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Thinking about recent stories of NHS trusts and regulators covering up poor performance, how confident are you that rules will be put in place to prevent cover-ups in the future?

Very confident	3	3	4	3	0	2	3	4	3	2	7	3	1	2	3	2	3	3	2	3	3
Fairly confident	23	33	23	29	19	26	23	24	24	22	24	24	22	24	24	23	24	24	25	22	17
TOTAL CONFIDENT	26	36	27	32	19	28	26	28	27	24	31	27	23	26	27	25	27	27	27	25	20
Not very confident	46	47	48	51	47	49	47	47	45	47	38	45	44	53	48	43	45	48	50	42	40
Not confident at all	19	12	20	13	32	16	19	19	20	18	10	16	25	18	17	22	20	16	15	24	25
TOTAL NOT CONFIDENT	65	59	68	64	79	65	66	66	65	65	48	61	69	71	65	65	65	64	65	66	65
Don't know	9	4	6	4	2	7	7	7	8	10	21	13	7	3	8	11	8	8	8	10	15

If NHS or regulator staff are found to have covered up errors in hospital performance do you think they should...

Be sacked from their jobs?

Should	88	91	91	88	94	92	91	87	88	89	79	82	91	95	88	89	89	87	89	89	89
Should not	4	4	4	10	1	2	5	4	5	3	4	9	3	1	5	3	4	5	5	3	3
Don't know	7	5	5	2	4	6	4	8	6	8	17	9	5	4	7	7	6	8	6	8	8

Be stripped of their pension rights?

Should	54	54	55	39	70	59	56	48	55	53	38	48	56	64	50	59	52	51	54	57	59
Should not	27	31	27	48	13	26	27	31	28	27	35	32	26	21	32	21	29	30	27	24	26
Don't know	19	14	18	13	17	15	17	21	17	20	27	20	18	15	17	21	19	18	19	20	15

Face criminal prosecution

Should	71	71	72	63	80	75	71	67	74	68	64	67	73	75	69	73	71	70	69	71	75
Should not	11	13	12	16	11	11	12	9	11	12	16	13	8	11	13	9	11	12	13	10	5
Don't know	18	16	16	21	8	14	17	24	16	20	20	20	19	14	18	18	17	18	18	18	20

From 2014 performance data will be published for individual hospital surgeons. Do you think this is a good or bad idea?

A good idea	57	64	56	58	61	66	57	50	56	58	45	50	56	68	54	61	58	57	56	57	53
A bad idea	20	18	24	26	16	15	23	27	25	16	21	29	20	12	24	15	23	19	22	20	17
Don't know	23	18	20	16	23	20	20	22	20	26	34	21	24	20	22	24	19	24	22	23	30

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Do you personally know of anyone who has received poor treatment from the NHS but had it covered up?

Yes, I know someone who received poor NHS treatment but it was covered up when they complained	17	14	17	18	26	17	16	15	17	17	13	16	18	17	16	17	19	14	21	16	12
No, I know of people who have received poor NHS treatment, but it was properly investigated when they complained	11	11	12	15	14	11	13	13	10	12	8	12	12	11	12	10	13	10	14	10	11
No, I don't know anyone who has received poor NHS treatment or don't know anyone who has complained about it	60	67	61	60	48	63	58	62	62	59	63	56	62	61	60	61	53	63	57	64	58
Don't know	12	7	10	7	11	9	12	10	12	12	17	16	9	10	12	12	15	12	8	10	20

Which party, if any, do you trust the most to deal with the issue of education?

Labour	26	5	71	7	1	5	62	23	29	23	23	32	27	20	25	28	26	20	29	30	29
Conservatives	22	71	1	5	23	56	2	11	25	19	17	14	20	33	26	17	23	25	24	19	11
Liberal Democrats	6	2	2	48	2	1	1	16	6	6	9	6	7	3	7	4	8	8	4	4	5
UKIP	3	1	1	4	20	3	2	3	4	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	4	3	4	0
None of them	29	12	18	23	39	22	24	32	26	31	29	27	30	29	28	31	32	28	28	28	36
Don't know	14	9	6	12	15	12	8	16	10	18	18	17	12	12	12	17	10	15	12	15	18

		Feb 28 - Mar 1	June 20-21																			
Do you think that Michael Gove is doing well or badly as Secretary of State for Education?																						
Very well	4	4	13	1	1	6	11	1	2	6	3	3	3	3	8	5	3	5	4	3	6	4
Fairly well	18	18	44	7	13	24	40	8	12	20	17	11	13	18	26	20	16	24	21	19	14	9
TOTAL WELL	22	22	57	8	14	30	51	9	14	26	20	14	16	21	34	25	19	29	25	22	20	13
Fairly badly	24	24	15	27	35	30	19	29	26	26	22	27	22	21	29	24	24	25	24	27	22	22
Very badly	23	25	5	46	36	16	8	41	35	27	23	18	28	32	17	27	23	25	23	25	28	25
TOTAL BADLY	47	49	20	73	71	46	27	70	61	53	45	45	50	53	46	51	47	50	47	52	50	47
Don't know	31	28	24	18	15	24	22	20	26	21	35	41	34	26	20	24	34	22	27	26	30	41

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Do you support or oppose the creation of "Free Schools" - new state schools set up by parents, teachers or voluntary groups which are outside the control of local authorities?

Support	32	29	45	20	24	43	42	18	22	31	26	29	27	28	30	30	27	37	31	28	26	17
Oppose	39	38	23	55	50	26	25	52	45	40	37	34	39	41	36	40	36	34	37	41	38	42
Not sure	29	33	32	25	27	31	33	30	32	30	37	37	33	31	34	30	37	29	32	31	36	40

Thinking about how British schools compare to schools in other western countries, do you think British schools are...

Better than those in most other western countries	13	15	17	14	10	11	17	13	15	11	22	17	10	11	12	14	11	12	18	12	15
Worse than those in most other western countries	41	37	42	40	63	45	42	43	41	41	26	36	44	47	41	42	45	44	40	40	31
About the same standard as those in other western countries	28	34	28	33	21	31	26	26	30	26	26	30	29	26	30	26	23	27	27	32	32
Don't know	17	15	13	13	7	13	15	17	13	22	27	16	17	16	17	18	20	17	15	17	23

And do you think standards in schools have got better or worse over the last three years, or have they stayed much the same?

Got better	9	14	8	8	6	12	8	5	10	7	10	11	7	8	9	8	9	10	9	7	5
Got worse	40	32	47	29	54	36	46	39	41	39	34	38	40	44	39	41	37	41	43	36	39
Stayed much the same	36	41	34	49	31	40	33	37	35	38	33	34	39	37	37	35	34	36	36	39	34
Don't know	16	12	11	15	9	12	13	18	14	17	23	18	15	12	15	17	19	13	11	18	22

If you had school age children and had enough money to afford to send them to a private school, would you send them to state or private school?

I would send them to a state school	34	23	50	35	20	23	45	37	37	31	40	35	35	30	33	36	22	32	38	37	46
I would send them to a private school	52	69	39	56	73	67	43	47	50	54	40	50	50	61	55	48	58	53	52	51	39
Don't know	14	8	10	9	7	10	13	15	13	15	19	15	14	10	12	16	21	15	10	13	14

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Thinking about grammar schools and schools that select pupils by ability, which of the following best reflects your views?

The government should encourage more schools to select by academic ability and build more grammar schools	43	66	27	44	62	63	27	41	44	42	35	34	39	59	48	36	46	47	45	40	25
The government should retain the existing grammar schools, but should not allow more selective schools or new grammar schools to be built	19	17	25	24	13	17	22	19	17	20	25	22	19	13	20	18	17	19	24	16	13
The government should stop schools selecting by academic ability and the existing grammar schools should be opened to children of all abilities	20	7	31	25	17	10	32	23	21	20	17	21	24	17	25	16	20	17	22	34	
Not sure	18	11	17	7	8	11	20	16	17	18	24	23	18	11	15	22	20	15	13	21	28

Thinking about how British universities compare to schools in other western countries, do you think British universities are...

Better than those in most other western countries	31	39	37	32	25	34	33	32	35	28	36	32	29	32	34	29	28	31	36	29	32
Worse than those in most other western countries	13	12	13	13	19	16	15	11	13	13	6	16	13	13	13	13	14	12	15	15	4
About the same standard as those in other western countries	33	32	33	41	37	33	33	36	34	32	30	31	35	33	35	30	35	33	30	33	34
Don't know	23	16	17	14	19	17	20	22	18	27	28	21	24	21	19	28	23	23	18	23	30

Since 2012 Universities in England and Wales can charge tuition fees of up to £9000. Do you think this is or is not value for money?

Is value for money - the standard of education and the increased wages graduates earn mean it is worth the money	21	35	18	21	22	30	20	18	25	18	9	18	23	28	23	19	21	23	23	18	25
Is not value for money - the standard of education and the wages graduates earn are not enough to warrant the cost	63	52	70	68	68	57	67	67	61	65	75	69	62	53	63	63	65	61	65	66	50
Don't know	16	12	12	12	10	14	13	15	14	17	15	14	15	19	14	18	14	16	12	16	25

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If you have children, do you or did you send your children to state or private school?

I sent my children primarily to state schools	49	48	56	44	67	52	57	47	46	52	5	28	62	71	44	56	37	52	47	56	39
I sent my children primarily to private schools	6	8	5	5	5	8	6	5	6	5	2	4	6	8	7	4	9	5	3	5	8
I do not have any children, or my children are not yet school age	35	36	30	46	22	32	28	39	36	35	72	55	25	14	41	28	45	34	40	28	35
None of these apply	10	8	9	5	6	9	9	9	13	8	21	13	7	7	8	13	9	9	9	10	18

Do you know what the government's Green Deal is?

I have heard of the Green Deal and know how it works and what it offers	5	9	6	4	5	7	6	5	6	5	4	8	6	3	7	3	5	7	5	5	3
I have heard of the Green Deal and a little about what it offers	14	17	14	12	19	17	13	16	17	11	8	11	14	19	16	11	13	15	15	14	10
I have heard of the Green Deal but don't know anything about it	20	21	22	33	14	20	23	24	21	19	14	18	20	23	20	20	20	21	22	19	15
I have never heard of the Green Deal	48	44	49	42	55	44	46	46	44	52	56	51	50	41	47	51	47	45	47	52	57
Not sure	12	9	10	8	7	12	12	9	12	13	18	11	10	14	10	15	15	13	11	10	16

The Green Deal is a government programme offering loans for people to carry out work to make their homes more energy efficient, such as fitting new boilers, solar panels, insulation or double glazing. The loans are only approved if an assessment says the savings on energy bills will outweigh the costs of the upgrade. The loan is paid back through people's energy bills over ten to twenty-five years, at an interest rate of just under 7%. If someone moves house, the loan is passed on to the new homeowner

Taking into account the way the Green Deal operates and the interest rate they charge, do you think the Green Deal is or is not a good deal?

Is a good deal	32	35	33	42	30	30	30	37	34	31	37	35	30	29	34	29	30	34	31	31	33
Is not a good deal	38	39	40	33	51	43	39	35	42	35	30	34	42	42	39	38	43	37	41	38	31
Don't know	29	26	27	26	19	27	31	27	25	34	33	30	28	29	27	33	27	28	28	31	36

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

And how likely are you to consider taking out a Green Deal loan to fund improvements to your home or property?

Very likely	3	3	4	1	3	1	4	3	2	3	3	5	3	0	3	2	2	3	3	3	1
Fairly likely	9	8	9	17	9	7	9	8	10	8	15	10	8	5	10	8	9	9	11	7	10
TOTAL LIKELY	12	11	13	18	12	8	13	11	12	11	18	15	11	5	13	10	11	12	14	10	11
Not very likely	44	43	49	40	37	43	49	42	45	44	43	45	42	46	44	45	45	44	43	45	43
Not likely at all	44	45	38	42	51	48	38	47	43	45	39	39	46	48	43	45	44	44	43	44	46
TOTAL NOT LIKELY	88	88	87	82	88	91	87	89	88	89	82	84	88	94	87	90	89	88	86	89	89

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On the subject of climate change do you think:																						
The world's climate is changing as a result of human activity	53	49	39	59	62	27	36	57	57	45	51	52	54	51	39	51	45	48	50	50	45	52
The world's climate is changing but NOT because of human activity	26	28	40	24	17	43	40	24	24	32	25	22	23	27	37	29	27	28	26	27	33	28
The world's climate is NOT changing	6	7	7	5	8	18	10	5	3	9	5	7	6	8	7	5	9	7	7	10	5	6
Not sure	15	16	14	12	14	12	15	14	16	14	18	19	18	14	17	14	19	16	18	14	17	15

The Met Office has predicted that wet summers will be more likely for the next ten years. How accurate do you think this prediction is likely to be?

Will probably be accurate	45	44	50	52	25	39	47	51	40	49	47	52	45	36	48	40	43	47	45	42	46
Will probably not be accurate	35	41	31	29	60	45	33	29	40	30	28	26	38	43	32	39	33	36	35	39	24
Don't know	20	14	19	19	15	16	21	19	20	20	25	22	17	20	20	21	24	18	19	19	30