

2021 NATIONAL

John Lewis Voting Rights Act Poll

	ALL VOTERS	GOP	DEM	IND
1. Congress is considering legislation that would give more control over elections to the federal government. The bill is called the John Lewis Voting Rights Advancement Act. Generally speaking, how familiar are you with the legislation?				
Very Familiar	29%	34%	28%	25%
Somewhat Familiar	41%	35%	47%	40%
Not Familiar	27%	30%	22%	31%
Unsure	3%	2%	3%	4%
2. Generally speaking, would you be likely or unlikely to support the John Lewis voting legislation based on what you know about it today?				
Likely to Support	33%	13%	55%	29%
Unlikely to Support	35%	59%	11%	36%
Unsure	32%	28%	34%	34%
3. Would you be more or less likely to support the John Lewis voting legislation if you knew that it allows Washington bureaucrats to overrule state election laws without due process?				
More Likely	25%	16%	36%	21%
Less Likely	52%	67%	35%	56%
Unsure	23%	18%	29%	23%
4. Would you be more or less likely to support the John Lewis voting legislation if you knew that it could allow federal officials to directly target certain states and override the will of the voters?				
More Likely	20%	12%	27%	21%
Less Likely	58%	74%	43%	57%
Unsure	22%	14%	29%	22%

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5. Would you be more or less likely to support the John Lewis voting legislation if you knew that it could allow the federal government to officially declare that a state is engaging in racially motivated voter suppression in regards to elections without having to provide evidence?				
More Likely	29%	13%	44%	30%
Less Likely	48%	69%	28%	47%
Unsure	23%	18%	27%	23%
6. Would you be more or less likely to support the John Lewis voting legislation if you knew that it could lead to more costly and more frequent court battles that impact election outcomes?				
More Likely	24%	14%	35%	22%
Less Likely	51%	68%	34%	53%
Unsure	25%	19%	31%	25%
7. Would you be more or less likely to support the John Lewis voting legislation if you knew that it could make it easier for special interest groups to get what they want by engaging in costly lawsuits, which many others can't afford?				
More Likely	21%	15%	29%	19%
Less Likely	57%	73%	44%	54%
Unsure	22%	12%	28%	28%
8. Would you be more or less likely to support the John Lewis voting legislation if you knew the bill could encourage special interest groups and elected officials to conspire together to weaken voting safeguards and rewrite election rules behind closed doors?				
More Likely	18%	8%	25%	22%
Less Likely	63%	80%	50%	58%
Unsure	19%	12%	25%	20%

DEMOGRAPHICS

PARTY AFFILIATION

34% R 36% D 29% I

AGE

38% 18-44 37% 45-64 26% 65+

GENDER

48% MALE 52% FEMALE

Results for this poll are based on automated telephone interviews conducted among a nationwide sample of 512 likely voters. Data for this survey research was collected by Cor Services, Inc.

Interviews were conducted via a computer-assisted telephone interviewing system utilizing techniques designed to achieve the highest possible respondent cooperation.

The surveys were conducted June 14-17, 2021. The margin of sampling error is plus or minus 4.33 percentage points. The margin of sampling error may be higher for certain subgroups. Results presented may not always appear to total 100 percent due to rounding.

Data was sampled using weighted demographic information from the U.S. Census Bureau's Current Population Survey Voting and Registration Supplement and the state election authorities. Demographic information for actual voters in past elections were used to construct sample target weights.

The Foundation for Government Accountability paid for all costs associated with this survey.