

January 2022



AUSTRALIA DAY POLL

Australia Day Poll

This poll of 1,002 Australians was commissioned by the Institute of Public Affairs. Data for this poll was collected by marketing research firm Dynata between 16-30 December 2021. and rounded to the closest whole number.

Summary

Column %	I am proud to be an Australian	Australia has a history to be proud of	Australia Day should be celebrated on 26 January
Strongly agree	60%	42%	49%
Somewhat agree	24%	27%	15%
Neither agree or disagree	11%	17%	21%
Somewhat disagree	2%	10%	7%
Strongly disagree	3%	4%	7%
Total agree	84%	69%	65%
Total disagree	5%	14%	15%
NET	100%	100%	100%
	1002	1002	1002

I am proud to be an Australian

Column %	AGE GROUPS					
	18-24	25-34	25-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Strongly agree	47%	51%	51%	57%	71%	80%
Somewhat agree	35%	27%	30%	26%	19%	11%
Neither agree or disagree	16%	13%	15%	12%	3%	6%
Somewhat disagree	0%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%
Strongly disagree	2%	6%	3%	2%	5%	1%
Total agree	82%	78%	81%	83%	90%	92%
Total disagree	2%	9%	4%	5%	2%	2%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Australia has a history to be proud of

	AGE GROUPS					
Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Strongly agree	26%	32%	34%	39%	55%	61%
Somewhat agree	27%	26%	28%	31%	26%	21%
Neither agree or disagree	25%	20%	24%	16%	11%	9%
Somewhat disagree	17%	13%	10%	9%	6%	9%
Strongly disagree	5%	9%	4%	4%	2%	1%
Total agree	54%	58%	62%	70%	81%	82%
Total disagree	22%	22%	14%	13%	8%	9%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Australia Day should be celebrated on 26 January

	AGE GROUPS					
Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Strongly agree	28%	36%	42%	54%	60%	68%
Somewhat agree	19%	17%	18%	15%	15%	10%
Neither agree or disagree	28%	25%	25%	18%	15%	15%
Somewhat disagree	12%	9%	8%	8%	4%	5%
Strongly disagree	13%	14%	7%	5%	6%	3%
Total agree	47%	53%	60%	69%	75%	78%
Total disagree	25%	22%	15%	13%	10%	8%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Are you...?

	AGE GROUPS					
Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Male	30%	24%	31%	31%	87%	93%
Female	70%	76%	69%	69%	13%	7%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	102	185	195	183	154	183

Location

	AGE GROUPS					
Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Metro	73%	75%	81%	79%	68%	70%
Regional	27%	25%	19%	21%	32%	30%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

What is your annual gross (i.e. before tax) household income range?

	AGE GROUPS					
Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Less than \$15,000 AUD	8%	8%	5%	2%	3%	1%
\$15,000 to \$29,999 AUD	9%	6%	4%	9%	21%	14%
\$30,000 to \$44,999 AUD	11%	9%	8%	9%	8%	20%
\$45,000 to \$59,999 AUD	16%	14%	12%	12%	9%	21%
\$60,000 to \$74,999 AUD	13%	12%	10%	9%	10%	8%
\$75,000 to \$99,999 AUD	12%	16%	16%	9%	16%	13%
\$100,000 to \$149,999 AUD	14%	18%	20%	25%	19%	10%
\$150,000 to \$199,999 AUD	4%	6%	10%	8%	5%	3%
\$200,000 to \$499,999 AUD	2%	2%	5%	7%	5%	2%
\$500,000 to \$999,999 AUD	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%
\$1 million + AUD	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Prefer not to answer	11%	8%	9%	9%	5%	9%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	102	185	195	183	154	183

What is your annual gross (i.e. before tax) personal income range?

	AGE GROUPS					
Column %	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Less than \$15,000 AUD	25%	22%	11%	12%	12%	5%
\$15,000 to \$29,999 AUD	21%	17%	11%	18%	27%	35%
\$30,000 to \$44,999 AUD	14%	15%	13%	13%	8%	22%
\$45,000 to \$59,999 AUD	8%	11%	16%	10%	10%	9%
\$60,000 to \$74,999 AUD	9%	12%	11%	10%	8%	7%
\$75,000 to \$99,999 AUD	5%	5%	11%	11%	16%	8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999 AUD	1%	5%	12%	10%	10%	3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999 AUD	0%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%
\$200,000 to \$499,999 AUD	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%
\$500,000 to \$999,999 AUD	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%
\$1 million + AUD	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Prefer not to answer	17%	8%	10%	10%	6%	10%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	102	185	195	183	154	183

How would you describe your current living arrangements?

Column %	AGE GROUPS					
	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Living with parents	58%	15%	9%	4%	3%	0%
Living on my own or with housemates/boarders	21%	21%	18%	24%	25%	20%
Living with a partner/spouse, never had kids	11%	19%	14%	13%	16%	4%
Parent/guardian, with the youngest child aged under 3 years living with me	5%	23%	5%	0%	1%	1%
Parent/guardian, with the youngest child aged 3-12 years living with me	3%	21%	40%	17%	1%	1%
Parent/guardian, with the youngest child aged 13-18 years living with me	1%	1%	11%	16%	6%	1%
Parent/guardian, with the youngest child aged 19 years and above living with me	1%	0%	1%	15%	16%	9%
Retirement village	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	3%
Parent/guardian, with children aged 19 years and above who have left home / Empty Nesters	1%	0%	1%	10%	31%	57%
Other (please specify)	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Prefer not to answer	102	185	195	183	154	183
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	102	185	195	183	154	183

How would you describe your current living arrangements?

Column %	AGE GROUPS					
	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Full-time (30 or more hours per week)	34%	38%	51%	40%	31%	4%
Part-time	25%	16%	23%	22%	9%	5%
Contract, Freelance or Temp Emp.	0%	1%	2%	4%	2%	2%
Full-time Student	25%	6%	2%	1%	0%	0%
Part-time Student (working MORE than 30 hours per week)	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Part-time Student (working LESS than 30 hours per week)	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%
Homemaker	0%	16%	9%	9%	1%	2%
Self-employed	1%	4%	0%	7%	6%	3%
Stay-at-Home Parent	2%	5%	4%	2%	0%	1%
Retired	0%	1%	2%	3%	32%	81%
Semi-retired	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
Unemployed	9%	10%	7%	8%	14%	1%
None of the above	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%	1%
NET	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
	102	185	195	183	154	183