

**1. Gun laws made more strict**

Do you think gun control laws should be made more or less strict than they are now?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
More strict	49%	44%	54%	49%	49%	50%	46%	85%	34%	20%
No change	23%	23%	23%	23%	24%	24%	22%	9%	27%	37%
Less strict	22%	28%	16%	21%	19%	23%	26%	4%	30%	34%
Not sure	6%	5%	7%	8%	8%	3%	7%	1%	9%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (466)	100% (534)	100% (138)	100% (260)	100% (397)	100% (205)	100% (361)	100% (351)	100% (288)

	Race				Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
More strict	49%	44%	80%	43%	50%	52%	46%	48%	57%	48%	48%	44%
No change	23%	25%	6%	30%	18%	28%	25%	31%	17%	23%	26%	25%
Less strict	22%	25%	6%	21%	22%	17%	27%	19%	21%	25%	19%	25%
Not sure	6%	6%	8%	6%	10%	3%	2%	3%	5%	4%	7%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (820)	100% (96)	100% (84)	100% (330)	100% (306)	100% (78)	100% (133)	100% (136)	100% (224)	100% (322)	100% (318)

**2. Favorability of requiring background checks**

Do you favor or oppose requiring criminal and mental background checks for all those buying guns, including at gun shows and private sales?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Favor	77%	69%	84%	77%	74%	78%	78%	95%	68%	64%
Oppose	16%	23%	10%	13%	17%	17%	17%	2%	24%	23%
Not sure	7%	8%	7%	10%	8%	6%	5%	2%	8%	14%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(464)	(533)	(137)	(259)	(396)	(205)	(359)	(351)	(287)

	Race				Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favor	77%	73%	93%	78%	75%	78%	80%	81%	84%	78%	75%	72%
Oppose	16%	19%	1%	17%	17%	14%	16%	16%	11%	16%	17%	19%
Not sure	7%	8%	6%	5%	9%	7%	4%	3%	5%	6%	8%	10%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(817)	(96)	(84)	(329)	(305)	(78)	(132)	(135)	(224)	(321)	(317)

**3. Favor a ban on large clips**

Do you favor or oppose banning the sale of magazine clips for semi-automatic weapons that hold more than 10 rounds?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Favor	48%	43%	54%	49%	43%	50%	54%	77%	35%	28%
Oppose	38%	49%	28%	32%	40%	41%	38%	13%	50%	56%
Not sure	13%	8%	18%	19%	17%	9%	8%	10%	15%	16%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(463)	(534)	(138)	(259)	(397)	(203)	(361)	(351)	(285)

	Total	Race			Family Income				Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favor	48%	46%	77%	31%	51%	50%	48%	46%	52%	50%	46%	48%
Oppose	38%	41%	9%	51%	30%	40%	50%	46%	32%	39%	39%	41%
Not sure	13%	12%	14%	18%	19%	10%	2%	8%	16%	11%	14%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(997)	(817)	(96)	(84)	(328)	(306)	(78)	(132)	(136)	(224)	(321)	(316)

**4. Has Congress passed stricter gun laws**

Based on what you've heard, would you say that the U.S. Congress has or has not passed stricter gun laws since the school shooting in Newtown, Connecticut a year ago?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Has	17%	20%	14%	24%	19%	14%	9%	11%	16%	25%
Has not	63%	67%	59%	54%	59%	70%	68%	76%	60%	49%
Not sure	21%	14%	27%	23%	23%	16%	22%	14%	23%	26%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (463)	100% (534)	100% (138)	100% (260)	100% (396)	100% (203)	100% (359)	100% (351)	100% (287)

	Race				Family Income				Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Has	17%	17%	6%	28%	20%	17%	12%	13%	13%	18%	15%	21%
Has not	63%	64%	75%	45%	58%	64%	73%	74%	68%	61%	65%	57%
Not sure	21%	20%	19%	26%	23%	18%	15%	13%	19%	21%	20%	22%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (819)	100% (95)	100% (83)	100% (329)	100% (305)	100% (78)	100% (132)	100% (136)	100% (223)	100% (322)	100% (316)

**5. Gun show purchasers undergo background check**

Based on what you've heard, do you think that everyone who buys a gun at a gun show is currently required to undergo a background check?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Yes	31%	32%	30%	32%	35%	28%	26%	37%	25%	29%
No	53%	55%	52%	46%	51%	58%	59%	51%	59%	49%
Not sure	16%	14%	18%	22%	14%	15%	15%	12%	16%	22%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (466)	100% (532)	100% (137)	100% (260)	100% (396)	100% (205)	100% (361)	100% (351)	100% (286)

	Total	Race			Family Income				Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80-100	100+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	31%	25%	44%	51%	38%	33%	18%	14%	40%	24%	33%	26%
No	53%	60%	37%	36%	43%	56%	71%	72%	44%	57%	50%	62%
Not sure	16%	16%	20%	13%	19%	11%	10%	14%	16%	19%	17%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (818)	100% (96)	100% (84)	100% (330)	100% (305)	100% (78)	100% (133)	100% (136)	100% (222)	100% (322)	100% (318)