

Full Survey Results -- Bullying

The survey was conducted as part of the Princeton Survey Research International (PSRAI) April omnibus conducted from April 8 – April 11, 2010, and 1,001 adults were interviewed. The omnibus included questions on a wide variety of topics. Besides these questions, others were asked on politics/current events and multivitamins. A combination of landline and cellular random digit dial (RDD) samples was used to represent all adults in the continental United States who have access to either a landline or cellular telephone. The margin of error for the survey is plus or minus 3.6 percentage points. However, it is higher when comparing subgroups or question items that were not asked of all respondents.

		Parent (n=262)	Nonparent (n=739)	Total
PA1. Would you say the following is a very serious problem, somewhat serious, not too serious or not a serious problem at all? [RANDOMIZE]				
PA1a. Bullying and harassment	Very serious	40%	50%	47%
	Somewhat serious	30%	25%	27%
	Not too serious	18%	12%	14%
	Not at all serious	8%	4%	5%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know	4%	8%	7%
	(DO NOT READ) Refused	*	1%	1%
PA1b. Cheating	Very serious	23%	33%	30%
	Somewhat serious	24%	25%	25%
	Not too serious	26%	16%	19%
	Not at all serious	15%	7%	9%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know	10%	18%	16%
	(DO NOT READ) Refused	1%	1%	1%
PA1c. Illegal drugs	Very serious	39%	59%	53%
	Somewhat serious	28%	21%	23%
	Not too serious	14%	9%	10%
	Not at all serious	14%	3%	7%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know	5%	8%	7%
	(DO NOT READ) Refused	--	1%	1%
PA1d. Physical fighting	Very serious	28%	37%	34%
	Somewhat serious	27%	25%	25%
	Not too serious	25%	20%	22%
	Not at all serious	15%	6%	9%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know	5%	11%	9%
	(DO NOT READ) Refused	--	1%	1%
PA1e. Students treating teachers with a lack of respect	Very serious	45%	53%	50%
	Somewhat serious	25%	25%	25%
	Not too serious	15%	10%	11%
	Not at all serious	11%	4%	6%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know	4%	8%	7%
	(DO NOT READ) Refused	--	1%	1%
PA2a. Thinking back to when you were in school, would you say you were ever bullied or not?	Yes	39%	34%	35%
	No	61%	66%	64%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know	--	*	*
	(DO NOT READ) Refused	--	*	*

PA2b. Would you say you were bullied a lot or only a little? ASKED OF THOSE WHO SAID YES	A lot	28%	20%	23%
	A little	72%	79%	77%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know	--	*	*
	(DO NOT READ) Refused	--	*	--
SEX. Respondent's Sex	Male	45%	50%	49%
	Female	55%	50%	51%
PARTY. In politics TODAY, do you consider yourself a Republican, Democrat, or Independent?	Republican	24%	22%	23%
	Democrat	30%	33%	32%
	Independent	38%	38%	38%
	No preference (VOL.)	5%	6%	5%
	Other party (VOL.)	*	*	*
	Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	2%	1%	2%
PARTYLN As of today do you lean more to the Republican Party or more to the Democratic Party?	Republican	42%	35%	37%
	Democratic	20%	33%	29%
	Other/Don't know/Refused (VOL.)	38%	32%	34%
EDUC. What is the last grade or class you completed in school?	None, or grade 1 to 8	3%	2%	2%
	High school incomplete (Grades 9-11)	8%	11%	10%
	High school graduate, Grade 12, or GED certificate	30%	32%	32%
	Technical, trade or vocational school AFTER high school	3%	3%	3%
	Some college or university work, but no four-year degree	24%	25%	25%
	College or university graduate (BA, BS or other four-year degree received)	19%	14%	15%
	Post graduate or professional schooling after college	13%	13%	13%
HISP. Are you of Hispanic or Latino background, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban or other Spanish background?	Yes	13%	9%	11%
	No	87%	90%	89%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused	--	*	*
RACE. What is your race? Are you white, black, Asian, or some other race?	White	70%	79%	77%
	Black or African-American	17%	10%	12%
	Asian or Pacific Islander	3%	3%	3%
	Mixed race	3%	2%	2%
	Native American/American Indian	2%	3%	3%
	Other (SPECIFY)	4%	--	1%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused	1%	3%	2%
INC. Last year, that is in 2009, approximately what was your total family income before taxes ? just tell me when I get to the right category.	Less than \$10,000	9%	9%	9%
	\$10,000 to under \$20,000	10%	11%	11%
	\$20,000 to under \$30,000	6%	14%	11%
	\$30,000 to under \$40,000	12%	12%	12%
	\$40,000 to under \$50,000	10%	9%	9%
	\$50,000 to under \$75,000	15%	13%	14%
	\$75,000 to under \$100,000	13%	9%	10%
	\$100,000 to under \$150,000	10%	7%	8%
	\$150,000 or over	8%	5%	6%
	(DO NOT READ) Don't know/Refused	8%	10%	10%