

Britain by Numbers

How do you compare to the population?

How much interest do you generally have in what is going on in politics... a great deal, quite a lot, some, not very much, or, none at all?

<i>Categories</i>	<i>British Population</i>	<i>Student group</i>
a great deal	14.3%	
quite a lot	27.4%	
some	31.4%	
not very much	18.4%	
none at all	8.4%	

Do you normally read any daily morning newspaper at least 3 times a week?

<i>Categories</i>	<i>British Population</i>	<i>Student group</i>
Yes	70.4%	
No	29.5%	

How often, if at all, do you look online at a news or newspaper website?

<i>Categories</i>	<i>British Population</i>	<i>Student group</i>
Several times a day	10.8%	
Every day	25.2%	
Several times a week	9.7%	
At least once a week	7.0%	
A couple of times a month	3.2%	
Once a month	2.1%	
Less often than once a month	4.3%	
Never	37.8%	

Here are some items of government spending. Which of them, if any, would be your highest priority for extra spending? Please read through the whole list before deciding.

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Education	22.1%	
Defence	4.1%	
Health	55.4%	
Housing	7.2%	
Public transport	1.4%	
Roads	2.1%	
Police and prisons	2.4%	
Social security benefits	1.8%	
Help for industry	2.5%	
Overseas aid	0.1%	
(None of these)	0.9%	

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