

Siena College Poll Conducted by the Siena College Research Institute  
 September 5 - 8, 2023  
 800 New York State Residents  
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Q13. Were you born in the United States, or were you born in another country?																									
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth
Born in the United States	89%	90%	88%	92%	90%	84%	91%	83%	92%	96%	89%	89%	92%	95%	90%	86%	87%	91%	90%	96%	82%	83%	89%	94%	93%
Born in another country	11%	10%	12%	8%	10%	16%	9%	17%	8%	4%	11%	10%	8%	5%	10%	14%	13%	9%	10%	4%	18%	17%	11%	6%	7%
Don't know	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Q14. While it may be a little difficult, thinking about your entire family, and all that you know about the first member of your family on either your mother's or father's side, in which of the following four historical periods did your first family member come to the United States: - The early American period including colonial times, the revolutionary war and the beginning of the U.S. up to about 1840 - The period of American growth including the Civil War, right through the first world war, about 1840 - 1925 - The Depression, World War II through the Reagan years, that is from about 1925 until 1990 - The modern period from about 1990 right on through today

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	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K-\$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/Oth
The early American period (Up until 1840)	16%	15%	15%	14%	16%	12%	19%	14%	10%	20%	17%	14%	8%	5%	25%	16%	15%	15%	16%	15%	12%	16%	10%	16%	
The period of American growth (1840-1925)	31%	33%	29%	19%	26%	40%	46%	21%	38%	39%	24%	35%	39%	48%	32%	22%	22%	32%	38%	43%	11%	17%	31%	42%	30%
The Depression, World War II through the Reagan years (1925-1990)	35%	35%	36%	40%	36%	38%	20%	42%	38%	23%	39%	33%	41%	42%	25%	34%	34%	37%	34%	29%	39%	48%	35%	36%	33%
The modern period (1990-Present)	10%	11%	9%	19%	9%	3%	3%	14%	8%	5%	12%	9%	6%	3%	8%	14%	13%	7%	9%	6%	10%	16%	11%	3%	13%
Don't know	9%	6%	12%	7%	12%	8%	11%	9%	6%	12%	9%	10%	5%	2%	10%	14%	15%	9%	4%	6%	25%	7%	8%	9%	7%
Refused	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Q15KEY. Do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements: (ROTATE Q15-Q27)

Q15. America should continue to live by the words written on the Statue of Liberty, "Give me your tired, your poor...send these, the homeless, tempest-tossed to me"

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Strongly agree	39%	42%	37%	41%	37%	37%	43%	40%	40%	38%	40%	39%	36%	46%	42%	40%	37%	37%	46%	37%	41%	45%	52%	24%	29%
Somewhat agree	30%	29%	30%	28%	33%	28%	30%	24%	30%	36%	31%	29%	33%	27%	29%	28%	25%	32%	33%	35%	26%	22%	28%	35%	32%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>79%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>61%</b>
Somewhat disagree	12%	12%	13%	13%	13%	12%	10%	15%	12%	9%	13%	12%	12%	10%	12%	13%	14%	12%	10%	12%	14%	13%	8%	17%	16%
Strongly disagree	9%	11%	7%	8%	8%	11%	9%	8%	10%	9%	8%	9%	12%	11%	8%	6%	10%	10%	5%	9%	8%	10%	5%	14%	9%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>25%</b>
Don't know/Refused	10%	6%	14%	10%	9%	12%	8%	13%	8%	8%	8%	11%	7%	6%	9%	14%	14%	9%	6%	8%	12%	9%	6%	11%	13%

Q16. America no longer needs new immigrants

	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
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Strongly agree	15%	14%	16%	15%	13%	17%	17%	16%	14%	15%	14%	16%	18%	13%	18%	12%	20%	14%	12%	16%	17%	13%	12%	25%	14%
Somewhat agree	15%	15%	14%	14%	16%	16%	12%	13%	10%	19%	15%	15%	17%	15%	14%	13%	17%	15%	12%	17%	10%	13%	10%	26%	15%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>29%</b>
Somewhat disagree	24%	25%	24%	20%	28%	25%	25%	24%	30%	22%	31%	22%	26%	29%	24%	23%	20%	26%	27%	27%	18%	19%	20%	26%	30%
Strongly disagree	39%	40%	38%	42%	37%	34%	40%	38%	42%	37%	35%	40%	35%	35%	36%	44%	34%	38%	45%	35%	48%	48%	53%	20%	32%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>63%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>62%</b>
Don't know/Refused	7%	6%	8%	9%	5%	7%	6%	9%	4%	6%	5%	7%	4%	7%	8%	9%	8%	7%	3%	5%	7%	7%	5%	4%	9%

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Q17. Immigrants take more in resources than they return in economic activity or taxes																									
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Strongly agree	21%	22%	19%	12%	20%	25%	33%	17%	24%	24%	17%	23%	25%	18%	26%	15%	24%	18%	18%	24%	11%	15%	12%	42%	20%
Somewhat agree	21%	21%	20%	26%	23%	16%	13%	23%	15%	21%	29%	18%	25%	19%	22%	17%	17%	22%	24%	24%	14%	20%	17%	27%	21%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>69%</b>	<b>41%</b>
Somewhat disagree	22%	21%	23%	22%	24%	23%	19%	18%	33%	21%	24%	21%	25%	22%	17%	23%	23%	24%	20%	21%	25%	24%	22%	19%	25%
Strongly disagree	26%	24%	28%	34%	21%	22%	24%	30%	21%	23%	20%	28%	18%	30%	21%	34%	21%	26%	31%	22%	36%	28%	40%	5%	22%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>57%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>47%</b>
Don't know/Refused	11%	12%	10%	7%	11%	15%	12%	11%	7%	12%	12%	10%	7%	11%	14%	11%	14%	9%	6%	9%	13%	12%	9%	7%	12%

Q18. It is easy to get 'in line' to immigrate to the United States																									
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth
Strongly agree	16%	18%	14%	13%	15%	17%	21%	18%	14%	14%	16%	15%	19%	18%	16%	13%	17%	15%	15%	17%	13%	16%	10%	26%	16%
Somewhat agree	17%	19%	15%	17%	21%	19%	10%	16%	16%	20%	20%	16%	19%	11%	23%	13%	13%	21%	19%	22%	12%	7%	15%	21%	18%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>34%</b>
Somewhat disagree	23%	22%	23%	30%	22%	17%	19%	23%	18%	26%	23%	23%	18%	26%	22%	27%	25%	24%	21%	22%	21%	25%	27%	21%	20%
Strongly disagree	30%	26%	35%	28%	27%	31%	37%	28%	38%	28%	25%	32%	31%	30%	26%	32%	29%	29%	34%	27%	37%	38%	39%	17%	25%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>63%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>45%</b>
Don't know/Refused	14%	15%	13%	12%	15%	15%	13%	15%	14%	13%	15%	13%	14%	13%	15%	15%	16%	12%	11%	12%	18%	15%	9%	14%	21%

Q19. Many of the people trying to immigrate to the United States just want free hand-outs from our government and people, and really do not want to work																									
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Strongly agree	15%	16%	12%	14%	12%	16%	18%	14%	13%	16%	14%	15%	16%	16%	18%	11%	15%	16%	12%	17%	7%	11%	8%	30%	12%
Somewhat agree	20%	21%	19%	18%	23%	19%	19%	19%	15%	23%	23%	18%	21%	19%	17%	20%	21%	19%	20%	23%	14%	15%	14%	34%	18%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>30%</b>
Somewhat disagree	22%	20%	24%	23%	21%	26%	18%	21%	27%	21%	26%	20%	27%	22%	21%	19%	20%	26%	21%	21%	18%	22%	19%	21%	27%
Strongly disagree	39%	40%	39%	42%	39%	35%	41%	40%	45%	35%	34%	42%	33%	38%	40%	44%	39%	35%	45%	35%	56%	49%	58%	13%	33%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>63%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>63%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>60%</b>
Don't know/Refused	4%	3%	6%	3%	6%	4%	5%	5%	1%	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	6%	5%	5%	1%	4%	4%	3%	1%	2%	9%

Q20. Many of the people trying to immigrate to the United States are dangerous potentially criminal people																									
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth
Strongly agree	10%	11%	8%	7%	9%	9%	16%	10%	9%	10%	10%	9%	9%	10%	15%	7%	8%	13%	8%	12%	10%	3%	8%	19%	5%
Somewhat agree	21%	21%	21%	22%	22%	19%	21%	18%	22%	24%	23%	20%	28%	15%	17%	19%	24%	15%	22%	24%	11%	18%	12%	36%	24%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>29%</b>
Somewhat disagree	24%	25%	23%	23%	24%	27%	21%	22%	27%	24%	23%	24%	25%	29%	23%	22%	25%	28%	20%	22%	20%	33%	20%	23%	29%
Strongly disagree	38%	36%	40%	43%	37%	34%	36%	42%	40%	32%	36%	39%	33%	42%	35%	43%	32%	37%	47%	36%	53%	38%	55%	13%	33%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>63%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>57%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>63%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>57%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>62%</b>
Don't know/Refused	8%	8%	8%	5%	9%	11%	7%	8%	3%	10%	8%	8%	5%	3%	9%	10%	11%	7%	4%	6%	6%	9%	5%	8%	9%

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Q21. Most of the current migrants to the United States want only to build a better life for themselves and their family																									
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth
Strongly agree	49%	50%	48%	53%	47%	48%	46%	53%	55%	41%	49%	49%	44%	48%	54%	51%	44%	51%	55%	46%	58%	53%	63%	26%	44%
Somewhat agree	35%	38%	33%	36%	35%	35%	34%	35%	28%	39%	35%	35%	38%	38%	34%	33%	37%	36%	31%	36%	30%	38%	29%	47%	37%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>91%</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>81%</b>
Somewhat disagree	7%	5%	10%	5%	8%	8%	9%	5%	7%	10%	7%	8%	10%	8%	4%	7%	10%	7%	7%	10%	5%	2%	5%	14%	8%
Strongly disagree	4%	4%	4%	2%	5%	3%	8%	3%	6%	5%	5%	4%	4%	2%	5%	4%	5%	2%	4%	4%	4%	2%	6%	4%	4%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>9%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>12%</b>
Don't know/Refused	4%	3%	6%	3%	5%	7%	2%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%	1%	7%	7%

Q22. Current migrants to the United States are the source of much of the illegal drugs entering our country																									
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth
Strongly agree	16%	16%	15%	14%	13%	14%	28%	15%	15%	18%	15%	17%	18%	21%	21%	11%	16%	18%	14%	20%	9%	9%	10%	31%	16%
Somewhat agree	22%	23%	20%	21%	26%	24%	16%	20%	24%	23%	28%	19%	28%	18%	17%	20%	26%	19%	20%	22%	13%	24%	15%	35%	24%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>44%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>43%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>40%</b>
Somewhat disagree	20%	19%	21%	22%	22%	17%	17%	17%	25%	20%	22%	19%	20%	20%	20%	20%	18%	22%	21%	20%	23%	23%	20%	19%	23%
Strongly disagree	33%	32%	34%	35%	30%	34%	29%	39%	29%	28%	26%	36%	26%	32%	30%	41%	29%	32%	39%	28%	44%	37%	50%	7%	27%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>57%</b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>48%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>50%</b>
Don't know/Refused	9%	9%	10%	8%	9%	10%	10%	9%	6%	11%	9%	9%	8%	9%	11%	8%	12%	8%	5%	9%	11%	7%	6%	7%	10%

Q23. The United States was built by immigrants from virtually every country around the globe																									
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth
Strongly agree	57%	59%	57%	52%	51%	65%	67%	53%	68%	56%	52%	60%	63%	67%	54%	53%	56%	57%	59%	58%	53%	61%	65%	52%	50%
Somewhat agree	28%	28%	27%	31%	30%	23%	23%	28%	24%	29%	26%	28%	26%	25%	28%	29%	26%	29%	30%	30%	29%	21%	20%	35%	36%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>90%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>78%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>92%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>89%</b>	<b>88%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>86%</b>
Somewhat disagree	6%	7%	6%	9%	8%	3%	4%	9%	3%	5%	10%	5%	4%	2%	11%	7%	6%	7%	6%	6%	2%	7%	7%	6%	7%
Strongly disagree	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	3%	5%	2%	3%	6%	3%	4%	0%	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	2%	9%	8%	4%	2%	4%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>6%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>2%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>11%</b>
Don't know/Refused	5%	3%	7%	4%	6%	5%	3%	5%	2%	6%	6%	4%	3%	6%	3%	7%	7%	4%	1%	4%	6%	4%	3%	5%	4%

Q24. Assimilating immigrants, that is, being a melting pot, is what has made America great																									
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party		
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth
Strongly agree	46%	49%	44%	42%	42%	50%	54%	46%	51%	44%	48%	46%	48%	49%	48%	44%	38%	44%	56%	45%	49%	46%	56%	38%	44%
Somewhat agree	32%	35%	31%	32%	33%	33%	29%	32%	34%	31%	34%	31%	33%	35%	32%	32%	32%	38%	28%	35%	25%	31%	27%	39%	33%
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>78%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>78%</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>76%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>82%</b>	<b>84%</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>77%</b>
Somewhat disagree	8%	7%	9%	10%	11%	4%	6%	8%	5%	9%	9%	7%	10%	3%	5%	8%	9%	7%	8%	8%	8%	7%	7%	10%	10%
Strongly disagree	6%	3%	7%	6%	4%	7%	6%	6%	5%	5%	3%	7%	4%	5%	8%	5%	7%	6%	5%	5%	8%	6%	3%	8%	5%
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>10%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>15%</b>
Don't know/Refused	8%	6%	9%	10%	9%	7%	6%	8%	6%	10%	6%	9%	5%	8%	8%	11%	14%	5%	3%	6%	10%	9%	7%	7%	7%

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Q25. Immigrants take jobs away from Americans that have lived here for many years																										
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party			
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth	
Strongly agree	14%	15%	13%	15%	11%	15%	19%	14%	10%	17%	15%	14%	15%	7%	20%	12%	18%	14%	12%	15%	12%	10%	9%	26%	13%	
Somewhat agree	22%	22%	21%	18%	30%	22%	16%	22%	20%	22%	24%	20%	26%	23%	19%	19%	24%	20%	21%	25%	20%	17%	15%	34%	27%	
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>41%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>40%</b>	
Somewhat disagree	23%	24%	22%	24%	22%	21%	25%	20%	29%	22%	25%	22%	24%	24%	24%	21%	17%	27%	24%	21%	20%	25%	21%	18%	27%	
Strongly disagree	37%	35%	38%	41%	35%	33%	35%	38%	39%	33%	35%	37%	31%	44%	31%	43%	34%	34%	41%	34%	44%	42%	53%	17%	26%	
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>57%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>51%</b>	<b>61%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>53%</b>	
Don't know/Refused	5%	4%	6%	6%	4%	9%	5%	5%	2%	6%	2%	6%	4%	2%	6%	5%	7%	5%	2%	4%	3%	6%	2%	5%	7%	

Q26. Immigrants bring new vitality to our country																										
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party			
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth	
Strongly agree	37%	40%	35%	44%	35%	31%	36%	43%	41%	27%	37%	37%	33%	38%	37%	40%	30%	37%	45%	31%	47%	43%	52%	17%	30%	
Somewhat agree	35%	34%	36%	36%	39%	33%	28%	34%	34%	37%	40%	33%	35%	36%	34%	35%	34%	36%	36%	39%	34%	31%	31%	37%	40%	
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>80%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>77%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>71%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>73%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>74%</b>	<b>83%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>70%</b>	
Somewhat disagree	12%	9%	13%	8%	13%	15%	13%	9%	9%	17%	10%	13%	16%	12%	11%	9%	13%	14%	9%	14%	10%	9%	7%	21%	15%	
Strongly disagree	9%	10%	9%	6%	7%	13%	14%	6%	14%	11%	7%	10%	11%	9%	10%	8%	14%	6%	7%	10%	5%	9%	6%	18%	8%	
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>23%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>15%</b>	<b>18%</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>23%</b>	
Don't know/Refused	7%	6%	8%	6%	7%	7%	8%	8%	2%	9%	6%	7%	5%	5%	8%	8%	10%	6%	3%	6%	3%	8%	4%	7%	6%	

Q27. Many businesses need new immigrants to take entry level jobs in order to be successful																										
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party			
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth	
Strongly agree	24%	27%	21%	26%	22%	21%	31%	29%	20%	21%	27%	24%	21%	39%	29%	22%	16%	26%	32%	23%	24%	26%	32%	17%	20%	
Somewhat agree	36%	38%	35%	39%	36%	34%	33%	38%	39%	33%	36%	36%	37%	28%	35%	37%	31%	38%	40%	39%	36%	34%	38%	35%	38%	
<b>Total Agree</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>54%</b>	<b>63%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>47%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>70%</b>	<b>52%</b>	<b>58%</b>	
Somewhat disagree	16%	16%	17%	13%	18%	20%	16%	13%	17%	20%	17%	16%	19%	13%	14%	16%	21%	15%	13%	17%	14%	16%	14%	20%	16%	
Strongly disagree	15%	15%	15%	14%	15%	16%	16%	12%	16%	18%	14%	15%	16%	12%	13%	15%	19%	14%	12%	14%	17%	14%	11%	19%	17%	
<b>Total Disagree</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>36%</b>	<b>32%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>27%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>31%</b>	<b>30%</b>	<b>25%</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>33%</b>	
Don't know/Refused	8%	4%	12%	8%	9%	9%	5%	8%	7%	9%	6%	9%	6%	7%	9%	10%	13%	7%	4%	8%	9%	9%	5%	9%	9%	

**Q28KEY. Do you support or oppose. . . (ROTATE Q28-Q31)**

Q28. Do you support or oppose a comprehensive immigration reform bill that provides a pathway to citizenship for all undocumented immigrants currently living in the United States?																										
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party			
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth	
Support	60%	62%	58%	69%	59%	56%	52%	63%	58%	56%	61%	60%	59%	53%	63%	59%	57%	60%	66%	60%	74%	62%	76%	37%	55%	
Oppose	28%	29%	28%	20%	26%	34%	38%	24%	30%	31%	28%	28%	31%	22%	28%	26%	26%	30%	26%	29%	18%	25%	14%	51%	35%	
Don't know/Refused	12%	9%	15%	11%	15%	10%	10%	12%	11%	13%	11%	12%	9%	24%	9%	15%	17%	10%	9%	10%	8%	14%	10%	12%	10%	

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Q29. Do you support or oppose the construction of a wall the entire length of our southern border with Mexico?																										
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party			
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth	
<b>Support</b>	41%	48%	35%	34%	39%	45%	49%	38%	38%	46%	43%	40%	50%	35%	45%	32%	39%	37%	44%	47%	22%	35%	24%	77%	42%	
<b>Oppose</b>	50%	47%	52%	58%	47%	48%	46%	52%	54%	45%	45%	52%	43%	53%	47%	57%	46%	55%	52%	47%	64%	55%	68%	19%	48%	
<b>Don't know/Refused</b>	10%	5%	13%	8%	14%	8%	5%	10%	8%	10%	12%	8%	7%	12%	9%	12%	15%	8%	4%	6%	14%	10%	8%	4%	10%	
Q30. Do you support or oppose making it easier for migrants currently in New York to be granted work authorizations regardless of their current immigration status?																										
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party			
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth	
<b>Support</b>	59%	60%	59%	73%	59%	48%	52%	65%	59%	52%	62%	58%	58%	64%	59%	59%	56%	59%	66%	57%	71%	67%	79%	37%	47%	
<b>Oppose</b>	33%	33%	33%	22%	33%	42%	40%	29%	35%	38%	31%	34%	37%	26%	32%	32%	36%	33%	28%	35%	26%	30%	16%	53%	46%	
<b>Don't know/Refused</b>	8%	7%	8%	5%	8%	10%	8%	7%	6%	10%	7%	7%	5%	10%	9%	8%	8%	8%	6%	8%	3%	4%	4%	10%	8%	
Q31. Do you support or oppose using federally owned land and buildings as temporary shelters for the current migrants now in New York?																										
	Gender			Age				Region			Child in HH		Religion				Income			Ethnicity			Party			
	Total	M	F	18-34	35-49	50-64	65+	NYC	Subs	Upst	Yes	No	Cath	Jewish	Prot	Other	<\$50K	\$50K- \$100K	\$100K+	White	Afr Amer/Black	Latino	Dem	Rep	Ind/ Oth	
<b>Support</b>	56%	58%	54%	61%	58%	50%	52%	57%	58%	52%	57%	55%	49%	67%	56%	59%	50%	58%	61%	56%	65%	55%	73%	37%	41%	
<b>Oppose</b>	36%	37%	36%	32%	36%	42%	36%	35%	35%	39%	36%	37%	44%	27%	38%	31%	39%	35%	35%	36%	30%	38%	21%	56%	51%	
<b>Don't know/Refused</b>	8%	5%	10%	7%	7%	8%	12%	7%	7%	9%	7%	8%	6%	7%	6%	11%	10%	8%	4%	8%	5%	7%	6%	7%	9%	

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September 5 - 8, 2023  
800 New York State Residents  
MOE +/- 3.8%

<b>Nature of the Sample</b>	
<b>New York State Residents</b>	
<b>Gender</b>	
Male	46%
Female	51%
<b>Age</b>	
18-34	30%
35-49	27%
50-64	24%
65+	17%
<b>Region</b>	
NYC	43%
Subs	21%
Upst	36%
<b>Child in HH</b>	
Yes	30%
No	70%
<b>Religion</b>	
Catholic	32%
Jewish	6%
Protestant / Christian	23%
Other	39%
<b>Income</b>	
<\$50K	32%
\$50K-\$100K	31%
\$100K+	32%
<b>Ethnicity</b>	
White	59%
Afr Amer/Black	14%
Latino	16%
<b>Political Party (If Registered)</b>	
Democrat	43%
Republican	21%
Independent & Other Parties	36%

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