and your family?

	Total
COVID has changed things in a major way	42%
Things have changed, but only a little bit	45%
Things have not changed	13%

3. Now I am going to read you a list of issues. Please listen to all of them and then answer which of the issues you believe should be the highest priority for the Arkansas legislature to address this year.

	Total
Healthcare	25%
Education	13%
Taxes	15%
Election reform	30%
Something else	17%

567 interviews among voters in Arkansas were conducted March 11, 2021 via a telephone survey.

The results were weighted to ensure proportional response.

Margin of error for these results is +/- 4.08 percent.

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4. During the last year, have you or a family member personally benefited from services provided by Arkansas health care workers, teachers and school service personnel, or other essential workers?

	Total
Yes	55%
No	45%

5. Right now the Arkansas legislature is considering changing our state's laws to weaken employment protections for health care workers and other essential workers. Do you support efforts that would reduce wages and safety protections for health care workers, teachers and school service personnel, and other essential workers?

	Total
Yes	28%
No	72%

6. Given all that has happened over the past year, do you think now is the right time for Arkansas's legislature to consider legislation that weakens employment protections for our health care workers and teachers?

	Total
Yes	25%
No	75%

7. Would you be more likely or less likely to support your legislator if you knew he or she voted to reduce unemployment benefits while our state is still impacted by COVID?

	Total
More likely	34%
Less likely	53%
Makes no difference	14%

8. Do you believe our state's workers should be able to join an association if they want to?

	Total
Yes	68%
No	32%



9. Do you believe injured workers should be able choose their own doctor?

	Total
Yes	90%
No	10%

10. Do you believe it is mean spirited to change employment laws that will decrease employment protections for Arkansas's healthcare workers, teachers and school service personnel, and other frontline workers?

	Total
Yes	62%
No	38%

11. How would you describe Arkansas's public schools?

	Total
Excellent	6%
Good	35%
Fair	26%
Poor	24%
Unsure	9%

12. Would you support state lawmakers diverting tax dollars away from public education to use for unaccountable private schools?

	Total
Support	24%
Oppose	67%
Unsure	9%



13. For statistical purposes only, what is your race?

	Total
African American	12%
White	68%
Hispanic or Latino	1%
Asian-American	2%
Other, or prefer not to say	17%

14. What is your gender?

	Total
Woman	52%
Man	48%

15. What is your highest level of schooling?

	Total
High school or less	17%
Some college	33%
College graduate	33%
Attended graduate school	17%

What year were you born?

	Total
Under 45	40%
45-64	28%
65+	19%
N/A	13%