

INTRO My name is from Patterson Market Research, the polling company for the West Australian Newspaper. We're conducting a survey about attitudes & opinions of people aged 18 – 30 yrs, and would like to survey the views of this household.

Federal Privacy laws protect the confidentiality of any comments you make in relation to this survey. Your responses will be used solely for research purposes and while we prefer you to answer all questions in the survey, you do not have to. All people who take part in the survey will be put into a prize draw for \$250 to be drawn the week before Xmas.

Section A Life issues

The first few questions are about the way that you look at life.

QA1 Can you please tell me how much priority you place on the following things in life:

	Extremely High priority	Very High priority	Quite high Priority	Not very high priority	No priority at all	Don't Know
Having the latest fashions	5	4	3	2	1	90
Having close personal relationships	5	4	3	2	1	90
Having enough money for the nice things in life	5	4	3	2	1	90
Have a fit & healthy lifestyle	5	4	3	2	1	90
Being attractive to the opposite sex	5	4	3	2	1	90
Have a financial plan for the future	5	4	3	2	1	90
Being popular with a lot of people	5	4	3	2	1	90
Saving or investing for your future	5	4	3	2	1	90
Playing an active role in community life eg. sports or other community committee	5	4	3	2	1	90
Having a high status job	5	4	3	2	1	90

QA2 Regarding your current financial position, would you say you live:

- Very comfortably 1
- Fairly comfortably 2
- Not very comfortably 3
- Not at all comfortably 4

QA3 Overall, how *happy* would you say you are at this current stage of your life?

- Very happy 1
- Fairly happy 2
- Neither happy nor unhappy 3
- Fairly unhappy 4
- Very unhappy 5
- (Don't know/not sure/haven't thought about it) 6

QA4. Do you think Australia should ...

become a republic, with an Australian Head of state	1
or do you think it should remain a Constitutional Monarchy with the Queen as our head of state represented in Australia by the Governor General	2
Don't know	90

QA5. Would being a republic nation make you feel like you are living in a more independent nation?

YES	1
MAYBE	2
NO	3
DON'T KNOW	90

QA6 Please indicate if you DEFINITELY WOULD NOT, PROBABLY WOULD NOT, PROBABLY WOULD OR DEFINITELY WOULD be prepared to fight for your country if:

	DEFINITELY NOT	Probably not	Neither One nor the other	PROBABLY	Definitely	DON'T KNOW
YOU PERSONALLY BELIEVED THAT THE CAUSE WAS CORRECT	1	2	3	4	5	90
THE GOVT OF AUSTRALIA MADE THE DECISION TO GO TO WAR	1	2	3	4	5	90
Australia was threatened with attack	1	2	3	4	5	90
An Ally of Australia was threatened with attack	1	2	3	4	5	90

QA7. If a young adult was arrested and charged with an offence in W.A. do you think they would or would not:

	DEFINITELY NOT	Probably not	Neither One nor the other	PROBABLY	Definitely	DON'T KNOW
Be treated fairly by police	1	2	3	4	5	90
Have a fair trial	1	2	3	4	5	90

Section B RELIGION AND RACIAL TOLERANCE

QB1. Would you marry a person from a different ethnic group to your own?

YES	1
MAYBE	2
NO	3
DON'T KNOW	90

QB2. Do you think your parents would support your choice if you married a person from a different ethnic group?

YES	1
MAYBE	2
NO	3
DON'T KNOW	90

QB3. When Migrants come to Australia, do you think that they should be free to follow their own religious beliefs or should they follow Christian traditions and beliefs?

Follow Christian traditions	1
MAYBE	2
Be free to follow their own religious beliefs	3
Both – respect Christian traditions, but follow own beliefs	4
DON'T KNOW	90

QB4a. Do you belong to or follow the teachings of any religious group?

None	1 >B5
Christian	2
Muslim /Islam	3
Buddhist	5
Other (Specify)	87
DON'T KNOW	90

QB4b. How often do you personally attend church or some other place of worship?

Once a week or more	1 >Section C
1 – 2 a month	2 >Section C
About 6 – 10 times a yr	3 >Section C
About 3 – 5 times a yr	4 >Section C
About 1-2 times a yr	5 >Section C
Less often	6
DON'T KNOW	90

B5 Do you believe in the afterlife?

YES	1
MAYBE	2
NO	3
DON'T KNOW	90

SECTION C: THE WORLD WE LIVE IN

QC1 Do you think Australia should increase, maintain at current levels, reduce or cease altogether the level of immigration intake?

INCREASE	1
MAINTAIN	2
REDUCE	3
CEASE ALTOGETHER	4
DON'T KNOW	90

QC2 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements about modern life in Australia?

	Strong Agree	Agree	Neither one nor the other	Disagree	Strong Disagree	Don't Know
It is OK to take recreational drugs	5	4	3	2	1	90
Hard drugs like Heroine should be legalised	5	4	3	2	1	90
Testing on live animals is acceptable to develop treatments for life threatening diseases in humans	5	4	3	2	1	90
A woman should be able to have an abortion if she wants	5	4	3	2	1	90
I am concerned about the environment	5	4	3	2	1	90
All races are equally trustworthy	5	4	3	2	1	90
The Environment can be saved if enough people get involved	5	4	3	2	1	90
I am often concerned about violent crime	5	4	3	2	1	90
Stay at home mums generally have a better relationship with their kids than working mums	5	4	3	2	1	90
If you are sensible you are pretty safe in Perth at night	5	4	3	2	1	90
Testing on live animals is acceptable to develop safer cosmetics	5	4	3	2	1	90
I think our generation has better personal relationships than our parents' generation	5	4	3	2	1	90
Euthanasia should be a matter of personal choice	5	4	3	2	1	90
Marriage is an irrelevant institution for our generation	5	4	3	2	1	90
Gays should be able to marry if they wish	5	4	3	2	1	90
I am happy with my appearance	5	4	3	2	1	90
Testing on live animals is acceptable to develop effective disease treatments for farm animal stock	5	4	3	2	1	90
I think mums should not work full time until their kids reach Primary school	5	4	3	2	1	90
Perth is the best place to live	5	4	3	2	1	90
I have been on a diet in the last 12 months	5	4	3	2	1	90
I am really looking forward to the next 20 yrs	5	4	3	2	1	90
WA should have longer prison sentences for people who commit crimes against property or persons.	5	4	3	2	1	90

QC3 If you think about your friends and acquaintances WHO ARE NOT IN LONG TERM RELATIONSHIPS, from what you know, how many of them do you think always practice safe sex?

Would

All of them	1
Most of them	2
Some of them	3
A few only	4
Refused	89
DON'T KNOW	90

..... always practice safe sex when with someone they have not known for a long time?

QC3 Which POLITICAL party do you think you will vote for in the state election in February?

LABOR / ALP	1
LIBERALS	2
NATIONALS	3
GREEN	4
DEMOCRATS	5
ONE NATION	6
INDEPENDENT	7
CHRISTIAN INDEPENDENT	8
DON'T KNOW	90

QC4 What media do you read, listen to or watch to keep up with news & events?

	SR	Others
The West Australian	1	1
TV news (commercial)	2	2
TV News (ABC / SBS)	3	3
The Sunday Times	4	4
Local paper	5	5
Internet	6	6
The Australian	7	7
93.7 (Nova FM)	8	8
Triple J	9	9
Word of mouth	10	10
92.9 FM	11	11
94.5 FM	12	12
96 FM	13	13
Hot FM radio	14	14
The Financial Review	15	15
6PR	16	16
720 AM Radio	17	17
TV news (GWN/WIN)	18	18
101.7 Groove Radio	19	19
Time Magazine	20	20
The Bulletin	21	21
Current affairs programs (60 minutes)	22	22
Sonshine Radio 98.5 FM	23	23
Cable TV news (Foxtel, Sky, CNN)	24	24
Magazines	25	25
Other radio stations specified	26	26
96.5 FM	27	27
Radio (NFI)	80	80
Other (specify)	87	87

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THANK YOU. Now to check that we have a good cross section of the community:

D1 Could you please tell me your age (_____)

D2 CODE SEX MALE 1
FEMALE 2

D3. Are you married, in a defacto relationship, have a regular partner, or are you completely unattached?

Married	1
Defacto (living together)	2
Regular partner (not living together)	3
Unattached	4
Other (Specify)	87

D3a Do you have children? (If no probe for attitude towards having some “one day”)

YES	1
NO, BUT WOULD LIKE TO ONE DAY	2
NO, AND DO NOT WANT TO HAVE CHILDREN	3

D4 Did you go to School in WA?

YES	1
NO	2 >D6

D5 Was that a Govt or private school?

GOVT	1
PRIVATE	2
DON'T KNOW	90

D6 Including school and other studies, what is the highest education you have achieved so far? (If schooled out of WA try to get the local equivalent)

Some High school to yr 10 (about 15 yrs of age)	1
Tee level (yr 12)	2
TAFE or trade qualification (may be apprenticeship)	3
Some University	4
Completed University graduate course	5
Completed post graduate course	6
Completed year 11	7
Other specify	87

D7 What is your main daily activity (work, student etc)?

Home duties /H Wife	1 >D9
Student	2 >D9
Unemployed	3 >D9
Manager/administrator	4
Professional – (Dr, Dentist etc)	5
Para-professional (nurse police, IT programmer)	6
Clerical / general office worker	7
Sales and personal service	8
Tradesperson	9
Plant and machine operator	10
Labourer	11
Other SPECIFY	87

D8 IS THAT PART OR FULL TIME WORK?

Work casual/ part time	1
Work Full time	2
Not working (or trying to get work)	3
Unemployed (looking for work)	4
DON'T KNOW	90

D9 Are you buying or renting your own home, or living with your parents/ in laws?:

Buying own home with partner/ spouse	1 >D10
Renting with partner/spouse	2 >D10
Buying with group share arrangement	3 >D11
Renting with group share arrangement	4 >D11
Living with parents/in-laws	5 >D11
Buying alone	6 >D11
Renting Alone	7 >D11
Other (Specify)	87 >D11
DON'T KNOW	90 >D11

D10 Including your partner's income, what is the total household income for your household before tax?

Less than \$20,000	1
\$20-\$30,000	2
\$31-\$40,000	3
\$41-\$50,000	4
\$51-\$60,000	5
\$61-\$70,000	6
\$71-\$80,000	7
\$81,000+	8
REFUSED	9

D11 What is your own income before tax?

Less than \$20,000	1
\$20-\$30,000	2
\$31-\$40,000	3
\$41-\$50,000	4
\$51-\$60,000	5
\$61-\$70,000	6
\$71-\$80,000	7
\$81,000+	8
REFUSED	9

D12 Could you please tell me your postcode (_____)

D13 Finally, where in the world would you describe your ethnic origins?

Aboriginal / Torres strait Islander	1
European - United Kingdom / Ireland	2
Other European	3
Asia	4
North America / Canada	5
South America	6
Africa	7
Middle East	8
Pacific Islands/New Zealand	9
Others SPECIFY	10