

**Premise Poll - Loan Forgiveness**

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	Gender			Age					Gender/Age					Region				Party Affiliation						
	Total	M	F	Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+	Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+	Total	NW	NE	SW	West	Total	REP	DEM	Prefer not to say
<b>Prior to this survey were you aware of President Bidens announcement that his administration would forgive \$10,000 in student loan debt for Americans making less than \$125,000 and \$20,000 for those who had received Pell Grants?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
Yes																								
Column %	71%	74%	67%	71%	71%	61%	65%	76%	77%	71%	71%	61%	65%	76%	77%	71%	70%	76%	68%	72%	71%	67%	79%	63%
No																								
Column %	29%	26%	33%	29%	29%	39%	35%	24%	23%	29%	29%	39%	35%	24%	23%	29%	30%	24%	32%	28%	29%	33%	21%	37%
<b>Do you approve or disapprove of the decision to forgive 10000 in student loan debt for Americans making less than \$125,000 and \$20,000 for those who had received Pell Grants?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
Strongly approve																								
Column %	43%	40%	45%	43%	44%	53%	45%	35%	39%	43%	44%	53%	45%	35%	39%	43%	47%	40%	42%	41%	43%	29%	56%	45%
Somewhat approve																								
Column %	30%	26%	33%	30%	46%	29%	34%	33%	22%	30%	46%	29%	34%	33%	22%	30%	27%	27%	34%	28%	30%	27%	33%	31%
Somewhat disapprove																								
Column %	14%	17%	11%	14%	8%	10%	10%	20%	18%	14%	8%	10%	10%	20%	18%	14%	10%	20%	11%	19%	14%	19%	8%	15%
Strongly disapprove																								
Column %	13%	16%	11%	13%	2%	8%	12%	13%	21%	13%	2%	8%	12%	13%	21%	13%	17%	13%	13%	12%	13%	25%	3%	9%
<b>Do you think this decision...</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
Goes too far																								
Column %	27%	34%	21%	27%	19%	18%	20%	29%	38%	27%	19%	18%	20%	29%	38%	27%	24%	33%	27%	27%	27%	42%	15%	20%
Does not go far enough																								
Column %	25%	21%	29%	25%	19%	24%	30%	30%	21%	25%	19%	24%	30%	30%	21%	25%	27%	22%	24%	26%	25%	16%	31%	30%
Goes just far enough																								
Column %	48%	45%	51%	48%	62%	58%	50%	40%	41%	48%	62%	58%	50%	40%	41%	48%	49%	45%	49%	47%	48%	42%	53%	50%
<b>Which of the following changes would you support to this student loan program?</b>																								
Sample Size	224	91	133	224	18	42	55	48	62	224	18	42	55	48	62	224	55	30	84	55	224	60	106	58
Increasing the amount of loans forgiven																								
Column %	51%	51%	51%	51%	27%	44%	57%	70%	44%	51%	27%	44%	57%	70%	44%	51%	45%	74%	47%	51%	51%	30%	56%	65%
Raising the income threshold																								
Column %	5%	3%	7%	5%	6%	9%	6%	5%	2%	5%	6%	9%	6%	5%	2%	5%	4%	1%	7%	6%	5%	9%	4%	5%
Both																								
Column %	35%	32%	36%	35%	66%	39%	31%	19%	38%	35%	66%	39%	31%	19%	38%	35%	36%	24%	35%	38%	35%	39%	37%	25%
None of the above																								
Column %	9%	13%	6%	9%	1%	8%	6%	6%	16%	9%	1%	8%	6%	6%	16%	9%	15%	1%	10%	5%	9%	21%	4%	5%
<b>The Republican National Committee referred to this program as Biden's bailout for the wealthy. Do you agree or disagree with this statement?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
Strongly agree																								
Column %	17%	23%	12%	17%	21%	16%	11%	12%	23%	17%	21%	16%	11%	12%	23%	17%	15%	16%	20%	15%	17%	27%	8%	15%
Somewhat agree																								
Column %	32%	35%	30%	32%	36%	33%	29%	29%	34%	32%	36%	33%	29%	29%	34%	32%	37%	32%	27%	36%	32%	40%	23%	31%
Somewhat disagree																								
Column %	32%	25%	38%	32%	38%	33%	34%	37%	25%	32%	38%	33%	34%	37%	25%	32%	31%	29%	36%	28%	32%	24%	36%	39%
Strongly disagree																								
Column %	19%	18%	20%	19%	5%	18%	26%	22%	18%	19%	5%	18%	26%	22%	18%	19%	17%	23%	17%	21%	19%	8%	33%	14%
<b>Do you think that this decision unfairly punishes Americans who do not currently have student loan debt?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
Strongly agree																								
Column %	24%	31%	17%	24%	13%	19%	20%	21%	35%	24%	13%	19%	20%	21%	35%	24%	19%	21%	24%	31%	24%	36%	14%	19%
Somewhat agree																								
Column %	29%	29%	29%	29%	30%	37%	28%	30%	23%	29%	30%	37%	28%	30%	23%	29%	35%	28%	30%	23%	29%	30%	28%	29%
Somewhat disagree																								
Column %	27%	20%	33%	27%	24%	26%	29%	27%	26%	27%	24%	26%	29%	27%	26%	27%	25%	27%	26%	28%	27%	20%	32%	30%
Strongly disagree																								
Column %	21%	20%	21%	21%	33%	17%	24%	22%	16%	21%	33%	17%	24%	22%	16%	21%	21%	24%	20%	19%	21%	15%	26%	22%
<b>How concerned are you about the impact of this decision on inflation?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
Very concerned																								
Column %	33%	38%	29%	33%	40%	35%	27%	34%	34%	33%	40%	35%	27%	34%	34%	33%	29%	33%	33%	38%	33%	46%	22%	29%
Somewhat concerned																								
Column %	40%	35%	44%	40%	45%	43%	42%	42%	34%	40%	45%	43%	42%	42%	34%	40%	41%	39%	39%	40%	40%	34%	45%	43%
Not at all concerned																								
Column %	27%	27%	27%	27%	14%	21%	32%	24%	33%	27%	14%	21%	32%	24%	33%	27%	30%	28%	27%	22%	27%	21%	33%	28%
<b>How does this decision influence your opinion of President Joe Biden's job performance?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
More supportive																								
Column %	28%	32%	23%	28%	40%	33%	24%	26%	23%	28%	40%	33%	24%	26%	23%	28%	27%	31%	24%	32%	28%	10%	50%	22%
Less supportive																								
Column %	28%	30%	26%	28%	17%	26%	26%	32%	31%	28%	17%	26%	26%	32%	31%	28%	29%	31%	25%	30%	28%	41%	14%	29%
No change																								
Column %	44%	38%	51%	44%	43%	41%	50%	42%	45%	44%	43%	41%	50%	42%	45%	44%	44%	38%	51%	39%	44%	50%	36%	49%

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<b>The US Department of Education also announced a final extension of the pause on student loan repayment interest and collections through December 31, 2022 Do you think this decision?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
<b>Goes too far</b>	21%	26%	16%	21%	34%	20%	19%	17%	22%	21%	34%	20%	19%	17%	22%	21%	25%	21%	21%	18%	21%	29%	15%	17%
<b>Does not go far enough</b>	22%	16%	27%	22%	16%	22%	26%	24%	19%	22%	16%	22%	26%	24%	19%	22%	23%	20%	20%	23%	22%	15%	25%	29%
<b>Goes just far enough</b>	57%	58%	57%	57%	50%	58%	56%	60%	59%	57%	50%	58%	56%	60%	59%	57%	52%	59%	59%	59%	57%	56%	60%	54%
<b>Are you registered to vote in the United States?</b>																								
Sample Size	903	439	464	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	92	175	180	157	300	903	201	141	354	208	903	370	340	193
<b>Yes</b>	79%	79%	78%	79%	75%	76%	70%	79%	86%	79%	75%	76%	70%	79%	86%	79%	81%	83%	73%	83%	79%	82%	84%	62%
<b>No</b>	18%	18%	18%	18%	13%	23%	24%	18%	12%	18%	13%	23%	24%	18%	12%	18%	18%	14%	20%	17%	18%	16%	14%	29%
<b>I don't know</b>	4%	3%	5%	4%	11%	1%	6%	3%	2%	4%	11%	1%	6%	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	7%	1%	4%	2%	2%	10%
<b>What is your current party affiliation?</b>																								
Sample Size	709	348	361	709	69	132	126	124	257	709	69	132	126	124	257	709	162	117	259	172	709	304	287	119
<b>Republican</b>	31%	33%	29%	31%	38%	23%	24%	30%	38%	31%	38%	23%	24%	30%	38%	31%	29%	24%	40%	25%	31%	73%	0%	0%
<b>Democrat</b>	33%	30%	36%	33%	33%	38%	37%	37%	27%	33%	33%	38%	37%	37%	27%	33%	33%	46%	26%	35%	33%	0%	82%	0%
<b>Independent</b>	23%	22%	24%	23%	8%	25%	28%	21%	26%	23%	8%	25%	28%	21%	26%	23%	27%	22%	21%	25%	23%	27%	18%	28%
<b>Prefer not to say</b>	12%	14%	10%	12%	22%	14%	11%	12%	9%	12%	22%	14%	11%	12%	9%	12%	12%	7%	12%	15%	12%	0%	0%	72%
<b>Did you vote in the 2020 presidential election?</b>																								
Sample Size	709	348	361	709	69	132	126	124	257	709	69	132	126	124	257	709	162	117	259	172	709	304	287	119
<b>Yes</b>	80%	82%	77%	80%	58%	76%	78%	75%	90%	80%	58%	76%	78%	75%	90%	80%	79%	83%	75%	85%	80%	84%	81%	65%
<b>No</b>	20%	18%	23%	20%	42%	24%	22%	25%	10%	20%	42%	24%	22%	25%	10%	20%	21%	17%	25%	15%	20%	16%	19%	35%
<b>Who did you vote for in the 2020 presidential election?</b>																								
Sample Size	565	286	279	565	40	101	99	93	231	565	40	101	99	93	231	565	128	97	194	145	565	255	233	78
<b>Joe Biden</b>	47%	45%	50%	47%	47%	57%	54%	58%	37%	47%	47%	57%	54%	58%	37%	47%	48%	61%	43%	44%	47%	7%	93%	42%
<b>Donald Trump</b>	46%	50%	43%	46%	53%	39%	32%	33%	60%	46%	53%	39%	32%	33%	60%	46%	43%	36%	53%	47%	46%	90%	2%	34%
<b>Other</b>	6%	5%	7%	6%	0%	5%	14%	9%	4%	6%	0%	5%	14%	9%	4%	6%	9%	3%	4%	9%	6%	3%	4%	24%
<b>How likely are you to vote in the 2022 midterm elections?</b>																								
Sample Size	709	348	361	709	69	132	126	124	257	709	69	132	126	124	257	709	162	117	259	172	709	304	287	119
<b>Very likely</b>	67%	69%	65%	67%	85%	59%	61%	55%	73%	67%	85%	59%	61%	55%	73%	67%	65%	63%	68%	68%	67%	69%	70%	53%
<b>Somewhat likely</b>	22%	20%	23%	22%	6%	28%	25%	24%	20%	22%	6%	28%	25%	24%	20%	22%	31%	26%	17%	16%	22%	18%	21%	31%
<b>Not very likely</b>	8%	8%	8%	8%	9%	7%	8%	16%	4%	8%	9%	7%	8%	16%	4%	8%	3%	7%	10%	10%	8%	9%	6%	8%
<b>Not at all likely</b>	4%	4%	4%	4%	0%	5%	6%	5%	3%	4%	0%	5%	6%	5%	3%	4%	1%	4%	5%	6%	4%	4%	3%	7%
<b>As of today do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or the Democratic Party?</b>																								
Sample Size	360	169	191	360	28	75	89	58	110	360	28	75	89	58	110	360	82	51	148	79	360	148	105	108
<b>Republican Party</b>	41%	44%	38%	41%	11%	35%	29%	26%	71%	41%	11%	35%	29%	26%	71%	41%	47%	37%	37%	45%	41%	100%	0%	0%
<b>Democratic Party</b>	29%	26%	32%	29%	36%	32%	32%	37%	19%	29%	36%	32%	32%	37%	19%	29%	24%	39%	30%	26%	29%	0%	100%	0%
<b>Prefer not to say</b>	30%	30%	30%	30%	53%	33%	40%	38%	10%	30%	53%	33%	40%	38%	10%	30%	29%	24%	33%	29%	30%	0%	0%	100%