

YouGov / Accord Coalition Survey Results

Sample Size: 2083

Fieldwork: 3rd - 5th June 2009

	Total	Gender		Age					Social Grade		Regions						
	Base	Male	Female	18 to 24	25 to 34	35 to 44	45 to 54	55 +	ABC1	C2DE	North	Midlands	East	London	South	Wales	Scotland
Unweighted Base	2083	990	1093	209	422	356	359	737	1022	1061	485	311	213	239	506	115	214
ALL GB Adults	2083	1000	1083	250	380	353	372	729	1146	937	512	342	200	267	477	104	181

Now thinking about schools and religious beliefs in schools...

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? [Please tick one option on each horizontal row]

"State funded schools that select students by their religion undermine community cohesion"

Strongly agree	25%	30%	20%	24%	21%	24%	27%	27%	26%	24%	23%	26%	23%	23%	23%	25%	38%
Agree	32%	32%	33%	24%	36%	33%	32%	33%	33%	32%	32%	29%	35%	31%	33%	38%	33%
Neither agree nor disagree	18%	18%	19%	25%	17%	22%	17%	16%	16%	21%	22%	22%	17%	17%	17%	10%	14%
Disagree	12%	9%	15%	11%	13%	10%	12%	12%	14%	9%	11%	12%	13%	15%	14%	13%	5%
Strongly disagree	7%	6%	8%	6%	4%	8%	7%	8%	7%	6%	6%	7%	8%	7%	7%	5%	7%
Don't know	6%	6%	6%	10%	9%	4%	6%	4%	4%	8%	6%	6%	4%	7%	6%	9%	3%

"All state funded schools should operate recruitment and employment policies that do not discriminate on grounds of religion or belief"

Strongly agree	37%	38%	35%	37%	40%	35%	39%	35%	41%	31%	39%	28%	35%	36%	35%	44%	47%
Agree	35%	32%	38%	24%	33%	34%	33%	41%	35%	35%	33%	40%	37%	33%	36%	27%	34%
Neither agree nor disagree	15%	15%	14%	19%	13%	18%	14%	13%	12%	18%	13%	18%	15%	14%	14%	19%	11%
Disagree	7%	7%	7%	11%	5%	6%	7%	6%	6%	8%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	1%	3%
Strongly disagree	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%
Don't know	5%	5%	4%	9%	7%	4%	4%	2%	4%	6%	4%	3%	4%	6%	5%	8%	3%

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State funded faith schools often have Religious Education and collective worship inspected by representatives of their denomination, rather than government Ofsted inspectors (by collective worship we mean prayers or religious teachings in assemblies, the singing of hymns, or prayers in the classroom at the beginning and end of the day).

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? [Please tick one option on each horizontal row]

"All state funded schools should be made accountable under a single inspection regime for all subjects"

Strongly agree	8%	9%	7%	6%	6%	7%	7%	11%	9%	7%	9%	8%	7%	3%	10%	8%	8%
Agree	19%	18%	19%	20%	15%	15%	21%	21%	17%	21%	20%	21%	18%	19%	18%	17%	16%
Neither agree nor disagree	24%	24%	24%	23%	27%	29%	23%	21%	22%	26%	23%	27%	27%	23%	23%	21%	23%
Disagree	22%	21%	23%	14%	21%	24%	25%	25%	25%	20%	22%	19%	25%	24%	23%	24%	23%
Strongly disagree	15%	19%	12%	18%	14%	16%	14%	15%	17%	13%	14%	13%	14%	16%	17%	10%	22%
Don't know	11%	8%	14%	20%	17%	9%	9%	7%	9%	14%	11%	11%	11%	14%	10%	19%	9%

"All state funded schools should teach an objective and balanced syllabus for education about a wide range of religious and non-religious beliefs"

Strongly agree	33%	34%	33%	33%	39%	35%	31%	31%	38%	28%	33%	29%	26%	37%	36%	36%	40%
Agree	41%	38%	44%	36%	36%	40%	43%	46%	43%	40%	42%	43%	50%	37%	40%	34%	38%
Neither agree nor disagree	12%	13%	11%	12%	13%	14%	13%	10%	9%	16%	12%	16%	12%	10%	10%	14%	12%
Disagree	5%	6%	5%	5%	3%	5%	5%	7%	4%	7%	6%	4%	3%	7%	6%	5%	4%
Strongly disagree	3%	4%	2%	2%	1%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%
Don't know	5%	5%	5%	11%	9%	4%	5%	3%	4%	7%	5%	5%	6%	7%	4%	10%	3%