

# Parenting

# Poll

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Prepared by Survation on behalf of Grandparents Plus



# Methodology

## Fieldwork Dates

28<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017

## Data Collection Method

The survey was conducted via telephone. A combination of both landline and mobile data were called.

## Population Sampled

All residents aged 18+ in the United Kingdom

## Sample Size

1,017

## Data Weighting

Data were weighted to the profile of all UK adults aged 18+. Data were weighted by age, sex, region, 2017 General Election vote and 2016 EU Referendum vote. Targets for the weighted data were derived from Office for National Statistics Census data and the results of the 2017 General Election and 2016 EU Referendum.

## Margin of Error

Because only a sample of the full population was interviewed, all results are subject to margin of error, meaning that not all differences are statistically significant. For example, in a question where 50% (the worst case scenario as far as margin of error is concerned) gave a particular answer, with a sample of 1,017 it is 95% certain that the 'true' value will fall within the range of 3.1% from the sample result. Subsamples from the cross-breaks will be subject to higher margin of error, conclusions drawn from crossbreaks with very small sub-samples should be treated with caution.

## Question presentation

All data tables shown in full below, in order and wording put to respondents, including but not limited to all tables relating to published data and all relevant tables preceding them. Tables for demographic questions might not be included but these should be clear from the cross-breaks on published tables. In all questions where the responses are a list of parties, names or statements, these will typically have been displayed to respondents in a randomising order. The only questions which would not have had randomising responses would be those in which there was a natural order to maintain – e.g. a scale from “strongly agree” to “strongly disagree”, a list of numbers from 0 to 10 or questions which had factual rather than opinion-related answers such as demographic information. “Other”, “Don't know” and “Refused” responses are not randomised.

Not all questions will have necessarily been asked to all respondents – this is because they may be follow-on questions from previous questions or only appropriate to certain demographic groups. Lower response counts should make clear where this has occurred.

Data were analysed and weighted by Suration.

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**Table 1**  
Q1. By Normal Weighting  
**Q1. Are you the parent of a child aged under 18?**  
Base : All Respondent

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region										2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood					
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No
Unweighted Total	1017	566	451	258	350	409	380	292	52	13	70	140	126	89	64	46	109	137	95	101	92	859	87	42	29	383	490	249	768
Weighted Total	1017	496	521	291	348	378	342	323	60	16	66	140	133	95	73	42	112	139	87	89	84	854	86	49	28	453	420	285	732
Yes	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-
	28.0%	25.9%	29.9%	25.9%	56.6%	3.2%	20.0%	37.5%	19.1%	-	25.4%	30.0%	48.7%	25.4%	13.9%	21.3%	31.4%	28.4%	21.1%	29.3%	32.2%	29.8%	19.0%	15.7%	23.0%	25.1%	23.8%	100.0%	-
No	732	367	365	216	151	366	273	202	48	16	50	98	68	71	63	33	77	100	69	63	57	600	70	41	22	339	320	-	732
	72.0%	74.1%	70.1%	74.1%	43.4%	96.8%	80.0%	62.5%	80.9%	100.0%	74.6%	70.0%	51.3%	74.6%	86.1%	78.7%	68.6%	71.6%	78.9%	70.7%	67.8%	70.2%	81.0%	84.3%	77.0%	74.9%	76.2%	-	100.0%
SIGMA	1017	496	521	291	348	378	342	323	60	16	66	140	133	95	73	42	112	139	87	89	84	854	86	49	28	453	420	285	732
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 2**

Q2. By Normal Weighting

Q2. Mothers and fathers can take periods of unpaid parental leave (18 weeks for each child until the child is 5 years old). To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

"It should be possible for grandparents to request unpaid leave to help with childcare"

Base : All Respondent

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region											2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood				
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No
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Weighted Total	1017	496	521	291	348	378	342	323	60	16	66	140	133	95	73	42	112	139	87	89	84	854	86	49	28	453	420	285	732
Strongly agree	347 34.1%	147 29.7%	200 38.3%	100 34.4%	128 36.8%	119 31.4%	101 29.5%	133 41.1%	14 23.7%	10 61.3%	27 40.5%	37 26.3%	58 43.4%	25 26.5%	21 28.5%	11 25.4%	52 46.0%	34 24.3%	35 40.4%	22 24.4%	27 32.3%	284 33.2%	29 33.9%	18 36.8%	16 56.4%	159 35.1%	132 31.4%	122 42.7%	225 30.7%
Somewhat agree	284 28.0%	144 29.1%	140 26.9%	99 34.1%	101 29.1%	84 22.2%	82 23.8%	99 30.7%	24 40.3%	- 23.0%	15 37.4%	52 37.4%	23 17.3%	25 26.8%	18 23.9%	14 34.2%	31 27.5%	63 45.2%	15 17.6%	22 24.4%	26 31.2%	237 27.8%	32 36.7%	12 25.1%	3 11.9%	98 21.5%	144 34.3%	79 27.7%	206 28.1%
Neither agree nor disagree	71 7.0%	36 7.3%	35 6.7%	25 8.6%	20 5.6%	26 6.9%	28 8.2%	17 5.1%	4 6.3%	1 6.1%	7 10.8%	8 5.4%	7 5.4%	10 10.1%	7 9.2%	2 4.0%	6 5.4%	11 7.9%	5 6.0%	5 5.2%	4 4.8%	56 6.6%	9 10.4%	4 8.5%	2 5.7%	32 7.0%	35 8.4%	11 3.7%	60 8.2%
Somewhat disagree	123 12.1%	71 14.3%	52 9.9%	36 12.3%	41 11.9%	45 12.0%	43 12.5%	33 10.1%	10 17.1%	- -	9 12.9%	16 11.4%	10 7.6%	22 23.2%	12 17.0%	6 15.6%	9 7.7%	15 10.7%	10 11.5%	15 16.6%	11 12.7%	110 12.9%	6 6.8%	2 4.2%	4 16.0%	53 11.7%	64 15.3%	30 10.4%	93 12.7%
Strongly disagree	161 15.9%	89 18.0%	72 13.9%	27 9.2%	51 14.5%	84 22.2%	85 24.8%	38 11.8%	6 9.7%	4 24.7%	6 8.8%	12 8.3%	33 25.0%	10 10.6%	12 16.1%	8 20.0%	11 9.9%	15 11.1%	20 23.0%	15 16.8%	14 17.1%	139 16.3%	7 8.0%	12 25.4%	3 9.9%	101 22.4%	36 8.6%	41 14.4%	121 16.5%
Don't know	31 3.0%	8 1.6%	23 4.4%	4 1.4%	7 2.0%	20 5.2%	4 1.1%	4 1.1%	2 2.9%	1 8.0%	3 3.9%	16 11.2%	2 1.3%	3 2.8%	4 5.4%	* 0.7%	4 3.4%	1 0.7%	1 1.5%	11 12.6%	2 1.8%	27 3.2%	4 4.1%	- -	- -	10 2.3%	9 2.1%	3 1.1%	28 3.8%
SIGMA	1017 100.0%	496 100.0%	521 100.0%	291 100.0%	348 100.0%	378 100.0%	342 100.0%	323 100.0%	60 100.0%	16 100.0%	66 100.0%	140 100.0%	133 100.0%	95 100.0%	73 100.0%	42 100.0%	112 100.0%	139 100.0%	87 100.0%	89 100.0%	84 100.0%	854 100.0%	86 100.0%	49 100.0%	28 100.0%	453 100.0%	420 100.0%	285 100.0%	732 100.0%

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**Table 3**  
Q3. By Normal Weighting  
Q3. If neither you or your partner, if applicable, were able to care for your child or children yourself, which of the following would you most want to care for them?  
Base : Those parent of a child aged under 18

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region										2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood						
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No	
Unweighted Total	249	144	105	47	188	14	75	83	10	-	20	40	39	21	10	14	23	28	21	30	27	213	21	8	7	91	118	249	-	
Weighted Total	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-	
A grandparent	164	55	109	53	109	2	25	86	8	-	11	25	49	12	2	3	27	26	9	11	13	150	9	1	3	48	50	164	-	
	57.5%	42.8%	69.7%	70.4%	55.2%	14.9%	36.6%	71.0%	67.4%	-	67.5%	58.6%	75.7%	49.3%	18.4%	31.9%	76.9%	64.8%	47.9%	40.6%	47.7%	59.2%	56.8%	16.5%	41.7%	42.4%	49.9%	57.5%	-	
Their older brother or sister	21	11	11	5	15	1	5	10	-	-	*	6	*	-	5	2	-	2	3	3	2	17	1	4	*	8	12	21	-	
	7.5%	8.2%	6.8%	6.8%	7.9%	5.5%	7.3%	8.4%	-	-	0.6%	14.3%	0.2%	-	46.2%	21.9%	-	5.0%	15.0%	11.9%	8.0%	6.6%	4.0%	46.8%	3.1%	7.3%	12.4%	7.5%	-	
Their aunt or uncle	43	20	23	10	30	2	15	11	1	-	3	6	5	4	4	1	5	4	4	4	4	35	3	1	4	23	18	43	-	
	15.1%	15.9%	14.5%	13.7%	15.5%	18.9%	21.9%	9.2%	10.1%	-	15.9%	13.7%	7.7%	16.8%	35.4%	6.7%	14.4%	11.3%	19.9%	15.7%	15.4%	13.7%	20.7%	18.7%	55.3%	19.9%	18.3%	15.1%	-	
Another family member/friend	46	37	9	7	36	3	21	8	3	-	3	6	4	8	-	4	2	7	3	8	6	41	3	1	-	27	17	46	-	
	16.1%	28.8%	5.6%	9.1%	18.2%	26.1%	30.0%	6.9%	22.5%	-	16.0%	13.2%	6.8%	33.9%	-	39.5%	4.4%	17.0%	17.3%	31.8%	20.9%	16.3%	18.0%	18.0%	-	24.0%	17.1%	16.1%	-	
Local authority care	4	2	2	-	3	1	3	1	-	-	*	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	*	-	-	3	1	4	-	
	1.5%	1.3%	1.6%	-	1.5%	10.6%	4.1%	1.0%	-	-	-	0.2%	6.3%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.6%	0.5%	-	-	3.0%	0.7%	1.5%	-	
Don't know	7	4	3	-	4	3	*	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	7	-	-	-	4	2	7	-	
	2.3%	2.9%	1.8%	-	1.8%	24.0%	0.1%	3.4%	-	-	-	-	3.3%	-	-	4.2%	2.0%	-	-	-	8.0%	2.6%	-	-	-	3.4%	1.6%	2.3%	-	
SIGMA	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-	
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-

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**Table 4**

Q4. By Normal Weighting

**Q4. If you had a problem in your family and needed help, which of the following would be most likely you turn to?**

Base : All Respondent

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region											2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood					
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No	
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Your mum	327 32.1%	130 26.2%	197 37.8%	163 56.1%	120 34.5%	43 11.4%	102 29.9%	108 33.5%	16 27.5%	2 9.7%	17 26.1%	62 44.6%	47 35.4%	31 33.3%	19 26.1%	5 12.6%	37 32.7%	59 42.6%	20 22.8%	23 26.0%	20 24.2%	262 30.7%	35 40.3%	19 39.0%	11 37.9%	138 30.5%	130 31.0%	119 41.8%	208 28.4%	
Your dad	138 13.6%	85 17.2%	53 10.2%	65 22.3%	69 19.9%	4 1.1%	37 10.9%	56 17.3%	7 11.8%	5 29.6%	9 14.0%	15 10.7%	14 10.5%	14 15.2%	6 8.6%	1 1.9%	25 22.4%	19 13.5%	10 12.0%	13 14.6%	18 20.8%	120 14.1%	9 10.6%	6 11.7%	3 11.0%	58 12.7%	61 14.6%	55 19.3%	84 11.4%	
Your brother/sister	199 19.6%	104 21.0%	95 18.3%	38 13.0%	78 22.3%	84 22.1%	60 17.6%	78 24.2%	20 33.8%	3 17.8%	13 19.3%	16 11.2%	38 28.4%	20 21.4%	17 22.8%	8 20.3%	19 17.3%	24 17.0%	12 14.2%	18 20.4%	20 24.1%	177 20.7%	10 11.7%	8 17.1%	4 13.4%	85 18.7%	96 22.8%	69 24.1%	131 17.8%	
Your grandfather	6 0.6%	5 1.0%	1 0.2%	2 0.7%	3 0.9%	1 0.3%	3 0.8%	* *	- -	- -	- -	1 0.8%	1 0.9%	1 0.8%	- -	- -	- -	- -	2 2.4%	1 1.3%	1 1.1%	6 0.7%	- -	- -	- -	4 1.0%	2 0.4%	3 1.0%	3 0.4%	
Your grandmother	11 1.1%	6 1.2%	5 1.0%	2 0.7%	7 2.0%	2 0.6%	4 1.1%	2 0.6%	- -	- -	1 1.1%	2 1.4%	2 1.6%	* 0.1%	1 1.5%	1 1.5%	1 0.7%	1 0.5%	2 2.0%	2 2.3%	1 1.5%	10 1.2%	1 0.8%	- -	- -	5 1.2%	3 0.8%	8 2.9%	3 0.4%	
Another family member	225 22.1%	105 21.3%	119 22.9%	10 3.5%	34 9.8%	180 47.8%	99 29.0%	58 17.9%	15 25.1%	3 22.0%	16 23.6%	19 13.8%	21 15.8%	18 19.2%	16 21.8%	21 51.3%	18 16.3%	27 19.6%	30 34.6%	13 15.1%	18 21.4%	184 21.5%	21 23.9%	11 23.4%	9 32.6%	112 24.8%	83 19.9%	20 6.9%	205 28.0%	
None of the above	111 10.9%	60 12.1%	51 9.7%	11 3.7%	37 10.5%	63 16.8%	37 10.8%	21 6.4%	1 1.8%	3 20.9%	11 15.9%	24 17.4%	10 7.3%	9 9.9%	14 19.2%	5 12.4%	12 10.5%	9 6.8%	10 12.0%	18 20.3%	6 6.8%	94 11.0%	11 12.7%	4 8.8%	1 5.2%	50 11.1%	44 10.6%	11 4.0%	99 13.5%	
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	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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**Table 5**  
Q5. By Normal Weighting  
**Q5. If you and/or your partner, if applicable, didn't have grandparents available to help you with childcare, which of the following would you be most likely to do instead?**  
Base : Those parent of a child aged under 18

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region										2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood					
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No
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Weighted Total	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-
You would have to pay for childcare instead	95 33.4%	45 34.6%	50 32.3%	18 23.6%	75 38.0%	2 18.8%	28 40.2%	36 30.0%	6 49.3%	-	7 38.7%	11 25.3%	24 37.8%	10 40.5%	2 16.6%	1 15.6%	11 30.6%	6 15.3%	5 26.9%	12 45.6%	13 48.6%	84 33.1%	6 34.8%	3 35.2%	3 38.8%	40 35.1%	35 35.3%	95 33.4%	-
Would reduce your hours	77 27.2%	18 13.8%	60 38.3%	35 46.3%	42 21.2%	1 6.9%	14 20.2%	35 29.0%	1 10.1%	-	3 18.7%	20 47.8%	24 36.6%	2 7.1%	3 30.1%	1 14.4%	7 20.6%	22 54.6%	2 8.3%	6 22.6%	6 21.9%	72 28.3%	3 19.3%	1 15.8%	1 17.9%	19 16.5%	26 26.3%	77 27.2%	-
Your partner would reduce their hours	30 10.5%	26 20.4%	4 2.3%	7 8.7%	22 11.3%	1 8.7%	9 13.6%	8 6.9%	3 23.0%	-	1 8.1%	5 11.0%	4 6.8%	1 4.8%	3 33.5%	2 18.2%	* 0.2%	2 5.1%	6 32.8%	3 13.3%	2 8.9%	25 9.7%	4 23.0%	1 18.0%	-	18 15.8%	10 10.5%	30 10.5%	-
Would give up your job	42 14.9%	4 2.8%	39 24.9%	6 8.2%	34 17.4%	2 17.0%	9 13.5%	24 19.9%	1 8.4%	-	4 22.6%	* 0.1%	4 5.8%	4 16.2%	2 19.8%	2 21.2%	15 43.6%	5 13.4%	5 26.0%	1 3.0%	-	38 14.8%	1 4.8%	1 15.2%	3 43.3%	16 14.0%	11 10.9%	42 14.9%	-
Your partner would give up their job	20 7.2%	20 15.9%	-	6 8.4%	13 6.8%	1 6.2%	4 6.1%	8 6.9%	1 9.2%	-	1 7.5%	4 8.5%	4 6.0%	4 15.8%	-	1 14.3%	-	2 6.2%	-	3 11.1%	3 12.5%	18 7.0%	2 9.2%	1 15.7%	-	10 8.8%	10 10.2%	20 7.2%	-
Not applicable, you don't receive any help from grandparents	19 6.8%	16 12.4%	4 2.3%	4 4.8%	11 5.5%	5 42.3%	4 6.4%	9 7.3%	-	-	1 4.3%	3 7.2%	5 7.0%	4 15.6%	-	1 16.3%	2 5.0%	2 5.3%	1 6.0%	1 4.5%	2 8.1%	18 7.1%	1 8.9%	-	-	11 9.8%	7 6.9%	19 6.8%	-
SIGMA	285 100.0%	128 100.0%	156 100.0%	76 100.0%	197 100.0%	12 100.0%	69 100.0%	121 100.0%	11 100.0%	-	17 100.0%	42 100.0%	65 100.0%	24 100.0%	10 100.0%	9 100.0%	35 100.0%	40 100.0%	18 100.0%	26 100.0%	27 100.0%	254 100.0%	16 100.0%	8 100.0%	6 100.0%	114 100.0%	100 100.0%	285 100.0%	-

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Table 6

Q6. Which of the following forms of childcare do you rely on during the summer holidays?

Q6. Paid childcare (including holiday clubs)

Base : Those parent of a child aged under 18

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region										2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood						
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No	
Unweighted Total	249	144	105	47	188	14	75	83	10	-	20	40	39	21	10	14	23	28	21	30	27	213	21	8	7	91	118	249	-	
Weighted Total	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-	
Rely on	119	42	78	47	67	5	21	55	7	-	4	26	36	10	2	3	7	30	4	11	10	112	3	2	3	33	39	119	-	
	42.0%	32.6%	49.8%	61.7%	34.3%	44.8%	30.3%	45.2%	58.8%	-	25.7%	61.1%	55.7%	39.8%	16.6%	31.8%	19.2%	74.7%	23.9%	42.4%	38.0%	44.1%	15.7%	29.7%	38.8%	29.3%	38.7%	42.0%	-	
Do not rely on	165	87	78	29	130	7	48	66	5	-	13	16	29	14	9	6	28	10	14	15	17	142	14	5	4	80	61	165	-	
	58.0%	67.4%	50.2%	38.3%	65.7%	55.2%	69.7%	54.8%	41.2%	-	74.3%	38.9%	44.3%	60.2%	83.4%	68.2%	80.8%	25.3%	76.1%	57.6%	62.0%	55.9%	84.3%	70.3%	61.2%	70.7%	61.3%	58.0%	-	
SIGMA	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-	
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-

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**Table 7**  
**Q7. Which of the following forms of childcare do you rely on during the summer holidays?**  
**Q7. Grandparents**  
**Base : Those parent of a child aged under 18**

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region										2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood						
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No	
Unweighted Total	249	144	105	47	188	14	75	83	10	-	20	40	39	21	10	14	23	28	21	30	27	213	21	8	7	91	118	249	-	
Weighted Total	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-	
Rely on	153	60	92	44	108	1	29	79	6	-	11	11	44	10	5	3	25	10	10	10	17	136	11	4	3	56	46	153	-	
	53.7%	46.9%	59.2%	57.7%	55.0%	6.2%	42.7%	65.7%	53.7%	-	67.5%	26.1%	68.0%	40.6%	53.6%	39.4%	72.4%	25.8%	57.1%	36.6%	63.7%	53.4%	65.7%	46.8%	41.7%	49.3%	46.4%	53.7%	-	
Do not rely on	132	68	64	32	89	11	39	42	5	-	5	31	21	14	5	5	10	29	8	17	10	118	6	4	4	58	54	132	-	
	46.3%	53.1%	40.8%	42.3%	45.0%	93.8%	57.3%	34.3%	46.3%	-	32.5%	73.9%	32.0%	59.4%	46.4%	60.6%	27.6%	74.2%	42.9%	63.4%	36.3%	46.6%	34.3%	53.2%	58.3%	50.7%	53.6%	46.3%	-	
SIGMA	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-	
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-

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**Table 8**  
**Q8. Which of the following forms of childcare do you rely on during the summer holidays?**  
**Q8. Other family members or friends**  
**Base : Those parent of a child aged under 18**

	Gender		Age			2017 Vote						Region										2016 EU Referendum Vote		Parenthood					
	Total	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	CON	LAB	LD	UKIP	Other	Did not vote	London	East of England	East Midlands	North East	North West	South East	South West	West Midlands	Yorks & Humber	England	Scotland	Wales	NI	Leave	Remain	Yes	No
Unweighted Total	249	144	105	47	188	14	75	83	10	-	20	40	39	21	10	14	23	28	21	30	27	213	21	8	7	91	118	249	-
Weighted Total	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-
Rely on	151	57	94	39	108	3	29	81	4	-	12	16	41	12	4	4	23	15	12	10	13	134	8	5	4	53	50	151	-
	53.0%	44.4%	60.1%	52.2%	55.0%	25.9%	42.0%	66.6%	36.0%	-	69.4%	37.3%	63.3%	50.7%	43.1%	40.3%	66.6%	39.1%	64.5%	37.7%	47.1%	52.9%	46.6%	62.0%	63.4%	46.5%	50.0%	53.0%	-
Do not rely on	134	71	62	36	89	9	40	40	7	-	5	26	24	12	6	5	12	24	7	16	14	120	9	3	2	61	50	134	-
	47.0%	55.6%	39.9%	47.8%	45.0%	74.1%	58.0%	33.4%	64.0%	-	30.6%	62.7%	36.7%	49.3%	56.9%	59.7%	33.4%	60.9%	35.5%	62.3%	52.9%	47.1%	53.4%	38.0%	36.6%	53.5%	50.0%	47.0%	-
SIGMA	285	128	156	76	197	12	69	121	11	-	17	42	65	24	10	9	35	40	18	26	27	254	16	8	6	114	100	285	-
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	-

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