

1. Most heard news

Which have you heard MOST about in the past few days?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
NFL players kneeling in protest during the national anthem	61%	61%	61%	55%	59%	65%	63%	64%	57%	58%	44%
Puerto Rico dealing with the damage from Hurricane Maria	14%	13%	15%	8%	16%	16%	13%	13%	12%	17%	13%
Republicans in Congress trying to pass a bill to repeal Obamacare	14%	16%	13%	13%	11%	14%	20%	14%	15%	13%	14%
None of the above	5%	4%	5%	11%	5%	2%	2%	3%	6%	6%	14%
Not sure	6%	6%	7%	13%	9%	3%	2%	5%	9%	5%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	996	430	566	173	281	344	198	740	98	85	73

	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
NFL players kneeling in protest during the national anthem	61%	62%	59%	63%	62%	65%	55%	55%	61%	61%	64%	57%
Puerto Rico dealing with the damage from Hurricane Maria	14%	13%	12%	17%	14%	11%	16%	14%	8%	12%	14%	18%
Republicans in Congress trying to pass a bill to repeal Obamacare	14%	19%	11%	14%	10%	18%	22%	16%	17%	13%	15%	12%
None of the above	5%	4%	7%	2%	7%	2%	2%	6%	6%	6%	3%	5%
Not sure	6%	2%	11%	4%	8%	4%	4%	9%	8%	8%	3%	8%

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		Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	996	356	377	263	436	264	148	148	196	206	324	270

2. Athletes

When it comes to politics, do you think athletes and entertainers should:

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Publicly express their values and beliefs	37%	39%	35%	41%	43%	33%	33%	30%	68%	36%	47%
Avoid publicly stating any political opinions	42%	46%	37%	34%	30%	44%	59%	48%	14%	50%	25%
Not sure	21%	15%	27%	25%	28%	23%	8%	23%	18%	14%	28%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	997	431	566	173	282	344	198	741	98	85	73

	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Publicly express their values and beliefs	37%	60%	31%	15%	40%	35%	35%	31%	41%	34%	39%	34%
Avoid publicly stating any political opinions	42%	22%	39%	71%	40%	44%	50%	36%	38%	43%	41%	44%
Not sure	21%	17%	30%	14%	20%	21%	15%	33%	21%	23%	20%	22%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	997	356	377	264	435	264	148	150	195	207	325	270

3. Football fan

Do you consider yourself a fan of professional football?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	41%	45%	36%	28%	41%	47%	44%	41%	53%	36%	29%
No	51%	47%	56%	57%	50%	47%	55%	53%	43%	55%	42%
Not sure	8%	8%	8%	15%	9%	7%	2%	6%	4%	9%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	993	430	563	171	282	343	197	739	98	84	72

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Yes	41%	44%	35%	46%	41%	43%	43%	36%	38%	44%	41%	39%
No	51%	48%	56%	48%	52%	50%	50%	52%	54%	47%	51%	53%
Not sure	8%	8%	9%	6%	7%	6%	6%	12%	8%	9%	7%	8%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	993	354	377	262	433	264	148	148	196	206	322	269

4. Appropriate to kneel

Do you think it's appropriate or inappropriate for NFL players to kneel in protest during the national anthem?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Appropriate	36%	39%	33%	43%	44%	32%	27%	29%	66%	36%	53%
Inappropriate	48%	49%	47%	31%	38%	55%	66%	60%	7%	42%	23%
Not sure	16%	12%	20%	26%	18%	13%	7%	12%	27%	22%	24%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	998	431	567	173	281	345	199	743	98	84	73

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Appropriate	36%	59%	33%	11%	38%	32%	33%	38%	38%	40%	34%	35%
Inappropriate	48%	22%	47%	85%	46%	52%	57%	42%	45%	45%	50%	51%
Not sure	16%	19%	20%	4%	16%	16%	10%	20%	17%	15%	16%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	998	356	377	265	435	264	149	150	197	207	324	270

5. Do instead

Do you think football players who want to protest should:

Asked of those who think kneeling is an inappropriate form of protest

	Total	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Protest during football games, but in a different way	8%	7%	9%	9%	13%	7%	6%	7%	*	17%	*
Only protest outside of their professional life	76%	80%	72%	79%	74%	74%	78%	75%	*	82%	*
Not protest at all	13%	10%	16%	8%	8%	16%	14%	14%	*	1%	*
Not sure	3%	3%	3%	4%	5%	3%	2%	3%	*	0%	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	*	100%	*
Unweighted N	484	221	263	52	109	194	129	422	8	31	23

	Total	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Protest during football games, but in a different way	8%	12%	8%	7%	13%	8%	1%	2%	14%	9%	10%	2%
Only protest outside of their professional life	76%	65%	74%	81%	70%	77%	82%	86%	67%	73%	71%	89%
Not protest at all	13%	17%	12%	11%	14%	10%	17%	10%	15%	17%	14%	7%
Not sure	3%	6%	5%	1%	4%	4%	0%	3%	4%	1%	5%	2%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	484	73	180	231	210	126	77	71	92	87	171	134

6. Kneeling a problem

Do you think NFL players kneeling in protest during the national anthem is:

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A very serious problem	25%	25%	24%	14%	17%	30%	36%	29%	10%	27%	12%
A somewhat serious problem	18%	16%	20%	13%	19%	17%	23%	22%	6%	13%	12%
Not much of a problem	20%	18%	22%	27%	18%	19%	18%	17%	25%	22%	34%
Not a problem at all	28%	32%	23%	31%	31%	26%	22%	24%	46%	30%	22%
Not sure	10%	8%	11%	15%	15%	8%	1%	8%	13%	7%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	998	431	567	173	282	344	199	742	98	85	73

	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A very serious problem	25%	10%	23%	46%	23%	23%	30%	27%	21%	22%	28%	25%
A somewhat serious problem	18%	9%	19%	28%	18%	20%	22%	13%	16%	17%	16%	22%
Not much of a problem	20%	25%	17%	18%	22%	20%	17%	18%	25%	23%	18%	18%
Not a problem at all	28%	51%	23%	4%	27%	29%	26%	28%	30%	30%	26%	26%
Not sure	10%	4%	18%	5%	10%	8%	5%	14%	7%	8%	12%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	998	356	377	265	435	264	149	150	197	206	325	270

7. Fire those who kneel

Do you think NFL players who kneel in protest during the national anthem should or should not be fired from their team?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Should be fired	30%	36%	24%	26%	24%	29%	40%	34%	11%	22%	30%
Should NOT be fired	52%	50%	54%	54%	56%	51%	48%	47%	77%	62%	47%
Not sure	18%	14%	22%	19%	20%	20%	12%	19%	12%	16%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	996	431	565	171	281	345	199	743	98	84	71

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should be fired	30%	11%	27%	58%	29%	32%	37%	23%	26%	28%	29%	34%
Should NOT be fired	52%	79%	49%	22%	53%	54%	44%	56%	56%	53%	55%	46%
Not sure	18%	11%	23%	20%	19%	14%	19%	21%	18%	19%	16%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	996	355	376	265	433	264	149	150	197	207	323	269

8. Trump's response

Do you approve or disapprove of President Trump's response to the NFL protests?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	22%	26%	17%	16%	14%	25%	29%	26%	2%	22%	12%
Somewhat approve	14%	16%	13%	11%	15%	13%	19%	17%	3%	6%	20%
Somewhat disapprove	12%	11%	13%	18%	10%	11%	10%	11%	12%	15%	16%
Strongly disapprove	42%	41%	44%	42%	45%	42%	41%	36%	76%	49%	29%
Not sure	10%	6%	13%	13%	16%	9%	1%	9%	8%	8%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	998	431	567	173	282	344	199	742	98	85	73

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	22%	2%	24%	44%	20%	22%	23%	24%	17%	22%	22%	23%
Somewhat approve	14%	8%	13%	25%	15%	14%	16%	10%	11%	15%	14%	16%
Somewhat disapprove	12%	13%	11%	13%	13%	13%	13%	7%	12%	13%	12%	11%
Strongly disapprove	42%	73%	37%	10%	41%	44%	36%	49%	50%	41%	41%	40%
Not sure	10%	5%	15%	8%	10%	7%	13%	10%	11%	8%	10%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	998	356	377	265	435	264	149	150	196	207	325	270

9. Purpose of protest

To the best of your knowledge, what are the NFL players mostly protesting? Select all that apply.

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Protesting against police violence	48%	51%	46%	48%	50%	48%	45%	46%	60%	54%	36%
Protesting against Donald Trump	40%	41%	38%	46%	36%	36%	42%	39%	36%	54%	31%
Protesting against the American flag	12%	16%	9%	13%	7%	13%	17%	12%	8%	16%	10%
Protesting against something else	19%	24%	15%	23%	17%	18%	21%	18%	26%	19%	17%
Not sure	19%	15%	22%	16%	23%	19%	17%	20%	15%	10%	29%
Unweighted N	1,000	431	569	173	283	345	199	743	98	85	74

	Party ID			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Protesting against police violence	48%	62%	40%	43%	43%	58%	56%	42%	52%	45%	46%	51%
Protesting against Donald Trump	40%	37%	39%	45%	34%	47%	42%	44%	41%	36%	40%	40%
Protesting against the American flag	12%	3%	12%	24%	12%	12%	15%	9%	11%	14%	12%	12%
Protesting against something else	19%	22%	13%	26%	21%	20%	21%	12%	24%	18%	19%	19%
Not sure	19%	13%	22%	20%	19%	17%	15%	25%	17%	22%	19%	17%
Unweighted N	1,000	356	379	265	437	264	149	150	198	207	325	270

10. Describe players

Which of the following words do you think describe the NFL players who knelt in protest during the national anthem? Select all that apply.

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Brave	26%	27%	26%	29%	33%	25%	18%	20%	54%	31%	27%
Principled	27%	31%	23%	29%	30%	25%	25%	25%	41%	20%	32%
Unpatriotic	35%	35%	36%	19%	30%	43%	45%	45%	5%	31%	14%
Ungrateful	35%	39%	30%	29%	28%	35%	48%	42%	8%	29%	25%
None of the above	7%	6%	9%	11%	7%	6%	6%	6%	12%	8%	8%
Not sure	11%	10%	12%	13%	14%	10%	5%	9%	12%	9%	21%
Unweighted N	1,000	431	569	173	283	345	199	743	98	85	74

	Party ID				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
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Brave	26%	47%	22%	6%	27%	25%	19%	33%	23%	30%	29%	22%
Principled	27%	47%	22%	9%	26%	32%	25%	25%	38%	27%	24%	23%
Unpatriotic	35%	12%	35%	68%	33%	35%	50%	31%	28%	33%	39%	37%
Ungrateful	35%	13%	34%	65%	30%	36%	48%	35%	27%	34%	36%	39%
None of the above	7%	6%	10%	5%	8%	5%	4%	10%	7%	8%	5%	10%
Not sure	11%	10%	17%	2%	12%	11%	6%	9%	13%	10%	11%	9%
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Interviewing Dates	September 25 - 26, 2017
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2014 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2014 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
Weighting	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, 2012 and 2016 Presidential votes. The weights range from 0.119 to 6.011, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.854.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 4.1% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	56 questions not reported.