

**1. Atheists in the military**

Do you think atheists should or should not be allowed to serve in the US military?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Should	75%	76%	75%	76%	73%	74%	80%	72%	78%	75%
Should not	7%	9%	6%	9%	6%	7%	7%	6%	6%	12%
Not sure	17%	15%	19%	15%	20%	18%	13%	22%	16%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (478)	100% (521)	100% (175)	100% (262)	100% (399)	100% (163)	100% (327)	100% (444)	100% (228)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should	75%	82%	51%	60%	66%	81%	91%	72%	77%	73%	80%
Should not	7%	5%	19%	8%	9%	9%	2%	9%	5%	10%	4%
Not sure	17%	13%	30%	32%	25%	11%	7%	19%	19%	17%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (754)	100% (114)	100% (131)	100% (354)	100% (283)	100% (204)	100% (172)	100% (207)	100% (380)	100% (240)

	Religion					Importance of religion (Pew version)			
	Total	Protestant	Catholic	Other religion	Agnostic or Atheist	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Should	75%	71%	77%	72%	96%	63%	75%	85%	93%
Should not	7%	10%	4%	9%	—	15%	4%	2%	1%
Not sure	17%	18%	19%	19%	4%	23%	21%	12%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (377)	100% (225)	100% (286)	100% (111)	100% (385)	100% (261)	100% (140)	100% (213)

	Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)								
	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Should	75%	70%	70%	77%	73%	82%	83%	86%	38%
Should not	7%	13%	8%	6%	—	3%	4%	2%	18%
Not sure	17%	17%	22%	17%	27%	16%	13%	12%	44%

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**Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)**

	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (281)	100% (148)	100% (125)	100% (19)	100% (69)	100% (141)	100% (180)	100% (36)

**Church attendance (Pew version)**

	Total	More than once a week	Once a week	Once or twice a month	A few times a year	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Should	75%	70%	70%	70%	72%	77%	83%	37%
Should not	7%	4%	14%	11%	14%	5%	3%	9%
Not sure	17%	26%	15%	20%	15%	18%	14%	54%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (85)	100% (169)	100% (72)	100% (118)	100% (256)	100% (279)	100% (20)

**2. Require oath**

Do you think members of the military should or should not be required to say "so help me God" whenever they take an oath of service?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Should	50%	50%	49%	39%	45%	54%	61%	45%	43%	69%
Should not	29%	31%	27%	34%	30%	25%	28%	37%	30%	16%
Not sure	22%	19%	24%	27%	25%	21%	11%	18%	27%	15%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (478)	100% (521)	100% (175)	100% (263)	100% (398)	100% (163)	100% (327)	100% (444)	100% (228)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should	50%	49%	59%	46%	51%	52%	43%	51%	49%	54%	43%
Should not	29%	32%	18%	23%	25%	28%	42%	32%	27%	24%	35%
Not sure	22%	19%	24%	32%	24%	20%	15%	17%	24%	22%	22%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (754)	100% (114)	100% (131)	100% (353)	100% (284)	100% (204)	100% (171)	100% (207)	100% (380)	100% (241)

	Religion					Importance of religion (Pew version)			
	Total	Protestant	Catholic	Other religion	Agnostic or Atheist	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Should	50%	70%	51%	39%	6%	70%	53%	31%	18%
Should not	29%	15%	23%	32%	83%	13%	22%	29%	67%
Not sure	22%	15%	27%	29%	11%	17%	24%	40%	14%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (377)	100% (225)	100% (286)	100% (111)	100% (385)	100% (261)	100% (140)	100% (213)

	Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)								
	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Should	50%	69%	68%	61%	71%	52%	31%	14%	43%
Should not	29%	17%	15%	22%	7%	28%	35%	63%	11%
Not sure	22%	15%	17%	17%	22%	20%	34%	23%	46%

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**Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)**

	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (281)	100% (148)	100% (125)	100% (19)	100% (69)	100% (141)	100% (180)	100% (36)

**Church attendance (Pew version)**

	Total	More than once a week	Once a week	Once or twice a month	A few times a year	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Should	50%	74%	73%	41%	65%	47%	26%	45%
Should not	29%	11%	14%	21%	16%	27%	52%	9%
Not sure	22%	15%	12%	37%	19%	25%	22%	47%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (86)	100% (169)	100% (72)	100% (118)	100% (255)	100% (279)	100% (20)

**3. News about USAF oath**

Have you heard the news story about a member of the US Air Force who was denied reenlistment because he refused to say "so help me God" when he attempted to reenlist?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Yes	21%	23%	19%	20%	21%	22%	20%	18%	24%	19%
No	79%	77%	81%	80%	79%	78%	80%	82%	76%	81%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (478)	100% (521)	100% (175)	100% (263)	100% (399)	100% (162)	100% (328)	100% (443)	100% (228)

	Race			Family Income			Region				
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	21%	24%	9%	17%	20%	19%	25%	16%	20%	20%	27%
No	79%	76%	91%	83%	80%	81%	75%	84%	80%	80%	73%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (753)	100% (115)	100% (131)	100% (354)	100% (284)	100% (204)	100% (172)	100% (207)	100% (380)	100% (240)

	Religion					Importance of religion (Pew version)			
	Total	Protestant	Catholic	Other religion	Agnostic or Atheist	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Yes	21%	21%	17%	18%	35%	19%	15%	32%	25%
No	79%	79%	83%	82%	65%	81%	85%	68%	75%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (377)	100% (225)	100% (286)	100% (111)	100% (385)	100% (261)	100% (140)	100% (213)

	Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)								
	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Yes	21%	18%	23%	21%	17%	22%	22%	24%	16%
No	79%	82%	77%	79%	83%	78%	78%	76%	84%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (280)	100% (149)	100% (125)	100% (19)	100% (69)	100% (141)	100% (180)	100% (36)

	<b>Church attendance (Pew version)</b>							
	Total	More than once a week	Once a week	Once or twice a month	A few times a year	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Yes	21%	16%	22%	25%	21%	19%	23%	18%
No	79%	84%	78%	75%	79%	81%	77%	82%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (86)	100% (168)	100% (72)	100% (118)	100% (256)	100% (279)	100% (20)

**4. Military oath preference**

When it comes to taking a military oath of service, which one of the following options do you favor the most?

	Total	Gender		Age				Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Removing "so help me God" from all military oaths of service	11%	12%	11%	11%	11%	12%	11%	17%	13%	2%
Allowing members the option to omit saying "so help me God" when they take an oath of service	43%	43%	43%	46%	46%	40%	41%	48%	42%	40%
Requiring all members to say "so help me God" when they take an oath of service, no exceptions	34%	35%	33%	25%	33%	36%	42%	26%	29%	52%
Not sure	12%	11%	13%	18%	10%	12%	6%	9%	16%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(999)	(478)	(521)	(175)	(263)	(398)	(163)	(328)	(444)	(227)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Removing "so help me God" from all military oaths of service	11%	13%	10%	6%	9%	11%	18%	10%	11%	9%	17%
Allowing members the option to omit saying "so help me God" when they take an oath of service	43%	44%	39%	45%	39%	50%	44%	44%	44%	41%	46%
Requiring all members to say "so help me God" when they take an oath of service, no exceptions	34%	34%	40%	27%	36%	33%	29%	32%	35%	40%	24%
Not sure	12%	10%	10%	23%	15%	6%	9%	14%	11%	10%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (753)	100% (115)	100% (131)	100% (354)	100% (284)	100% (203)	100% (172)	100% (207)	100% (380)	100% (240)

	Total	Religion				Importance of religion (Pew version)			
		Protestant	Catholic	Other religion	Agnostic or Atheist	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Removing "so help me God" from all military oaths of service	11%	7%	3%	13%	42%	4%	5%	12%	34%
Allowing members the option to omit saying "so help me God" when they take an oath of service	43%	36%	53%	45%	44%	33%	47%	61%	46%
Requiring all members to say "so help me God" when they take an oath of service, no exceptions	34%	52%	31%	24%	5%	55%	30%	16%	10%
Not sure	12%	6%	14%	18%	9%	8%	18%	11%	10%

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	Religion					Importance of religion (Pew version)			
	Total	Protestant	Catholic	Other religion	Agnostic or Atheist	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (378)	100% (224)	100% (286)	100% (111)	100% (386)	100% (260)	100% (140)	100% (213)

	Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)									
	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know	
Removing "so help me God" from all military oaths of service	11%	6%	6%	4%	—	9%	16%	30%	1%	
Allowing members the option to omit saying "so help me God" when they take an oath of service	43%	36%	42%	50%	42%	47%	55%	44%	20%	
Requiring all members to say "so help me God" when they take an oath of service, no exceptions	34%	50%	46%	37%	50%	32%	20%	9%	26%	
Not sure	12%	8%	6%	9%	8%	12%	9%	17%	53%	
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (281)	100% (148)	100% (125)	100% (19)	100% (69)	100% (141)	100% (180)	100% (36)	

	Church attendance (Pew version)							
	Total	More than once a week	Once a week	Once or twice a month	A few times a year	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Removing "so help me God" from all military oaths of service	11%	10%	4%	13%	3%	9%	22%	3%
Allowing members the option to omit saying "so help me God" when they take an oath of service	43%	28%	37%	36%	45%	47%	49%	26%
Requiring all members to say "so help me God" when they take an oath of service, no exceptions	34%	55%	51%	33%	43%	32%	15%	21%
Not sure	12%	7%	8%	18%	8%	11%	14%	50%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (86)	100% (169)	100% (71)	100% (118)	100% (256)	100% (279)	100% (20)

**5. Pledge of Allegiance preference**

When it comes to students reciting the *Pledge of Allegiance* which one of the following options do you favor the most?

	Total	Gender		Age				Party ID		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Removing "under God" from the Pledge	10%	13%	8%	15%	12%	8%	6%	12%	12%	4%
Allowing students the option to omit saying "under God"	37%	35%	39%	35%	36%	38%	40%	46%	34%	33%
Requiring all students to say "under God" when they recite the Pledge, no exceptions	41%	40%	42%	30%	40%	44%	50%	31%	38%	59%
Not sure	12%	12%	11%	20%	13%	10%	4%	12%	16%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (477)	100% (520)	100% (175)	100% (262)	100% (397)	100% (163)	100% (327)	100% (442)	100% (228)

	Total	Race			Family Income			Region			
		White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Removing "under God" from the Pledge	10%	11%	4%	10%	6%	11%	20%	6%	11%	9%	15%
Allowing students the option to omit saying "under God"	37%	39%	36%	29%	36%	43%	38%	40%	35%	34%	42%
Requiring all students to say "under God" when they recite the Pledge, no exceptions	41%	40%	48%	36%	42%	39%	37%	42%	42%	46%	30%
Not sure	12%	10%	12%	25%	16%	7%	6%	12%	12%	11%	14%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (752)	100% (115)	100% (130)	100% (353)	100% (284)	100% (204)	100% (172)	100% (207)	100% (378)	100% (240)

	Religion					Importance of religion (Pew version)			
	Total	Protestant	Catholic	Other religion	Agnostic or Atheist	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Removing "under God" from the Pledge	10%	4%	3%	12%	46%	2%	3%	12%	34%
Allowing students the option to omit saying "under God"	37%	29%	41%	43%	43%	29%	37%	46%	48%
Requiring all students to say "under God" when they recite the Pledge, no exceptions	41%	63%	40%	26%	6%	62%	41%	26%	11%
Not sure	12%	4%	16%	20%	5%	7%	19%	17%	7%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (377)	100% (225)	100% (284)	100% (111)	100% (385)	100% (260)	100% (140)	100% (212)

	Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)								
	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Removing "under God" from the Pledge	10%	4%	2%	3%	1%	7%	12%	32%	1%
Allowing students the option to omit saying "under God"	37%	29%	33%	42%	24%	41%	54%	42%	12%
Requiring all students to say "under God" when they recite the Pledge, no exceptions	41%	60%	58%	43%	56%	35%	26%	12%	30%
Not sure	12%	6%	7%	12%	18%	17%	8%	14%	58%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (278)	100% (149)	100% (125)	100% (19)	100% (69)	100% (141)	100% (180)	100% (36)

	Church attendance (Pew version)							
	Total	More than once a week	Once a week	Once or twice a month	A few times a year	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Removing "under God" from the Pledge	10%	3%	4%	10%	3%	5%	25%	—
Allowing students the option to omit saying "under God"	37%	26%	28%	32%	37%	43%	43%	16%
Requiring all students to say "under God" when they recite the Pledge, no exceptions	41%	64%	61%	40%	50%	39%	19%	42%
Not sure	12%	7%	7%	18%	10%	12%	13%	42%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (86)	100% (169)	100% (72)	100% (117)	100% (254)	100% (279)	100% (20)

**6. Currency preference**

Do you think the government should or should not remove *In God We Trust* from US currency?

	Gender			Age				Party ID		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	Democrat	Independent	Republican
Should	13%	16%	10%	18%	15%	9%	11%	19%	13%	5%
Should not	71%	71%	70%	57%	67%	78%	79%	63%	68%	85%
Not sure	16%	13%	20%	25%	18%	13%	10%	19%	19%	9%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (477)	100% (522)	100% (175)	100% (263)	100% (398)	100% (163)	100% (328)	100% (443)	100% (228)

	Race				Family Income			Region			
	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Under 40	40-80	80+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should	13%	13%	15%	13%	9%	15%	20%	10%	12%	13%	16%
Should not	71%	72%	69%	62%	74%	70%	67%	73%	75%	70%	66%
Not sure	16%	15%	16%	25%	16%	15%	13%	16%	13%	17%	18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (754)	100% (115)	100% (130)	100% (353)	100% (284)	100% (204)	100% (172)	100% (207)	100% (379)	100% (241)

	Religion					Importance of religion (Pew version)			
	Total	Protestant	Catholic	Other religion	Agnostic or Atheist	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Should	13%	5%	6%	19%	41%	6%	6%	17%	33%
Should not	71%	88%	78%	56%	31%	87%	77%	65%	33%
Not sure	16%	7%	15%	25%	28%	7%	17%	18%	33%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (377)	100% (225)	100% (286)	100% (111)	100% (385)	100% (261)	100% (140)	100% (213)

	Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)								
	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Should	13%	6%	5%	8%	9%	5%	14%	35%	12%
Should not	71%	83%	86%	79%	87%	74%	65%	40%	50%
Not sure	16%	10%	9%	13%	4%	21%	21%	25%	38%

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**Frequency of Prayer (Pew version)**

	Total	Several times a day	Once a day	A few times a week	Once a week	A few times a month	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (280)	100% (149)	100% (125)	100% (19)	100% (69)	100% (141)	100% (180)	100% (36)

**Church attendance (Pew version)**

	Total	More than once a week	Once a week	Once or twice a month	A few times a year	Seldom	Never	Don't know
Should	13%	4%	9%	17%	5%	8%	25%	15%
Should not	71%	89%	84%	78%	79%	74%	50%	57%
Not sure	16%	7%	7%	5%	17%	18%	25%	28%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (86)	100% (168)	100% (72)	100% (118)	100% (256)	100% (279)	100% (20)