

# DATA FOR PROGRESS

From March 13 to March 21, 2021, Data for Progress conducted a survey of 669 likely voters in New York using web panel respondents. The sample was weighted to be representative of likely voters by age, gender, education, race, and voting history. The survey was conducted in English. The margin of error is  $\pm 4$  percentage points.

NB: subgroups with a n-size less than 50 (<50) are not shown on these cross-tabs. We choose not to display N<50 subgroups because the sample is too small to have statistical significance. We did, however, take samples of these subgroups for representational and weighting purposes to accurately reflect the electorate makeup. Some values may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

**[1]** New York State faces a projected deficit of tens of billions of dollars in the coming years. How would you prefer the state close this deficit?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Cutting health care, education and other public services	15	11	17	22	10	21	18	14	16	14	17	14
Raising taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers	73	81	64	66	76	68	70	74	73	73	76	73
Don't know	12	8	19	12	13	11	12	12	11	13	7	13
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[2]** New York faces a deficit of tens of billions of dollars in the coming years. To close this projected deficit, policymakers are considering some new taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers. For each tax, say whether you support or oppose it: -- A Progressive Income Tax that raises the income tax rate of New Yorkers earning more than \$300,000 per year. This would generate an estimated \$15 billion annually.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	34	45	27	21	31	38	26	39	34	35	31	35
Somewhat support	32	33	28	35	34	30	31	33	33	31	35	33
Somewhat oppose	11	7	13	15	11	10	16	8	9	13	8	11
Strongly oppose	10	4	13	17	9	11	11	9	8	12	5	10
Don't know	13	11	18	11	14	11	15	11	16	9	20	11
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	67	78	56	57	65	68	57	72	67	66	66	68
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	21	11	26	32	20	21	27	17	17	25	14	21
SUPPORT (NET)	+46	+67	+29	+25	+45	+47	+30	+55	+51	+40	+52	+47
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[3]** New York faces a deficit of tens of billions of dollars in the coming years. To close this projected deficit, policymakers are considering some new taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers. For each tax, say whether you support or oppose it: -- A Capital Gains Tax that taxes income from investments like stocks the same as wages. This would generate an estimated \$7 billion annually.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	24	30	19	16	22	25	21	25	20	27	24	25
Somewhat support	27	28	30	22	24	31	35	23	27	27	32	29
Somewhat oppose	16	12	14	23	17	14	17	15	14	18	8	16
Strongly oppose	16	11	20	23	15	19	15	17	14	19	11	16
Don't know	17	19	17	15	23	11	13	20	25	8	25	14
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	51	58	49	39	46	56	56	48	47	55	56	54
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	32	23	34	46	31	33	31	32	28	37	19	32
SUPPORT (NET)	+19	+35	+15	-7	+15	+24	+25	+15	+20	+18	+37	+22
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[4]** New York faces a deficit of tens of billions of dollars in the coming years. To close this projected deficit, policymakers are considering some new taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers. For each tax, say whether you support or oppose it: -- An Heirs' Tax that would raise taxes on the inherited wealth of millionaires. This would generate an estimated \$8 billion annually.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	35	46	29	23	33	38	28	40	33	38	34	36
Somewhat support	26	26	25	28	27	25	28	25	27	26	23	29
Somewhat oppose	11	8	15	13	8	14	17	7	8	14	9	10
Strongly oppose	13	5	17	23	13	13	14	12	12	14	11	14
Don't know	14	15	15	13	18	10	12	16	20	8	22	11
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	62	72	54	51	61	63	57	65	60	64	57	65
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	24	13	32	36	21	27	31	20	21	28	20	24
SUPPORT (NET)	+38	+59	+22	+14	+40	+35	+26	+45	+39	+36	+37	+41
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[5]** New York faces a deficit of tens of billions of dollars in the coming years. To close this projected deficit, policymakers are considering some new taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers. For each tax, say whether you support or oppose it: -- A Billionaires' Tax that would tax money made by billionaires on their investments, paid annually instead of when the investments are sold. This would generate an estimated \$23 billion in the first year, and \$1.3 billion annually thereafter.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	46	57	37	34	42	51	37	51	40	52	42	49
Somewhat support	27	24	28	33	28	26	35	23	28	26	26	29
Somewhat oppose	6	4	7	9	4	8	11	3	6	6	5	5
Strongly oppose	8	3	11	12	6	10	5	9	6	9	5	7
Don't know	13	12	17	12	20	6	12	14	19	7	21	9
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	73	81	66	66	70	77	72	74	69	78	68	78
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	14	7	18	21	10	18	16	12	12	16	11	13
SUPPORT (NET)	+59	+74	+48	+45	+60	+59	+56	+61	+57	+62	+57	+65
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[6]** New York faces a deficit of tens of billions of dollars in the coming years. To close this projected deficit, policymakers are considering some new taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers. For each tax, say whether you support or oppose it: -- A Corporate Tax that would repeal the Trump tax cuts by restoring taxes on the profit a corporation makes each year. This would generate an estimated \$9 billion annually.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	38	52	34	14	36	40	33	40	35	40	41	39
Somewhat support	26	26	25	29	23	31	33	23	25	29	28	27
Somewhat oppose	7	4	5	16	7	8	8	7	8	7	6	8
Strongly oppose	15	5	22	26	15	14	16	14	14	16	8	16
Don't know	14	13	14	15	19	7	10	15	18	8	18	10
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	64	78	59	43	58	71	66	63	60	68	69	66
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	22	9	27	42	23	22	24	22	22	23	13	24
SUPPORT (NET)	+42	+70	+31	+1	+36	+49	+42	+42	+39	+45	+56	+42
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[7]** New York faces a deficit of tens of billions of dollars in the coming years. To close this projected deficit, policymakers are considering some new taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers. For each tax, say whether you support or oppose it: -- A Wall Street Tax that would place small taxes on trades of stocks, bonds, and derivatives. This would generate an estimated \$9 billion annually.

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	22	29	21	10	21	23	21	23	19	25	26	23
Somewhat support	30	31	27	30	23	38	32	28	29	30	32	30
Somewhat oppose	17	16	17	19	18	16	22	14	17	17	17	18
Strongly oppose	13	7	15	20	12	14	9	15	9	17	3	14
Don't know	19	17	19	21	27	9	17	20	25	12	23	15
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	52	60	49	40	44	61	53	51	49	55	58	53
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	30	23	32	39	30	30	31	29	26	34	19	32
SUPPORT (NET)	+22	+37	+16	0	+14	+31	+22	+22	+22	+21	+39	+22
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[8]** Some lawmakers are considering a package of new taxes on the wealthiest of New Yorkers to patch the state's projected multi-billion dollar budget shortfall. This package could include the following taxes:

A Progressive Income Tax that raises the income tax rate of New Yorkers earning more than \$300,000 per year. This would generate an estimated \$15 billion annually. A Capital Gains Tax that taxes income from investments like stocks the same as wages. This would generate an estimated \$7 billion annually.

An Heirs' Tax that would raise taxes on the inherited wealth of millionaires. This would generate an estimated \$8 billion annually.

A Billionaires' Tax that would tax money made by billionaires on their investments, paid annually instead of when the investments are sold. This would generate an estimated \$23 billion in the first year, and \$1.3 billion annually thereafter.

A Corporate Tax that would repeal the Trump tax cuts by restoring taxes on the profit a corporation makes each year. This would generate an estimated \$9 billion annually.

A Wall Street Tax that would place small taxes on trades of stocks, bonds, and derivatives. This would generate an estimated \$9 billion annually.

Do you support or oppose this package?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	29	41	23	13	27	30	30	28	25	33	28	29
Somewhat support	41	42	38	40	38	43	43	39	44	36	46	40
Somewhat oppose	9	6	13	13	8	11	9	10	9	10	4	12
Strongly oppose	11	3	16	20	11	11	11	11	8	14	4	11
Don't know	10	8	11	13	15	5	7	12	14	6	18	7
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	69	83	60	54	66	74	73	67	69	69	74	70
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	21	9	28	33	20	22	20	21	17	25	8	24
SUPPORT (NET)	+49	+74	+32	+21	+46	+52	+52	+47	+52	+45	+66	+46
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[9]** Some lawmakers are considering a package of new taxes on the wealthiest of New Yorkers to patch the state's estimated multi-billion dollar budget shortfall. This would include things like raising taxes on billionaire New Yorkers, taxes on big corporations, and taxes on Wall Street. When combined, this package of taxes would generate \$50 billion to address New York's projected multi-year deficit and invest in health care, education, and other services. Do you support or oppose this package?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	39	54	32	19	37	42	36	40	34	44	41	40
Somewhat support	32	29	30	40	30	35	36	30	35	29	32	34
Somewhat oppose	9	5	12	13	9	10	12	7	8	10	5	10
Strongly oppose	9	3	12	15	8	10	10	8	7	10	6	9
Don't know	11	9	14	13	17	4	6	15	15	7	16	8
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	71	83	63	59	67	77	72	70	69	73	73	73
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	18	8	24	28	16	19	22	15	16	20	11	19
SUPPORT (NET)	+54	+74	+39	+31	+50	+57	+51	+55	+54	+53	+63	+55
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[10]** The \$1.9 trillion relief plan recently signed by the president is expected to provide relief to landlords for rent not paid during the pandemic. Do you support or oppose tenants also receiving relief from the state in the form of having a right to lease renewals and limits in rent increases for one year?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	32	44	24	19	30	35	33	31	32	32	42	33
Somewhat support	37	35	36	42	37	38	43	34	35	40	37	37
Somewhat oppose	11	7	15	15	9	14	10	12	11	12	4	12
Strongly oppose	9	4	11	15	8	10	7	10	8	9	5	10
Don't know	10	9	15	8	16	4	7	12	13	7	13	8
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	69	79	60	61	67	73	76	65	67	72	78	70
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	20	12	25	30	18	23	17	22	19	21	9	22
SUPPORT (NET)	+49	+67	+34	+31	+49	+50	+59	+43	+48	+51	+69	+47
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[11]** Do you support or oppose the state funding housing vouchers for New Yorkers experiencing homelessness that would help them pay rent?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	40	51	38	21	37	44	47	36	39	41	53	41
Somewhat support	38	37	32	48	41	36	35	40	35	42	34	37
Somewhat oppose	9	5	11	14	9	9	8	9	8	9	2	9
Strongly oppose	6	3	8	9	5	8	5	7	8	4	3	8
Don't know	7	4	11	7	9	4	5	8	9	4	9	6
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	78	88	70	70	78	79	82	76	74	83	86	77
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	15	8	19	23	13	17	13	16	17	13	4	17
SUPPORT (NET)	+64	+80	+51	+47	+64	+63	+69	+60	+58	+70	+82	+60
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[12]** Do you support or oppose New York State increasing the funding of medication-assisted treatment for opioid use disorder and to prevent overdose for those who need it?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	32	38	33	19	29	35	37	29	27	37	35	34
Somewhat support	34	33	26	43	32	36	39	31	33	35	35	37
Somewhat oppose	13	11	18	11	13	13	9	15	14	12	11	12
Strongly oppose	10	6	10	17	11	9	10	10	11	9	10	10
Don't know	12	11	14	10	16	7	5	15	15	7	10	7
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	66	71	58	63	61	71	76	59	60	72	70	71
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	23	18	27	28	24	22	18	25	24	21	20	22
SUPPORT (NET)	+43	+54	+31	+35	+37	+50	+58	+34	+36	+51	+50	+49
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457

**[13]** Hundreds of thousands of immigrant workers in New York have been excluded from the federal government's cash relief and unemployment because of their immigration status. Meanwhile, New York's 120 billionaires have got \$88 billion richer during the pandemic.

Some lawmakers are now proposing raising taxes on the wealthiest New Yorkers to create a fund to support workers who have been excluded from the federal stimulus at a level that matches the unemployment that others receive.

Would you support or oppose this proposal?

Response	Topline	Democrat	Independent / Third Party	Republican	Female	Male	Under 45	45+	No College	College	Black or African American	White
Strongly support	30	45	20	12	26	34	39	24	27	33	29	30
Somewhat support	28	29	22	31	28	28	26	29	25	31	32	26
Somewhat oppose	12	6	20	16	10	15	16	10	14	11	9	16
Strongly oppose	19	9	22	32	19	18	12	23	18	19	15	21
Don't know	12	10	15	10	17	4	6	15	16	7	16	7
SUPPORT (TOTAL)	57	74	42	43	54	62	66	53	52	63	61	56
OPPOSE (TOTAL)	31	15	43	47	29	33	28	33	32	30	24	37
SUPPORT (NET)	+26	+59	-1	-5	+25	+29	+38	+20	+20	+34	+37	+19
Weighted N	669	317	175	177	368	301	246	423	361	308	97	457