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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
England	2106	403	274	288	439	436	265	1405	701	1063	1006	153	987	910
	85%	85%	84%	84%	86%	86%	83%	85%	85%	85%	85%	79%	85%	87%
Wales	112	20	17	16	21	21	16	74	38	56	54	8	54	43
	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%
Scotland	186	36	25	26	38	35	25	125	61	91	94	25	90	60
	8%	8%	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%	13%	8%	6%
Northern Ireland	77	13	12	12	14	14	11	51	26	38	37	7	35	32
	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
England	2106	208	190	142	131	145	141	217	214	218	204	133	126
	85%	86%	85%	85%	83%	84%	84%	85%	86%	87%	85%	84%	83%
Wales	112	10	9	8	8	8	8	11	10	11	11	8	8
	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%
Scotland	186	18	18	12	13	13	13	19	19	17	19	12	13
	8%	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%	7%	9%
Northern Ireland	77	7	6	6	5	6	6	8	6	7	7	6	6
	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QD1. NATION

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
England	2106	2106	-	-	-	2106	1891	215	598	521	471	483	1119	954	2106
	85%	100%	-%	-%	-%	85%	86%	76%	85%	84%	85%	84%	85%	85%	85%
		bcde				bcd	b								
Wales	112	-	-	112	-	112	89	23	31	26	24	31	57	54	112
	5%	-%	-%	100%	-%	5%	4%	8%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	5%
				abde		abd		a							
Scotland	186	-	186	-	-	186	160	26	52	48	41	44	100	84	186
	8%	-%	100%	-%	-%	8%	7%	9%	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%	7%	8%
			acde			acd									
Northern Ireland	77	-	-	-	77	77	57	20	20	22	16	19	42	35	77
	3%	-%	-%	-%	100%	3%	3%	7%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
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Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
England	2106	445	1572	377	674	680	426	1067	512
	85%	85%	85%	84%	82%	86%	86%	84%	84%
Wales	112	27	79	21	48	27	17	57	33
	5%	5%	4%	5%	6%	3%	3%	5%	5%
Scotland	186	37	142	34	69	63	35	104	42
	8%	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%	7%	8%	7%
Northern Ireland	77	16	58	17	28	19	16	39	20
	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
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North East	96 4%	18 4%	13 4%	17 5%	11 2%	23 5%	13 4%	59 4%	36 4%	48 4%	46 4%	7 4%	45 4%	40 4%
Yorkshire and Humberside	234 9%	45 9%	27 8%	27 8%	51 10%	59 12%	25 8%	150 9%	84 10%	131 11%	95 8%	13 7%	103 9%	108 10%
North West	265 11%	53 11%	45 14%	35 10%	53 10%	51 10%	28 9%	185 11%	80 10%	149 12%	114 10%	23 12%	131 11%	106 10%
West Midlands	233 9%	53 11%	30 9%	29 8%	50 10%	46 9%	25 8%	162 10%	71 9%	117 9%	113 10%	20 10%	111 10%	96 9%
East Midlands	152 6%	33 7%	20 6%	8 2%	37 7%	29 6%	25 8%	98 6%	54 7%	81 7%	67 6%	13 7%	71 6%	64 6%
East of England	181 7%	31 7%	28 8%	25 7%	27 5%	43 8%	27 8%	111 7%	70 8%	92 7%	87 7%	13 7%	81 7%	84 8%
South West	240 10%	35 7%	30 9%	41 12%	61 12%	35 7%	37 12%	167 10%	73 9%	110 9%	127 11%	8 4%	114 10%	109 10%
South East	391 16%	72 15%	35 11%	56 16%	102 20%	74 15%	53 17%	264 16%	127 15%	183 15%	206 17%	36 18%	172 15%	173 17%
London	315 13%	64 13%	48 15%	50 15%	47 9%	75 15%	30 9%	209 13%	106 13%	152 12%	150 13%	21 11%	159 14%	130 12%
England	2106 85%	403 85%	274 84%	288 84%	439 86%	436 86%	265 83%	1405 85%	701 85%	1063 85%	1006 85%	153 79%	987 85%	910 87%
Wales	112 5%	20 4%	17 5%	16 5%	21 4%	21 4%	16 5%	74 4%	38 5%	56 4%	54 5%	8 4%	54 5%	43 4%
Scotland	186 8%	36 8%	25 8%	26 8%	38 7%	35 7%	25 8%	125 8%	61 7%	91 7%	94 8%	25 13%	90 8%	60 6%

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Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Northern Ireland	77	13	12	12	14	14	11	51	26	38	37	7	35	32
	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
North East	96 4%	7 3%	10 5%	5 3%	8 5%	8 5%	9 5%	3 1%	6 3%	16 6%	7 3%	9 6%	5 3%
Yorkshire and Humberside	234 9%	32 13%	13 6%	18 10%	10 6%	14 8%	12 7%	24 9%	24 10%	31 12%	26 11%	13 8%	10 6%
North West	265 11%	32 13%	19 9%	20 12%	25 16%	19 11%	15 9%	26 10%	26 11%	35 14%	16 7%	16 10%	11 7%
West Midlands	233 9%	24 10%	29 13%	15 9%	15 9%	15 9%	13 8%	35 14%	13 5%	16 6%	29 12%	11 7%	13 9%
East Midlands	152 6%	19 8%	14 6%	12 7%	8 5%	5 3%	3 2%	20 8%	17 7%	16 6%	11 4%	10 6%	13 9%
East of England	181 7%	12 5%	18 8%	14 8%	14 9%	15 9%	9 6%	15 6%	12 5%	23 9%	20 8%	12 8%	15 10%
South West	240 10%	20 8%	16 7%	15 9%	14 9%	19 11%	22 13%	23 9%	38 15% i	14 6%	19 8%	20 12%	18 12%
South East	391 16%	34 14%	36 16%	19 12%	15 10%	27 16%	29 17%	47 18%	55 22% d	36 14%	38 16%	20 12%	33 22% d
London	315 13%	28 12%	35 16%	26 15%	22 14%	22 13%	27 16%	24 9%	21 9%	30 12%	37 15%	22 14%	8 5%
England	2106 85%	208 86%	190 85%	142 85%	131 83%	145 84%	141 84%	217 85%	214 86%	218 87%	204 85%	133 84%	126 83%
Wales	112 5%	10 4%	9 4%	8 5%	8 5%	8 5%	8 5%	11 4%	10 4%	11 4%	11 4%	8 5%	8 5%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Scotland	186	18	18	12	13	13	13	19	19	17	19	12	13
	8%	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%	7%	9%
Northern Ireland	77	7	6	6	5	6	6	8	6	7	7	6	6
	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
North East	96 4%	96 5%	- -%	- -%	- -%	96 4%	86 4%	10 3%	32 5%	25 4%	19 3%	18 3%	57 4%	37 3%	96 4%
		bcd				bcd									
Yorkshire and Humberside	234 9%	234 11%	- -%	- -%	- -%	234 9%	206 9%	28 10%	72 10%	60 10%	63 11%	35 6%	132 10%	97 9%	234 9%
		bcd				bcd									
North West	265 11%	265 13%	- -%	- -%	- -%	265 11%	253 12%	11 4%	75 11%	77 12%	50 9%	56 10%	152 12%	106 9%	265 11%
		bcd				bcd	b								
West Midlands	233 9%	233 11%	- -%	- -%	- -%	233 9%	218 10%	15 5%	54 8%	60 10%	36 7%	75 13%	114 9%	111 10%	233 9%
		bcd				bcd					ac				
East Midlands	152 6%	152 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	152 6%	127 6%	25 9%	43 6%	41 7%	30 5%	31 5%	85 6%	61 5%	152 6%
		bcd				bcd									
East of England	181 7%	181 9%	- -%	- -%	- -%	181 7%	153 7%	28 10%	56 8%	44 7%	34 6%	43 7%	100 8%	77 7%	181 7%
		bcd				bcd									
South West	240 10%	240 11%	- -%	- -%	- -%	240 10%	197 9%	43 15%	42 6%	50 8%	75 14%	73 13%	92 7%	148 13%	240 10%
		bcd				bcd		a			ae	ae		ae	a
South East	391 16%	391 19%	- -%	- -%	- -%	391 16%	336 15%	55 19%	86 12%	84 14%	119 22%	100 17%	170 13%	218 19%	391 16%
		bcd				bcd					abe		ae		
London	315 13%	315 15%	- -%	- -%	- -%	315 13%	315 14%	- -%	138 20%	80 13%	44 8%	53 9%	218 17%	97 9%	315 13%
		bcd				bcd	b		bcd				cd	fg	f

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
England	2106	2106	-	-	-	2106	1891	215	598	521	471	483	1119	954	2106
	85%	100%	-%	-%	-%	85%	86%	76%	85%	84%	85%	84%	85%	85%	85%
		bcde				bcd	b								
Wales	112	-	-	112	-	112	89	23	31	26	24	31	57	54	112
	5%	-%	-%	100%	-%	5%	4%	8%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	5%
				abde		abd	a								
Scotland	186	-	186	-	-	186	160	26	52	48	41	44	100	84	186
	8%	-%	100%	-%	-%	8%	7%	9%	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%	7%	8%
			acde			acd									
Northern Ireland	77	-	-	-	77	77	57	20	20	22	16	19	42	35	77
	3%	-%	-%	-%	100%	3%	3%	7%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
				abce		abc	a								

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
North East	96 4%	18 3%	77 4%	14 3%	36 4%	38 5%	27 5%	49 4%	17 3%
Yorkshire and Humberside	234 9%	47 9%	173 9%	48 11%	67 8%	76 10%	50 10%	125 10%	44 7%
North West	265 11%	58 11%	200 11%	47 10%	83 10%	82 10%	54 11%	132 10%	64 11%
West Midlands	233 9%	40 8%	177 10%	57 13% c	69 8%	44 6%	31 6%	114 9%	69 11%
East Midlands	152 6%	33 6%	116 6%	25 6%	55 7%	48 6%	24 5%	73 6%	43 7%
East of England	181 7%	32 6%	139 8%	20 4%	64 8%	64 8%	33 7%	104 8%	38 6%
South West	240 10%	61 12%	175 9%	57 13%	79 10%	68 9%	32 7%	132 10%	64 11%
South East	391 16%	100 19%	273 15%	74 17%	135 17%	127 16%	75 15%	189 15%	114 19%
London	315 13%	57 11%	242 13%	36 8%	86 11%	135 17% ab	101 20% bc	149 12%	58 10%
England	2106 85%	445 85%	1572 85%	377 84%	674 82%	680 86%	426 86%	1067 84%	512 84%
Wales	112 5%	27 5%	79 4%	21 5%	48 6%	27 3%	17 3%	57 5%	33 5%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Scotland	186	37	142	34	69	63	35	104	42
	8%	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%	7%	8%	7%
Northern Ireland	77	16	58	17	28	19	16	39	20
	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QF. URBANITY

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Large city	546	101	79	84	107	114	60	371	175	271	262	34	277	224
	22%	21%	24%	24%	21%	23%	19%	22%	21%	22%	22%	17%	24%	21%
Smaller city or large town	508	99	67	73	97	105	67	336	172	253	245	49	233	215
	20%	21%	21%	21%	19%	21%	21%	20%	21%	20%	21%	25%	20%	21%
Medium town	683	135	92	95	142	121	98	464	219	328	347	62	326	267
	28%	29%	28%	28%	28%	24%	31%	28%	27%	26%	29%	32%	28%	26%
Small town	461	85	60	59	107	92	58	311	150	250	200	31	204	209
	19%	18%	18%	17%	21%	18%	18%	19%	18%	20%	17%	16%	17%	20%
Rural area	283	52	30	32	60	75	35	173	109	145	137	18	125	130
	11%	11%	9%	9%	12%	15%	11%	10%	13%	12%	11%	9%	11%	12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QF. URBANITY

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Large city	546	48	53	41	38	41	42	55	49	49	56	36	23
	22%	20%	24%	24%	24%	24%	25%	22%	20%	20%	23%	23%	15%
Smaller city or large town	508	52	46	31	36	39	33	48	47	52	49	32	34
	20%	21%	20%	18%	23%	23%	20%	19%	19%	21%	21%	20%	22%
Medium town	683	64	70	49	42	49	46	67	74	55	64	43	50
	28%	26%	31%	29%	27%	28%	28%	26%	30%	22%	27%	27%	33%
Small town	461	49	34	30	27	29	28	57	46	53	38	31	26
	19%	20%	15%	18%	17%	17%	17%	22%	18%	21%	16%	20%	17%
Rural area	283	29	22	16	13	14	18	27	32	42	32	17	18
	11%	12%	10%	10%	9%	8%	11%	11%	13%	17%	13%	10%	12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QF. URBANITY

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Large city	546	492	36	11	7	546	546	-	214	120	101	109	334	210	546
	22%	23%	19%	10%	9%	22%	25%	-%	31%	19%	18%	19%	25%	19%	22%
		cd	cd			cd	b		bcdfg				f		
Smaller city or large town	508	439	33	23	14	508	508	-	117	134	102	145	252	246	508
	20%	21%	18%	20%	18%	20%	23%	-%	17%	22%	18%	25%	19%	22%	20%
							b					a			
Medium town	683	590	50	23	20	683	683	-	169	192	154	157	361	311	683
	28%	28%	27%	21%	26%	28%	31%	-%	24%	31%	28%	27%	27%	28%	28%
		c				c	b								
Small town	461	371	41	32	17	461	461	-	110	109	135	100	219	235	461
	19%	18%	22%	29%	22%	19%	21%	-%	16%	18%	25%	17%	17%	21%	19%
				ae			b				ae				
Rural area	283	215	26	23	20	283	-	283	91	62	60	66	153	125	283
	11%	10%	14%	20%	26%	11%	-%	100%	13%	10%	11%	11%	12%	11%	11%
				ae	abe			a							

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QF. URBANITY

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Large city	546 22%	101 19%	420 23%	95 21%	172 21%	203 26%	150 30%	265 21%	121 20%
Smaller city or large town	508 20%	104 20%	369 20%	115 26%	178 22%	116 15%	82 17%	255 20%	140 23%
Medium town	683 28%	155 30%	503 27%	116 26%	234 29%	203 26%	130 26%	349 28%	163 27%
Small town	461 19%	99 19%	348 19%	91 20%	150 18%	152 19%	78 16%	261 21%	110 18%
Rural area	283 11%	66 13%	211 11%	32 7%	86 11%	115 15%	54 11%	138 11%	74 12%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QG. HOUSEHOLD SOCIO-ECONOMIC GROUP

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
A	161 7%	40 9%	21 6%	20 6%	24 5%	39 8%	16 5%	106 6%	56 7%	83 7%	76 6%	9 5%	89 8%	61 6%
B	540 22%	79 17%	68 21%	69 20%	116 23%	133 26%	76 24%	332 20%	209 25%	269 22%	261 22%	37 19%	230 20%	261 25%
C1	617 25%	140 30%	78 24%	88 26%	107 21%	135 27%	69 22%	413 25%	204 25%	319 26%	288 24%	58 30%	295 25%	254 24%
C2	551 22%	96 20%	83 25%	83 24%	128 25%	88 17%	74 23%	390 24%	161 20%	276 22%	272 23%	39 20%	266 23%	222 21%
D	300 12%	55 12%	34 10%	45 13%	62 12%	62 12%	42 13%	196 12%	104 13%	140 11%	154 13%	22 11%	141 12%	125 12%
E	276 11%	56 12%	42 13%	35 10%	63 12%	46 9%	34 11%	196 12%	81 10%	150 12%	122 10%	25 13%	127 11%	111 11%
Don't know	34 1%	7 1%	3 1%	2 1%	12 2%	4 1%	7 2%	23 1%	11 1%	10 1%	18 1%	4 2%	17 1%	12 1%
SUMMARY														
AB	701 28%	119 25%	89 27%	89 26%	140 27%	172 34%	92 29%	437 26%	264 32%	352 28%	337 28%	46 24%	319 27%	322 31%
DE	576 23%	110 23%	75 23%	81 23%	125 25%	108 21%	76 24%	392 24%	184 22%	290 23%	276 23%	47 24%	269 23%	235 23%
ABC1	1319 53%	259 55%	167 51%	177 52%	247 48%	307 61%	161 51%	850 51%	468 57%	670 54%	625 52%	104 54%	615 53%	576 55%
C2DE	1127 45%	206 44%	158 48%	164 48%	253 49%	196 39%	150 47%	781 47%	346 42%	566 45%	548 46%	86 45%	534 46%	457 44%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
A	161 7%	26 11%	14 6%	12 7%	9 6%	9 5%	10 6%	11 4%	14 5%	17 7%	22 9%	8 5%	8 5%
B	540 22%	32 13%	46 20%	42 25%	26 17%	37 21%	31 18%	55 22%	58 23%	66 26% a	63 26% a	38 24%	36 24%
C1	617 25%	74 31%	63 28%	39 23%	39 25%	47 28%	40 24%	56 22%	50 20%	65 26%	64 27%	37 23%	31 20%
C2	551 22%	53 22%	43 19%	39 23%	43 27%	39 22%	44 26%	62 24%	64 26%	49 19%	39 16%	33 21%	40 26%
D	300 12%	21 9%	34 15%	16 10%	17 11%	16 9%	29 18%	31 12%	29 11%	33 13%	28 12%	24 15%	17 11%
E	276 11%	35 14%	20 9%	20 12%	20 13%	23 14%	12 7%	35 14%	28 11%	20 8%	24 10%	17 11%	18 12%
Don't know	34 1%	2 1%	3 2%	- -%	3 2%	1 1%	1 1%	4 1%	6 2%	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	3 2%
SUMMARY													
AB	701 28%	58 24%	60 27%	54 32%	35 22%	45 26%	41 24%	66 26%	72 29%	83 33%	85 35%	46 29%	44 29%
DE	576 23%	55 23%	54 24%	36 22%	37 24%	39 23%	41 25%	66 26%	57 23%	52 21%	51 21%	41 26%	35 23%
ABC1	1319 53%	132 54%	124 55%	93 55%	74 47%	93 54%	81 48%	122 48%	122 49%	149 59%	149 62%	82 52%	75 49%
C2DE	1127 45%	109 45%	97 43%	76 45%	80 51%	78 45%	86 51%	128 50%	120 48%	101 40%	90 37%	74 47%	75 49%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
A	161 7%	144 7%	8 4%	6 5%	4 5%	161 7%	149 7%	12 4%	161 23% bcdefg	- -%	- -%	- -%	161 12% bcdfg	- -%	161 7% bcdf
B	540 22%	454 22%	44 24%	26 23%	16 21%	540 22%	462 21%	78 28%	540 77% bcdefg	- -%	- -%	- -%	540 41% bcdfg	- -%	540 22% bcdf
C1	617 25%	521 25%	48 26%	26 23%	22 28%	617 25%	555 25%	62 22%	- -%	617 100% acdefg	- -%	- -%	617 47% acdfg	- -%	617 25% acdf
C2	551 22%	471 22%	41 22%	24 21%	16 21%	551 22%	491 22%	60 21%	- -%	- -%	551 100% abdefg	- -%	- -%	551 49% abdeg	551 22% abde
D	300 12%	257 12%	19 10%	16 14%	9 12%	300 12%	262 12%	38 13%	- -%	- -%	- -%	300 52% abcefg	- -%	300 27% abceg	300 12% abce
E	276 11%	226 11%	25 13%	15 13%	10 13%	276 11%	249 11%	28 10%	- -%	- -%	- -%	276 48% abcefg	- -%	276 25% abceg	276 11% abce
Don't know	34 1%	33 2%	1 1%	- -%	* 1%	34 1%	29 1%	5 2%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	34 1% aef
SUMMARY															
AB	701 28%	598 28%	52 28%	31 28%	20 26%	701 28%	611 28%	91 32%	701 100% bcdefg	- -%	- -%	- -%	701 53% bcdfg	- -%	701 28% bcdf
DE	576 23%	483 23%	44 23%	31 28%	19 24%	576 23%	511 23%	66 23%	- -%	- -%	- -%	576 100% abcefg	- -%	576 51% abceg	576 23% abce

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
ABC1	1319	1119	100	57	42	1319	1166	153	701	617	-	-	1319	-	1319
	53%	53%	54%	51%	54%	53%	53%	54%	100% cdfg	100% cdfg	-%	-%	100% cdfg	-%	53% cdf
C2DE	1127	954	84	54	35	1127	1002	125	-	-	551	576	-	1127	1127
	45%	45%	45%	49%	45%	45%	46%	44%	-%	-%	100% abeg	100% abeg	-%	100% abeg	45% abe

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST	DOING WELL	GETTING BY	STRUGGLING
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
A	161 7%	24 5%	132 7%	11 3%	18 2%	120 15% ab	101 20% bc	45 4%	10 2%
B	540 22%	88 17%	438 24% a	29 7%	96 12%	331 42% ab	168 34% bc	282 22% c	71 12%
C1	617 25%	124 24%	475 26%	79 18%	251 31% a	204 26% a	96 19%	376 30% ac	122 20%
C2	551 22%	111 21%	415 22%	109 24% c	252 31% c	108 14%	81 16%	304 24% a	147 24% a
D	300 12%	66 13%	219 12%	96 21% c	142 17% c	19 2%	29 6%	142 11% a	113 19% ab
E	276 11%	103 20% b	151 8%	118 26% bc	59 7% c	3 *%	15 3%	103 8% a	142 23% ab
Don't know	34 1%	9 2%	20 1%	6 1%	2 *%	4 1%	5 1%	16 1%	2 *%
SUMMARY									
AB	701 28%	112 21%	570 31% a	41 9%	114 14%	451 57% ab	269 54% bc	327 26% c	81 13%
DE	576 23%	169 32% b	370 20%	214 48% bc	201 24% c	22 3%	44 9%	245 19% a	255 42% ab

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST	DOING WELL	GETTING BY	STRUGGLING
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
ABC1	1319	236	1045	120	365	655	365	703	204
	53%	45%	56%	27%	45%	83%	74%	55%	33%
			a		a	ab	bc	c	
C2DE	1127	280	785	323	453	131	125	549	402
	45%	53%	42%	72%	55%	17%	25%	43%	66%
		b		bc	c		a	ab	

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AGE OF CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
3	154 6%	154 33%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	154 9%	- -%	80 6%	72 6%	154 80%	- -%	- -%
		bcdef						b				bc		
4	154 6%	154 33%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	154 9%	- -%	78 6%	74 6%	40 20%	111 10%	- -%
		bcdef						b				bc	c	
5	164 7%	164 35%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	164 10%	- -%	84 7%	78 7%	- -%	164 14%	- -%
		bcdef						b					ac	
6	164 7%	- -%	164 50%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	164 10%	- -%	84 7%	78 7%	- -%	164 14%	- -%
			acdef					b					ac	
7	164 7%	- -%	164 50%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	164 10%	- -%	84 7%	79 7%	- -%	164 14%	- -%
			acdef					b					ac	
8	171 7%	- -%	- -%	171 50%	- -%	- -%	- -%	171 10%	- -%	86 7%	83 7%	- -%	171 15%	- -%
				abdef				b					ac	
9	171 7%	- -%	- -%	171 50%	- -%	- -%	- -%	171 10%	- -%	85 7%	84 7%	- -%	171 15%	- -%
				abdef				b					ac	
10	171 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	171 33%	- -%	- -%	171 10%	- -%	85 7%	84 7%	- -%	171 15%	- -%
					abcef			b					ac	
11	171 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	171 33%	- -%	- -%	171 10%	- -%	85 7%	84 7%	- -%	48 4%	116 11%
					abcef			b					ab	
12	169 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	169 33%	- -%	- -%	169 10%	- -%	84 7%	80 7%	- -%	- -%	169 16%
					abcef			b					ab	

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
13	169	-	-	-	-	169	-	-	169	85	79	-	-	169
	7%	-%	-%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	20%	7%	7%	-%	-%	16%
						abcdf			a					ab
14	169	-	-	-	-	169	-	-	169	84	82	-	-	169
	7%	-%	-%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	20%	7%	7%	-%	-%	16%
						abcdf			a					ab
15	169	-	-	-	-	169	-	-	169	83	80	-	-	169
	7%	-%	-%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	20%	7%	7%	-%	-%	16%
						abcdf			a					ab
16	159	-	-	-	-	-	159	-	159	79	77	-	-	134
	6%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	50%	-%	19%	6%	6%	-%	-%	13%
							abcde		a					ab
17	159	-	-	-	-	-	159	-	159	80	75	-	-	119
	6%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	50%	-%	19%	6%	6%	-%	-%	11%
							abcde		a					ab

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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AGE OF CHILD

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
3	154	80	72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6%	33%	32%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl										
4	154	78	74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6%	32%	33%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl										
5	164	84	78	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7%	35%	35%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl										
6	164	-	-	84	78	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7%	-%	-%	50%	50%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
				abefghijkl	abefghijkl								
7	164	-	-	84	79	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7%	-%	-%	50%	50%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
				abefghijkl	abefghijkl								
8	171	-	-	-	-	86	83	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7%	-%	-%	-%	-%	50%	50%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
						abcdghijkl	abcdghijkl						
9	171	-	-	-	-	85	84	-	-	-	-	-	-
	7%	-%	-%	-%	-%	50%	50%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
						abcdghijkl	abcdghijkl						
10	171	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	84	-	-	-	-
	7%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	33%	34%	-%	-%	-%	-%
								abcdefijkl	abcdefijkl				

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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AGE OF CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5 a	FEMALE 3-5 b	MALE 6-7 c	FEMALE 6-7 d	MALE 8-9 e	FEMALE 8-9 f	MALE 10-12 g	FEMALE 10-12 h	MALE 13-15 i	FEMALE 13-15 j	MALE 16-17 k	FEMALE 16-17 l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
11	171 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	85 33%	84 34%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%
								abcdeijkl	abcdeijkl				
12	169 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	84 33%	80 32%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%
								abcdeijkl	abcdeijkl				
13	169 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	85 34%	79 33%	- -%	- -%
										abcdeghkl	abcdeghkl		
14	169 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	84 33%	82 34%	- -%	- -%
										abcdeghkl	abcdeghkl		
15	169 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	83 33%	80 33%	- -%	- -%
										abcdeghkl	abcdeghkl		
16	159 6%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	79 50%	77 51%
												abcdeghij	abcdeghij
17	159 6%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	80 50%	75 49%
												abcdeghij	abcdeghij

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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AGE OF CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
3	154 6%	127 6%	13 7%	8 7%	6 7%	154 6%	141 6%	13 4%	36 5%	45 7%	31 6%	39 7%	81 6%	69 6%	154 6%
4	154 6%	132 6%	12 6%	6 5%	4 5%	154 6%	133 6%	21 7%	45 6%	50 8%	26 5%	32 6%	94 7%	58 5%	154 6%
5	164 7%	143 7%	11 6%	7 6%	3 4%	164 7%	146 7%	18 7%	38 5%	46 7%	39 7%	40 7%	84 6%	79 7%	164 7%
6	164 7%	139 7%	13 7%	7 7%	5 7%	164 7%	149 7%	15 5%	42 6%	41 7%	41 7%	38 7%	83 6%	79 7%	164 7%
7	164 7%	136 6%	13 7%	9 8%	6 8%	164 7%	150 7%	14 5%	47 7%	37 6%	41 8%	37 6%	84 6%	79 7%	164 7%
8	171 7%	144 7%	12 7%	10 9%	5 6%	171 7%	155 7%	16 6%	41 6%	45 7%	44 8%	39 7%	86 6%	83 7%	171 7%
9	171 7%	144 7%	14 7%	6 6%	8 10%	171 7%	156 7%	16 6%	48 7%	43 7%	39 7%	41 7%	91 7%	81 7%	171 7%
10	171 7%	147 7%	13 7%	8 7%	3 4%	171 7%	148 7%	23 8%	58 8%	42 7%	27 5%	37 6%	100 8%	64 6%	171 7%
11	171 7%	144 7%	16 9%	6 6%	5 6%	171 7%	150 7%	22 8%	43 6%	30 5%	48 9%	47 8%	74 6%	95 8%	171 7%
12	169 7%	148 7%	8 5%	6 6%	6 8%	169 7%	154 7%	15 5%	39 6%	34 6%	53 10%	41 7%	73 6%	94 8%	169 7%
13	169 7%	146 7%	12 6%	6 5%	5 6%	169 7%	142 6%	27 10%	50 7%	61 10% cf	25 4%	34 6%	111 8%	58 5%	169 7%
14	169 7%	146 7%	14 7%	4 4%	5 7%	169 7%	149 7%	20 7%	55 8%	39 6%	38 7%	35 6%	94 7%	73 6%	169 7%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
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16	159 6%	135 6%	11 6%	7 7%	5 7%	159 6%	139 6%	20 7%	41 6%	39 6%	35 6%	41 7%	80 6%	75 7%	159 6%
17	159 6%	130 6%	14 8%	9 8%	6 8%	159 6%	145 7%	14 5%	51 7%	30 5%	39 7%	35 6%	81 6%	74 7%	159 6%

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AGE OF CHILD

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
3	154 6%	23 4%	123 7%	21 5%	54 7%	45 6%	31 6%	83 7%	34 6%
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9	171 7%	48 9%	118 6%	41 9%	57 7%	48 6%	32 7%	90 7%	43 7%
10	171 7%	30 6%	133 7%	27 6%	55 7%	56 7%	27 6%	88 7%	41 7%
11	171 7%	35 7%	130 7%	32 7%	66 8%	57 7%	34 7%	90 7%	46 8%
12	169 7%	47 9%	115 6%	32 7%	60 7%	54 7%	25 5%	98 8%	38 6%
13	169 7%	46 9%	122 7%	22 5%	67 8%	55 7%	34 7%	86 7%	44 7%
14	169 7%	42 8%	120 6%	23 5%	47 6%	63 8%	32 6%	100 8%	24 4%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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16	159 6%	41 8%	115 6%	40 9%	55 7%	36 5%	24 5%	72 6%	53 9%
17	159 6%	31 6%	120 6%	23 5%	54 7%	42 5%	35 7%	80 6%	38 6%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 6

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GENDER OF CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Boy	1247	242	168	172	254	252	159	836	411	1247	-	100	592	514
	50%	51%	51%	50%	50%	50%	50%	51%	50%	100%	-%	52%	51%	49%
										b				
Girl	1190	224	157	168	249	241	152	798	393	-	1190	91	564	507
	48%	47%	48%	49%	49%	47%	48%	48%	48%	-%	100%	47%	48%	49%
										a				
Prefer not to say	43	6	2	4	9	15	7	21	22	-	-	3	10	25
	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	-%	-%	1%	1%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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GENDER OF CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Boy	1247	242	-	168	-	172	-	254	-	252	-	159	-
	50%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%
		bdfhjl		bdfhjl		bdfhjl		bdfhjl		bdfhjl		bdfhjl	
Girl	1190	-	224	-	157	-	168	-	249	-	241	-	152
	48%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%
			acegik		acegik		acegik		acegik		acegik		acegik
Prefer not to say	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
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Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Boy	1247	1063	91	56	38	1247	1102	145	352	319	276	290	670	566	1247
	50%	50%	49%	50%	49%	50%	50%	51%	50%	52%	50%	50%	51%	50%	50%
Girl	1190	1006	94	54	37	1190	1053	137	337	288	272	276	625	548	1190
	48%	48%	51%	48%	48%	48%	48%	48%	48%	47%	49%	48%	47%	49%	48%
Prefer not to say	43	37	1	2	2	43	42	1	13	11	4	10	23	13	43
	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	*%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Boy	1247 50%	310 59% b	890 48%	223 50%	419 51%	413 52%	237 48%	632 50%	325 53%
Girl	1190 48%	208 40%	935 51% a	225 50%	396 48%	372 47%	251 51%	623 49%	277 46%
Prefer not to say	43 2%	8 1%	26 1%	- -%	4 1%	4 *%	7 1%	12 1%	6 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 7

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AGE GROUP FOR CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
3 TO 5	472	472	-	-	-	-	-	472	-	242	224	194	275	-
	19%	100%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	29%	-%	19%	19%	100%	24%	-%
		bcdef						b				bc	c	
6 TO 7	328	-	328	-	-	-	-	328	-	168	157	-	328	-
	13%	-%	100%	-%	-%	-%	-%	20%	-%	14%	13%	-%	28%	-%
			acdef					b					ac	
8 TO 9	343	-	-	343	-	-	-	343	-	172	168	-	343	-
	14%	-%	-%	100%	-%	-%	-%	21%	-%	14%	14%	-%	29%	-%
				abdef				b					ac	
10 TO 12	512	-	-	-	512	-	-	512	-	254	249	-	220	285
	21%	-%	-%	-%	100%	-%	-%	31%	-%	20%	21%	-%	19%	27%
					abcef			b					a	ab
13 TO 15	507	-	-	-	-	507	-	-	507	252	241	-	-	507
	20%	-%	-%	-%	-%	100%	-%	-%	61%	20%	20%	-%	-%	48%
						abcdf			a					ab
16 TO 17	318	-	-	-	-	-	318	-	318	159	152	-	-	254
	13%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	100%	-%	39%	13%	13%	-%	-%	24%
							abcde		a					ab

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
3 TO 5	472	242	224	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	19%	100%	100%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl										
6 TO 7	328	-	-	168	157	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	13%	-%	-%	100%	100%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
				abefghijkl	abefghijkl								
8 TO 9	343	-	-	-	-	172	168	-	-	-	-	-	-
	14%	-%	-%	-%	-%	100%	100%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
						abcdghijkl	abcdghijkl						
10 TO 12	512	-	-	-	-	-	-	254	249	-	-	-	-
	21%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	100%	100%	-%	-%	-%	-%
								abcdefijkl	abcdefijkl				
13 TO 15	507	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	252	241	-	-
	20%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	100%	100%	-%	-%
										abcdefghkl	abcdefghkl		
16 TO 17	318	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	159	152
	13%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	100%	100%
												abcdefghij	abcdefghij

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6 TO 7	328 13%	274 13%	25 13%	17 15%	12 15%	328 13%	298 14%	30 11%	89 13%	78 13%	83 15%	75 13%	167 13%	158 14%	328 13%
8 TO 9	343 14%	288 14%	26 14%	16 15%	12 16%	343 14%	311 14%	32 11%	89 13%	88 14%	83 15%	81 14%	177 13%	164 15%	343 14%
10 TO 12	512 21%	439 21%	38 20%	21 19%	14 18%	512 21%	452 21%	60 21%	140 20%	107 17%	128 23%	125 22%	247 19%	253 22%	512 21%
13 TO 15	507 20%	436 21%	35 19%	21 19%	14 19%	507 20%	432 20%	75 26%	172 24% cf	135 22%	88 16%	108 19%	307 23% cf	196 17%	507 20%
16 TO 17	318 13%	265 13%	25 14%	16 15%	11 15%	318 13%	283 13%	35 12%	92 13%	69 11%	74 13%	76 13%	161 12%	150 13%	318 13%

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6 TO 7	328 13%	63 12%	250 13%	62 14%	94 12%	111 14%	70 14%	168 13%	75 12%
8 TO 9	343 14%	75 14%	248 13%	81 18%	111 14%	101 13%	69 14%	174 14%	89 15%
10 TO 12	512 21%	113 22%	378 20%	90 20%	181 22%	168 21%	87 17%	277 22%	124 20%
13 TO 15	507 20%	129 24%	363 20%	78 17%	165 20%	179 23%	103 21%	263 21%	117 19%
16 TO 17	318 13%	72 14%	235 13%	64 14%	110 13%	78 10%	59 12%	152 12%	91 15%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1706 69%	160 34%	157 48% a	174 51% a	414 81% abc	488 96% abcd	312 98% abcd	905 55%	800 97% a	843 68%	829 70%	49 25%	592 51% a	995 95% ab
Tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1562 63%	324 69% ef	261 80% ade	252 73% ef	346 68% ef	240 47%	139 44%	1183 71% b	379 46%	735 59%	799 67% a	120 62%	878 75% ac	539 52%
Games console or handheld games player	1158 47%	75 16%	127 39% a	173 50% ab	302 59% ab	293 58% ab	187 59% ab	678 41%	481 58% a	756 61% b	387 33%	14 7%	483 41% a	612 59% ab
Laptop or netbook	990 40%	58 12%	84 26% a	127 37% ab	246 48% abc	285 56% abc	189 59% abcd	516 31%	474 57% a	456 37%	510 43% a	15 8%	352 30% a	594 57% ab
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	447 18%	17 4%	42 13% a	57 17% a	105 21% a	130 26% abc	95 30% abcd	222 13%	225 27% a	272 22% b	162 14%	2 1%	163 14% a	265 25% ab
Other type of device	76 3%	30 6% def	17 5% def	11 3%	7 1%	7 1%	3 1%	66 4% b	10 1%	33 3%	41 3%	17 9% c	46 4% c	13 1%
None of these/ Child does not go online	99 4%	73 15% bcdef	13 4% def	11 3% df	* *% *	2 *% *	- -% *	97 6% b	2 *% *	51 4%	44 4%	45 23% bc	51 4% c	2 *% *

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
SUMMARY														
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
	96%	85%	96%	97%	100%	100%	100%	94%	100%	96%	96%	77%	96%	100%
			a	a	abc	ab	abc		a				a	ab
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1217	68	107	162	303	347	230	640	577	610	580	17	435	727
	49%	14%	33%	47%	59%	69%	72%	39%	70%	49%	49%	9%	37%	70%
			a	ab	abc	abc	abcd		a				a	ab
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2332	388	307	319	502	499	317	1517	816	1171	1124	147	1080	1031
	94%	82%	94%	93%	98%	98%	100%	92%	99%	94%	94%	76%	93%	99%
			a	a	abc	abc	abc		a				a	ab
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1164	332	208	170	208	158	88	918	246	586	566	132	680	316
	47%	70%	64%	50%	41%	31%	28%	55%	30%	47%	48%	68%	58%	30%
		cdef	cdef	ef	f			b				c	c	
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	132	30	8	10	30	35	19	78	54	57	69	11	55	61
	5%	6%	2%	3%	6%	7%	6%	5%	7%	5%	6%	6%	5%	6%
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	306	157	69	45	31	4	*	302	4	132	173	68	224	12
	12%	33%	21%	13%	6%	1%	***	18%	***	11%	15%	35%	19%	1%
		bcdef	def	def	ef			b				bc	c	

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1706	66	93	88	68	94	78	201	205	240	233	154	152
	69%	27%	41%	52%	43%	55%	47%	79%	83%	95%	97%	97%	100%
				a	a	a	a	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh
Tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1562	175	147	130	129	121	128	157	185	98	130	55	81
	63%	72%	66%	77%	82%	70%	76%	62%	75%	39%	54%	34%	53%
		ijkl	ik	gijkl	bgijkl	ijkl	gijkl	ik	ijkl		k		k
Games console or handheld games player	1158	59	14	83	44	101	70	195	105	193	98	125	56
	47%	24%	6%	49%	28%	59%	42%	77%	42%	77%	41%	79%	37%
		b		abd	b	abdfhjl	ab	abcdefhjl	abd	abcdefhjl	ab	abcdefhjl	b
Laptop or netbook	990	36	23	52	31	61	64	106	136	123	150	78	106
	40%	15%	10%	31%	20%	36%	38%	42%	55%	49%	62%	49%	70%
				ab		abd	abd	abd	abcdef	abcd	abcdefg	abcd	abcdefghik
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	447	12	5	23	19	29	27	66	36	80	45	62	30
	18%	5%	2%	14%	12%	17%	16%	26%	14%	32%	19%	39%	20%
				b	b	ab	ab	abd	ab	abcdefh	ab	abcdefhjl	ab
Other type of device	76	12	18	7	10	5	7	1	3	7	-	*	3
	3%	5%	8%	4%	7%	3%	4%	1%	1%	3%	-%	*%	2%
		j	ghjk		gjk								

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Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
None of these/ Child does not go online	99	39	30	7	6	3	7	*	-	2	-	-	-
	4%	16%	14%	4%	4%	2%	4%	***	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl										
SUMMARY													
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
	96%	84%	86%	96%	96%	98%	96%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
				ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1217	42	26	61	45	79	81	149	148	168	167	111	113
	49%	17%	12%	36%	29%	46%	48%	59%	60%	67%	69%	70%	74%
				ab	b	abd	abd	abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefgh
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2332	197	189	158	146	160	155	250	245	248	237	158	152
	94%	81%	84%	94%	93%	93%	93%	98%	99%	98%	98%	99%	100%
				ab	a	a	a	ab	ab	ab	ab	abdef	abcdef
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1164	162	168	100	106	90	79	105	101	82	73	48	39
	47%	67%	75%	59%	68%	52%	47%	41%	40%	32%	31%	30%	26%
		ghijkl	cefgijkl	ghijkl	efghijkl	ijkl	ijkl	l	l				

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		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	132	7	23	7	1	7	3	14	14	14	19	8	10
	5%	3%	10%	4%	1%	4%	2%	5%	5%	6%	8%	5%	6%
			df								d		
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	306	84	72	26	42	12	33	9	22	-	4	*	-
	12%	35%	32%	16%	27%	7%	20%	4%	9%	-%	2%	*%	-%
		cefg hijkl	ceghijkl	gijkl	eghijkl	ikl	eghijkl		ijkl				

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1706 69%	1447 69%	130 70%	78 69%	51 66%	1706 69%	1516 69%	190 67%	516 74%	412 67%	367 67%	390 68%	928 70%	757 67%	1706 69%
Tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1562 63%	1314 62%	126 68%	72 65%	50 65%	1562 63%	1390 63%	172 61%	478 68% df	383 62%	356 65%	324 56%	860 65% d	680 60%	1562 63%
Games console or handheld games player	1158 47%	969 46%	97 52%	58 52%	34 45%	1158 47%	1033 47%	125 44%	324 46%	244 40%	285 52% be	292 51% b	568 43%	578 51% be	1158 47% b
Laptop or netbook	990 40%	862 41% d	63 34%	44 39% d	21 27%	990 40% d	860 39%	130 46%	354 50% bcdfg	241 39%	201 37%	182 32%	594 45% cdfg	383 34%	990 40% df
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	447 18%	388 18%	29 15%	17 15%	13 17%	447 18%	418 19% b	29 10%	144 21%	102 16%	107 19%	91 16%	246 19%	198 18%	447 18%
Other type of device	76 3%	63 3%	6 3%	4 3%	3 4%	76 3%	66 3%	10 4%	28 4%	22 4%	12 2%	10 2%	50 4%	22 2%	76 3%
None of these/ Child does not go online	99 4%	86 4%	6 3%	4 3%	3 4%	99 4%	85 4%	13 5%	16 2%	34 6% a	29 5%	17 3%	51 4%	46 4%	99 4%

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		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
SUMMARY															
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
	96%	96%	97%	97%	96%	96%	96%	95%	98%	94%	95%	97%	96%	96%	96%
									b						
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1217	1058	79	53	29	1217	1077	140	416	298	259	232	714	492	1217
	49%	50%	42%	47%	37%	49%	49%	50%	59%	48%	47%	40%	54%	44%	49%
		bd		d		d			bcd	fg			df		d
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2332	1975	179	106	73	2332	2067	266	673	570	507	550	1244	1057	2332
	94%	94%	96%	95%	94%	94%	94%	94%	96%	92%	92%	95%	94%	94%	94%
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1164	962	101	55	45	1164	1035	129	269	285	263	326	554	589	1164
	47%	46%	55%	49%	59%	47%	47%	46%	38%	46%	48%	57%	42%	52%	47%
			a		ae						a	abeg		ae	a
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	132	116	8	4	4	132	120	12	21	35	18	53	56	70	132
	5%	6%	4%	3%	5%	5%	5%	4%	3%	6%	3%	9%	4%	6%	5%
												aceg		a	
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	306	256	25	14	12	306	268	38	71	77	78	75	148	153	306
	12%	12%	13%	12%	15%	12%	12%	13%	10%	13%	14%	13%	11%	14%	12%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST	DOING WELL	GETTING BY	STRUGGLING
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1706 69%	363 69%	1273 69%	318 71%	561 69%	566 72%	357 72%	865 68%	410 67%
Tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1562 63%	340 65%	1161 63%	268 60%	515 63%	536 68%	319 65%	805 64%	375 62%
Games console or handheld games player	1158 47%	263 50%	854 46%	234 52%	397 49%	351 44%	218 44%	574 45%	318 52%
Laptop or netbook	990 40%	203 39%	754 41%	162 36%	311 38%	376 48%	229 46%	511 40%	214 35%
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	447 18%	96 18%	342 18%	64 14%	168 21%	154 20%	115 23%	208 16%	105 17%
Other type of device	76 3%	17 3%	56 3%	5 1%	20 2%	39 5%	29 6%	28 2%	16 3%
None of these/ Child does not go online	99 4%	17 3%	74 4%	10 2%	35 4%	25 3%	11 2%	51 4%	30 5%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST	DOING WELL	GETTING BY	STRUGGLING
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
SUMMARY									
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2381 96%	509 97%	1776 96%	438 98%	784 96%	765 97%	484 98%	1216 96%	577 95%
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1217 49%	255 48%	929 50%	199 45%	408 50%	442 56% a	284 57% bc	616 49%	273 45%
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2332 94%	500 95%	1737 94%	432 96%	761 93%	753 95%	471 95%	1190 94%	570 94%
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1164 47%	254 48%	847 46%	238 53% c	375 46%	323 41%	200 40%	600 47%	304 50% a
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	132 5%	29 6%	91 5%	42 9% bc	34 4%	24 3%	23 5%	56 4%	39 6%
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	306 12%	67 13%	225 12%	47 10%	105 13%	81 10%	49 10%	155 12%	79 13%

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QP1. Please think about any reason your child may have for going online – maybe to look at a website or use an app, watch a TV programme or video clip on sites or apps like YouTube or TikTok, to play games online, for social media, or to do school or homework. Does your child use any of these to go online at home or somewhere else? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AGE OF CHILD														
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
Unweighted total	2480	135	135	138	207	204	217	194	133	142	141	143	141	140	204	206
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	91	97	95	149	137	159	131	98	99	95	101	102	95	151	144
Total	2480	154	154	164	164	164	171	171	171	171	169	169	169	169	159	159
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1706	42	43	76	75	82	92	82	110	154	150	163	159	166	156	156
	69%	27%	28%	46%	46%	50%	54%	48%	64%	90%	89%	97%	94%	98%	98%	98%
			a	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	abd	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefghj	abcdefghij	abcdefghij
Tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1562	91	117	116	129	132	129	122	127	106	112	85	79	75	72	67
	63%	59%	76%	71%	79%	81%	75%	71%	74%	62%	66%	50%	47%	45%	45%	42%
			klmno	klmno	aiklmno	aiklmno	aklmno	klmno	klmno	o	lmno					
Games console or handheld games player	1158	11	20	44	59	68	85	88	94	98	110	94	98	101	94	94
	47%	7%	13%	27%	36%	42%	50%	51%	55%	57%	65%	56%	58%	60%	59%	59%
			a	ab	ab	abc	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcde	abcd	abcd	abcde	abcde	abcde
Laptop or netbook	990	9	21	28	37	46	52	76	74	90	83	90	91	104	95	94
	40%	6%	14%	17%	23%	28%	30%	44%	43%	52%	49%	53%	54%	62%	60%	59%
				a	ab	ab	abcde	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefg	abcdefg	abcdef
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	447	2	2	13	13	30	31	27	38	33	34	33	45	52	44	52
	18%	1%	1%	8%	8%	18%	18%	16%	22%	19%	20%	19%	27%	31%	28%	32%
					abd	abd	ab	abcd	abd	abd	abd	abd	abcd	abcdg	abcd	abcdefg
Other type of device	76	14	4	12	6	11	6	5	3	4	-	3	*	3	3	1
	3%	9%	2%	7%	4%	7%	4%	3%	2%	2%	-%	2%	*%	2%	2%	*%
		jln		jlo		o										
None of these/ Child does not go online	99	39	20	14	10	3	8	2	*	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
	4%	25%	13%	8%	6%	2%	5%	1%	*%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%
		cdefghijklmno	efghijklmno	hijklmno	no		no									

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AGE OF CHILD														
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
Unweighted total	2480	135	135	138	207	204	217	194	133	142	141	143	141	140	204	206
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	91	97	95	149	137	159	131	98	99	95	101	102	95	151	144
Total	2480	154	154	164	164	164	171	171	171	171	169	169	169	169	159	159
SUMMARY																
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2381	115	134	150	154	161	163	169	171	171	169	169	167	169	159	159
	96%	75%	87%	92%	94%	98%	95%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
			a	a	ab	a	ab	abc	abc	abc	abc	abc	ab	abc	abcd	abcd
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1217	10	22	35	45	62	76	86	89	110	104	108	118	122	114	115
	49%	7%	15%	21%	27%	38%	44%	50%	52%	64%	62%	64%	70%	72%	72%	72%
				a	a	abc	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2332	115	131	142	152	155	160	159	169	167	166	169	161	169	159	158
	94%	75%	85%	87%	93%	94%	93%	93%	98%	98%	98%	100%	95%	100%	100%	99%
				a	a	a	a	abc	abc	abc	abcdg	a	abcdg	abcd	abcd	
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1164	104	112	115	109	99	87	83	82	61	65	61	49	47	45	44
	47%	68%	73%	70%	66%	61%	51%	48%	48%	36%	38%	36%	29%	28%	28%	28%
		ghijklmno	fghijklmno	fghijklmno	fghijklmno	ijklmno	lmno	lmno	lmno							
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	132	10	5	14	5	3	5	5	13	7	10	13	7	15	9	10
	5%	7%	4%	9%	3%	2%	3%	3%	7%	4%	6%	7%	4%	9%	6%	6%
													e			
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	306	47	69	41	39	30	19	26	19	6	5	3	*	-	*	-
	12%	30%	45%	25%	24%	18%	11%	15%	11%	4%	3%	2%	*%	-%	*%	-%
		fghijklmno	cdefghijklmno	fijklmno	fijklmno	ijklmno	klmno	ijklmno	klmno							

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o

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QP3F. Does your child have their own mobile phone of any type? If so - is it a smartphone (SMARTPHONE DEFINITION PROVIDED)? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Yes – it's a smartphone	1510	81	92	136	403	485	312	712	797	740	737	26	423	990
	61%	17%	28%	40%	79%	96%	98%	43%	97%	59%	62%	14%	36%	95%
			a	ab	abc	abcd	abcd		a				a	ab
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	49	9	6	8	15	9	2	39	11	24	25	4	26	19
	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	920	382	229	198	93	13	4	903	17	483	427	164	715	36
	37%	81%	70%	58%	18%	3%	1%	55%	2%	39%	36%	85%	61%	3%
		bcdef	cdef	def	ef			b				bc	c	
Don't know	1	-	1	*	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-
	*%	-%	*%	*%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%

SUMMARY

CHILD HAS THEIR OWN MOBILE PHONE	1559	90	98	145	419	494	314	751	808	764	762	30	449	1010
	63%	19%	30%	42%	82%	97%	99%	45%	98%	61%	64%	15%	39%	97%
			a	ab	abc	abcd	abcd		a				a	ab

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Yes – it's a smartphone	1510	41	40	46	43	70	64	192	204	235	235	155	150
	61%	17%	18%	27%	28%	41%	38%	76%	82%	94%	98%	97%	99%
						ab	ab	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	49	6	2	2	4	*	8	9	7	6	3	*	1
	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	*%	5%	3%	3%	2%	1%	*%	1%
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	920	194	182	120	109	101	95	53	38	11	2	4	*
	37%	80%	81%	71%	69%	59%	57%	21%	15%	4%	1%	2%	*%
		efghijkl	efghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	ijkl	ijkl				
Don't know	1	-	-	-	1	-	*	-	-	-	-	-	-
	*%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
SUMMARY													
CHILD HAS THEIR OWN MOBILE PHONE	1559	48	42	48	47	71	72	201	211	241	239	155	152
	63%	20%	19%	29%	30%	41%	43%	79%	85%	96%	99%	98%	100%
						ab	ab	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP3F. Does your child have their own mobile phone of any type? If so - is it a smartphone (SMARTPHONE DEFINITION PROVIDED)? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Yes – it's a smartphone	1510 61%	1275 61%	116 63%	72 64%	46 60%	1510 61%	1346 61%	164 58%	449 64%	349 57%	326 59%	366 63%	798 61%	692 61%	1510 61%
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	49 2%	45 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 2%	49 2%	42 2%	7 3%	13 2%	8 1%	24 4%	4 1%	21 2%	28 2%	49 2%
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	920 37%	784 37%	68 36%	39 35%	29 38%	920 37%	808 37%	112 40%	239 34%	260 42%	200 36%	206 36%	499 38%	406 36%	920 37%
Don't know	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	* *%	1 *%	1 *%
SUMMARY															
CHILD HAS THEIR OWN MOBILE PHONE	1559 63%	1320 63%	118 64%	73 65%	48 62%	1559 63%	1388 63%	171 60%	462 66%	357 58%	350 64%	370 64%	819 62%	720 64%	1559 63%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP3F. Does your child have their own mobile phone of any type? If so - is it a smartphone (SMARTPHONE DEFINITION PROVIDED)? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIAL- LY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Yes – it's a smartphone	1510 61%	343 65%	1107 60%	283 63%	521 64%	474 60%	321 65%	755 60%	372 61%
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	49 2%	18 3%	31 2%	9 2%	20 2%	17 2%	17 3%	24 2%	4 1%
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	920 37%	164 31%	711 38%	157 35%	278 34%	298 38%	157 32%	489 39%	229 38%
Don't know	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	1 *%
SUMMARY									
CHILD HAS THEIR OWN MOBILE PHONE	1559 63%	361 69%	1138 61%	291 65%	541 66%	492 62%	338 68%	779 61%	377 62%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP3F. Does your child have their own mobile phone of any type? If so - is it a smartphone (SMARTPHONE DEFINITION PROVIDED)? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AGE OF CHILD														
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
Unweighted total	2480	135	135	138	207	204	217	194	133	142	141	143	141	140	204	206
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	91	97	95	149	137	159	131	98	99	95	101	102	95	151	144
Total	2480	154	154	164	164	164	171	171	171	171	169	169	169	169	159	159
Yes – it's a smartphone	1510	23	17	41	37	55	78	58	100	152	152	164	159	162	156	156
	61%	15%	11%	25%	22%	33%	45%	34%	58%	89%	90%	97%	94%	96%	98%	98%
					ab	abcd	ab	abcdeg	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefghij	abcdefghij
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	49	2	4	3	4	2	5	4	6	4	5	3	4	2	1	*
	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	*%
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	920	129	134	120	122	107	89	109	65	15	12	2	6	5	2	3
	37%	84%	87%	73%	74%	65%	52%	64%	38%	9%	7%	1%	3%	3%	1%	2%
		efghijklmno	efghijklmno	fhijklmno	fhijklmno	hijklmno	ijklmno	hijklmno	ijklmno	no						
Don't know	1	-	-	-	1	-	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	*%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o

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QP2. Does your child use a smart speaker which can respond to voice commands like ‘Alexa’ or ‘Hey Google’? Popular brands include Amazon Echo, Google Nest and Apple HomePod mini. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Yes	1469	228	191	223	322	330	175	964	505	722	730	85	700	640
	59%	48%	58%	65%	63%	65%	55%	58%	61%	58%	61%	44%	60%	61%
				a	a	a							a	a
No	990	242	131	116	188	174	139	677	313	515	451	109	452	399
	40%	51%	40%	34%	37%	34%	44%	41%	38%	41%	38%	56%	39%	38%
		b	c	d	e	f						bc		
Don't know	21	2	6	4	2	3	4	14	7	10	9	-	14	6
	1%	*%	2%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP2. Does your child use a smart speaker which can respond to voice commands like ‘Alexa’ or ‘Hey Google’? Popular brands include Amazon Echo, Google Nest and Apple HomePod mini. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Yes	1469	118	109	95	94	112	109	159	158	153	170	84	90
	59%	49%	49%	57%	60%	65%	65%	63%	64%	61%	71%	53%	59%
						ab	ab				abk		
No	990	124	113	69	61	60	55	93	90	96	70	74	61
	40%	51%	51%	41%	39%	35%	33%	37%	36%	38%	29%	46%	40%
		efj	efj									j	
Don't know	21	*	2	4	2	-	4	2	-	2	1	2	1
	1%	*%	1%	3%	1%	-%	2%	1%	-%	1%	*%	1%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP2. Does your child use a smart speaker which can respond to voice commands like ‘Alexa’ or ‘Hey Google’? Popular brands include Amazon Echo, Google Nest and Apple HomePod mini. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Yes	1469 59%	1242 59%	108 58%	72 65%	46 60%	1469 59%	1298 59%	172 61%	442 63% d	373 61% d	346 63% d	292 51%	815 62% d	638 57%	1469 59% d
No	990 40%	846 40%	75 40%	39 35%	30 39%	990 40%	881 40%	109 38%	258 37%	241 39%	205 37%	270 47% ae	500 38%	475 42%	990 40%
Don't know	21 1%	17 1%	2 1%	* *%	1 1%	21 1%	18 1%	3 1%	1 *%	2 *%	- -%	14 3%	3 *%	14 1%	21 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Yes	1469 59%	315 60%	1089 59%	256 57%	495 60%	512 65%	319 64%	748 59%	348 57%
No	990 40%	203 39%	754 41%	186 41%	319 39%	276 35%	174 35%	513 40%	254 42%
Don't know	21 1%	7 1%	7 *%	6 1%	5 1%	1 *%	2 *%	6 1%	5 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP4A. Do you have access to a broadband internet service at home – perhaps using Wi-Fi to go online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Yes	2424	453	318	333	507	502	311	1611	813	1225	1161	184	1135	1032
	98%	96%	97%	97%	99%	99%	98%	97%	99%	98%	98%	95%	97%	99%
														a
No	50	18	8	9	5	5	5	40	10	20	26	10	26	12
	2%	4%	3%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	5%	2%	1%
												c		
Don't know	7	2	2	1	-	-	2	4	2	2	4	-	4	1
	*%	*%	1%	*%	-%	-%	1%	*%	*%	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP4A. Do you have access to a broadband internet service at home – perhaps using Wi-Fi to go online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Yes	2424	234	215	164	151	169	161	253	245	250	238	156	150
	98%	97%	96%	97%	96%	98%	96%	99%	99%	99%	99%	98%	99%
No	50	8	7	3	6	3	6	2	4	2	3	3	*
	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%	2%	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*%
Don't know	7	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
	*%	-%	1%	1%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	1%

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Yes	2424	2056	182	110	75	2424	2143	281	692	606	538	555	1298	1093	2424
	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	99%	99%	98%	98%	96%	98%	97%	98%
No	50	43	4	2	1	50	49	*	9	10	13	16	19	29	50
	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	*%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%
Don't know	7	7	-	-	-	7	5	2	-	1	-	5	1	5	7
	*%	*%	-%	-%	-%	*%	*%	1%	-%	*%	-%	1%	*%	*%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
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Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Yes	2424	512	1817	435	800	781	488	1238	598
	98%	97%	98%	97%	98%	99%	99%	98%	98%
No	50	12	33	12	18	9	6	29	9
	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Don't know	7	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	-
	*%	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	*%	*%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP4A/B. Does your child go online at home using a mobile network connection – so 3G, 4G or 5G? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
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Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
HAVE BROADBAND AT HOME	2424	453	318	333	507	502	311	1611	813	1225	1161	184	1135	1032
	98%	96%	97%	97%	99%	99%	98%	97%	99%	98%	98%	95%	97%	99%
														a
Yes	33	7	5	8	4	5	5	23	10	12	20	2	18	11
	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
No	17	11	2	1	2	-	1	16	1	9	6	8	6	2
	1%	2%	1%	*%	*%	-%	*%	1%	*%	1%	1%	4%	1%	*%
		e										bc		
Don't know	7	2	3	1	-	-	1	5	1	2	4	-	5	-
	*%	*%	1%	*%	-%	-%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	-%	*%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
HAVE BROADBAND AT HOME	2424	234	215	164	151	169	161	253	245	250	238	156	150
	98%	97%	96%	97%	96%	98%	96%	99%	99%	99%	99%	98%	99%
Yes	33	2	5	3	2	2	6	-	4	2	3	3	*
	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	4%	-%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*%
No	17	6	3	-	2	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	1
	1%	3%	1%	-%	2%	*%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	1%
Don't know	7	-	2	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
	*%	-%	1%	1%	1%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
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HAVE BROADBAND AT HOME	2424	2056	182	110	75	2424	2143	281	692	606	538	555	1298	1093	2424
	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	99%	99%	98%	98%	96%	98%	97%	98%
Yes	33	28	3	1	-	33	32	*	6	3	9	13	9	22	33
	1%	1%	2%	1%	-%	1%	1%	*%	1%	*%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
No	17	14	1	1	1	17	17	-	3	7	4	4	10	7	17
	1%	1%	*%	1%	2%	1%	1%	-%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Don't know	7	7	-	-	-	7	5	2	-	1	-	4	1	4	7
	*%	*%	-%	-%	-%	*%	*%	1%	-%	*%	-%	1%	*%	*%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
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HAVE BROADBAND AT HOME	2424	512	1817	435	800	781	488	1238	598
	98%	97%	98%	97%	98%	99%	99%	98%	98%
Yes	33	8	24	9	11	6	3	22	4
	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
No	17	5	9	2	7	3	3	7	5
	1%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%
Don't know	7	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	-
	*%	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	*%	*%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP5. Does your child ever use any of these devices to watch television programmes or films at home or elsewhere? This could be watching television programmes or films as they are broadcast , anything recorded from the TV to view later, or any use of catch-up services (such as BBC iPlayer or ITV Hub) or other on-demand content (such as Netflix or Amazon Prime Video). (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
A television set	2065	366	271	293	447	424	264	1377	688	1021	1015	157	958	902
	83%	77%	83%	85%	87%	84%	83%	83%	83%	82%	85%	81%	82%	86%
				a										
A tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1293	296	220	202	267	188	120	986	308	608	670	113	733	421
	52%	63%	67%	59%	52%	37%	38%	60%	37%	49%	56%	58%	63%	40%
		ef	def	ef	ef			b		a		c	c	
A mobile phone/ smartphone (like an iPhone/ Samsung Galaxy)	1122	158	104	121	233	300	206	616	506	554	550	54	408	615
	45%	33%	32%	35%	46%	59%	65%	37%	61%	44%	46%	28%	35%	59%
				ab	abcd	abcd		a						ab
A games console or handheld games player (like a PlayStation/ Xbox/ Nintendo Switch)	649	55	79	92	156	162	105	382	267	430	212	16	263	342
	26%	12%	24%	27%	30%	32%	33%	23%	32%	34%	18%	8%	23%	33%
			a	a	a	a	a		a	b			a	ab
A desktop computer/ laptop/ netbook	542	40	41	68	111	168	114	260	282	262	271	10	180	337
	22%	8%	13%	20%	22%	33%	36%	16%	34%	21%	23%	5%	15%	32%
				a	ab	abcd	abcd		a				a	ab
Other type of device	29	5	3	*	10	9	3	18	11	12	15	5	9	15
	1%	1%	1%	*%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
None of these/ Child does not watch TV programmes or films	87	23	11	9	8	22	14	51	36	51	27	8	39	33
	4%	5%	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%	3%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
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Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Don't know	10	2	2	3	-	2	1	6	3	6	3	-	6	2
	%	%	1%	1%	-%	%	%	%	%	%	%	-%	1%	%
SUMMARY														
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE	2383	447	315	331	504	482	303	1598	786	1190	1160	186	1121	1010
	96%	95%	96%	97%	98%	95%	95%	97%	95%	95%	97%	96%	96%	97%
EVER WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	1972	359	255	274	407	403	274	1295	677	975	971	137	924	849
	80%	76%	78%	80%	79%	79%	86%	78%	82%	78%	82%	71%	79%	81%
							ab							a
ONLY WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON A DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	319	81	44	38	57	58	39	221	98	169	145	29	163	109
	13%	17%	14%	11%	11%	12%	12%	13%	12%	14%	12%	15%	14%	10%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
A television set	2065	185	178	142	127	147	144	213	227	209	205	125	136
	83%	76%	79%	84%	81%	86%	86%	84%	91%	83%	85%	79%	89%
									abdk				a
A tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1293	156	138	111	107	100	100	117	147	79	104	46	74
	52%	64%	62%	66%	68%	58%	60%	46%	59%	31%	43%	29%	49%
		gijkl	gijk	gijkl	gijkl	ik	ijk	k	ijk				ik
A mobile phone/ smartphone (like an iPhone/ Samsung Galaxy)	1122	78	79	58	44	62	57	108	122	150	142	98	105
	45%	32%	35%	34%	28%	36%	34%	43%	49%	59%	59%	62%	69%
									adf	abcdefg	abcdefg	abcdefg	abcdefg
A games console or handheld games player (like a PlayStation/ Xbox/ Nintendo Switch)	649	43	12	44	35	59	33	108	45	109	51	67	35
	26%	18%	5%	26%	22%	34%	20%	42%	18%	43%	21%	42%	23%
		b		b	b	abfh	b	abcdfhjl	b	abcdfhjl	b	abcdfhjl	b
A desktop computer/ laptop/ netbook	542	26	14	24	17	42	25	50	59	70	95	51	60
	22%	11%	6%	14%	11%	25%	15%	20%	24%	28%	39%	32%	40%
						abd		b	abd	abcd	abcdefg	abcd	abcdefg
Other type of device	29	2	3	1	1	*	-	1	7	6	2	1	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	-%	*%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%
None of these/ Child does not watch TV programmes or films	87	12	10	5	6	4	3	6	-	15	4	10	4
	4%	5%	4%	3%	4%	2%	2%	2%	-%	6%	2%	6%	3%
		h								h		h	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Don't know	10	-	2	2	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
	*%	-%	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%
SUMMARY													
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE	2383	231	213	162	151	166	164	248	249	235	236	149	148
	96%	95%	95%	96%	96%	96%	98%	98%	100%	93%	98%	94%	97%
									abik				
EVER WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	1972	184	174	129	123	140	132	198	204	193	202	132	136
	80%	76%	77%	77%	79%	82%	79%	78%	82%	77%	84%	83%	90%
													abcgi
ONLY WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON A DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	319	46	35	19	24	19	20	35	22	26	31	24	12
	13%	19%	16%	12%	16%	11%	12%	14%	9%	10%	13%	15%	8%
		i											

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
A television set	2065	1744	160	99	63	2065	1827	238	631	512	453	446	1143	899	2065
	83%	83%	86%	88%	82%	83%	83%	84%	90%	83%	82%	77%	87%	80%	83%
									bcd				df		d
A tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1293	1093	101	58	41	1293	1140	154	411	303	301	261	714	562	1293
	52%	52%	54%	52%	53%	52%	52%	54%	59%	49%	55%	45%	54%	50%	52%
									bdf				d		
A mobile phone/ smartphone (like an iPhone/ Samsung Galaxy)	1122	948	85	56	32	1122	991	131	344	260	260	252	603	511	1122
	45%	45%	46%	51%	42%	45%	45%	47%	49%	42%	47%	44%	46%	45%	45%
A games console or handheld games player (like a PlayStation/ Xbox/ Nintendo Switch)	649	543	52	33	20	649	573	76	161	127	158	195	288	353	649
	26%	26%	28%	30%	27%	26%	26%	27%	23%	21%	29%	34%	22%	31%	26%
												abeg		abe	
A desktop computer/ laptop/ netbook	542	476	31	23	12	542	491	51	198	106	128	107	304	236	542
	22%	23%	17%	21%	16%	22%	22%	18%	28%	17%	23%	19%	23%	21%	22%
		d				d			bdf						
Other type of device	29	25	3	2	-	29	28	1	8	5	8	7	12	15	29
	1%	1%	1%	2%	-%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
None of these/ Child does not watch TV programmes or films	87	75	7	3	3	87	78	8	18	33	16	18	52	34	87
	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Don't know	10	9	1	-	-	10	8	2	-	2	-	7	2	7	10
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	1%	%	%	%	1%	%	1%	%
												ae			
SUMMARY															
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE	2383	2022	179	109	74	2383	2111	272	683	582	535	551	1265	1086	2383
	96%	96%	96%	98%	96%	96%	96%	96%	97%	94%	97%	96%	96%	96%	96%
EVER WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	1972	1671	149	91	61	1972	1737	234	586	463	441	457	1050	898	1972
	80%	79%	80%	81%	79%	80%	79%	83%	84%	75%	80%	79%	80%	80%	80%
									b						
ONLY WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON A DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	319	278	19	10	11	319	284	34	52	71	82	105	123	187	319
	13%	13%	10%	9%	14%	13%	13%	12%	7%	11%	15%	18%	9%	17%	13%
											ae	abeg		ae	ae

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
A television set	2065 83%	426 81%	1567 85%	367 82%	672 82%	714 90%	433 88%	1065 84%	487 80%
A tablet (like an iPad or Amazon Fire)	1293 52%	288 55%	968 52%	220 49%	413 50%	460 58%	270 55%	663 52%	304 50%
A mobile phone/ smartphone (like an iPhone/ Samsung Galaxy)	1122 45%	258 49%	831 45%	227 51%	373 46%	367 46%	230 46%	569 45%	272 45%
A games console or handheld games player (like a PlayStation/ Xbox/ Nintendo Switch)	649 26%	177 34%	454 25%	170 38%	240 29%	148 19%	112 23%	317 25%	194 32%
A desktop computer/ laptop/ netbook	542 22%	136 26%	389 21%	105 23%	189 23%	179 23%	131 26%	270 21%	122 20%
Other type of device	29 1%	6 1%	18 1%	2 *%	15 2%	3 *%	3 1%	15 1%	8 1%
None of these/ Child does not watch TV programmes or films	87 4%	11 2%	68 4%	13 3%	24 3%	21 3%	15 3%	37 3%	30 5%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Don't know	10	3	2	1	-	1	1	-	5
	%	1%	%	%	-%	%	%	-%	1%
									b
SUMMARY									
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE	2383	511	1780	434	795	768	479	1231	573
	96%	97%	96%	97%	97%	97%	97%	97%	94%
EVER WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	1972	454	1451	375	664	629	396	1003	490
	80%	86%	78%	84%	81%	80%	80%	79%	81%
		b							
ONLY WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON A DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	319	85	213	67	123	54	46	166	86
	13%	16%	12%	15%	15%	7%	9%	13%	14%
				c	c				

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP6. Which, if any, of these ways does your child ever watch TV programmes and films? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Paid-for on-demand services like Netflix, Amazon Prime Video or Disney+	1900	361	251	255	395	382	256	1262	638	941	930	151	892	806
	77%	77%	76%	74%	77%	75%	81%	76%	77%	75%	78%	78%	77%	77%
On other websites or apps like YouTube or Vimeo	1249	230	180	190	261	233	155	861	388	659	569	89	618	512
	50%	49%	55%	55%	51%	46%	49%	52%	47%	53%	48%	46%	53%	49%
Online or catch-up services like BBC iPlayer, ITVX or Channel 4	1145	183	140	142	253	276	152	717	428	559	571	65	498	550
	46%	39%	43%	41%	49%	54% abc	48%	43%	52% a	45%	48%	34%	43%	53% ab
As they are broadcast on scheduled TV	928	151	126	140	207	197	106	624	303	453	463	54	454	398
	37%	32%	38%	41%	41%	39%	33%	38%	37%	36%	39%	28%	39%	38%
TV that has been recorded by someone in the household	542	73	75	70	129	129	66	348	195	261	275	26	250	256
	22%	16%	23%	20%	25% a	25% a	21%	21%	24%	21%	23%	14%	21%	24% a
Rented or bought from online stores like Google Play Store, Sky Store or Apple TV+	369	57	49	46	83	87	47	236	134	181	184	23	163	175
	15%	12%	15%	14%	16%	17%	15%	14%	16%	14%	15%	12%	14%	17%
Blu rays/ DVDs/ videos	354	47	49	63	81	74	40	240	114	166	179	15	179	149
	14%	10%	15%	18% a	16%	15%	13%	15%	14%	13%	15%	8%	15%	14%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP6. Which, if any, of these ways does your child ever watch TV programmes and films? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
None of these	74 3%	17 4%	9 3%	5 1%	8 2%	21 4%	14 4%	39 2%	35 4%	39 3%	31 3%	11 6%	26 2%	29 3%
Don't know	17 1%	2 *%	2 1%	3 1%	5 1%	4 1%	1 *%	12 1%	6 1%	7 1%	7 1%	- -%	8 1%	8 1%

SUMMARY

WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2389 96%	454 96%	317 97%	336 98%	498 97%	482 95%	303 95%	1605 97%	784 95%	1200 96%	1152 97%	183 94%	1132 97%	1009 96%
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Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP6. Which, if any, of these ways does your child ever watch TV programmes and films? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Paid-for on-demand services like Netflix, Amazon Prime Video or Disney+	1900	186	172	130	119	126	127	196	195	177	193	127	123
	77%	77%	77%	77%	76%	73%	75%	77%	79%	70%	80%	80%	81%
On other websites or apps like YouTube or Vimeo	1249	127	100	99	79	103	85	126	130	119	106	84	69
	50%	53%	45%	59%	51%	60%	51%	50%	52%	47%	44%	53%	45%
						j							
Online or catch-up services like BBC iPlayer, ITVX or Channel 4	1145	81	101	77	62	78	62	115	133	138	133	69	80
	46%	33%	45%	46%	39%	46%	37%	45%	54%	55%	55%	44%	52%
									af	adf	adf		af
As they are broadcast on scheduled TV	928	71	79	64	61	81	57	105	100	88	104	43	62
	37%	29%	35%	38%	39%	47%	34%	41%	40%	35%	43%	27%	41%
						ak					k		
TV that has been recorded by someone in the household	542	36	36	36	39	41	29	55	70	54	75	39	27
	22%	15%	16%	21%	25%	24%	17%	22%	28%	22%	31%	25%	18%
									a		abfl		
Rented or bought from online stores like Google Play Store, Sky Store or Apple TV+	369	35	21	26	22	21	25	37	45	35	51	27	20
	15%	15%	9%	15%	14%	12%	15%	14%	18%	14%	21%	17%	13%
											b		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP6. Which, if any, of these ways does your child ever watch TV programmes and films? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Blu rays/ DVDs/ videos	354	23	23	28	20	37	27	30	49	30	39	17	21
	14%	10%	10%	17%	13%	21%	16%	12%	20%	12%	16%	11%	14%
None of these	74	9	6	4	5	2	3	4	4	11	10	9	3
	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	6%	2%
Don't know	17	*	2	2	-	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	-
	1%	*%	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-%

SUMMARY

WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS IN ANY OF THESE WAYS

2389	233	216	162	152	169	164	249	243	239	229	148	149
96%	96%	96%	96%	97%	98%	98%	98%	98%	95%	95%	93%	98%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP6. Which, if any, of these ways does your child ever watch TV programmes and films? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Paid-for on-demand services like Netflix, Amazon Prime Video or Disney+	1900	1601	149	89	60	1900	1664	236	578	497	411	391	1075	802	1900
	77%	76%	80%	80%	78%	77%	76%	83%	82% cdfg	80% df	75%	68%	82% cdfg	71%	77% df
On other websites or apps like YouTube or Vimeo	1249	1062	93	56	38	1249	1111	138	367	316	260	294	684	554	1249
	50%	50%	50%	50%	49%	50%	51%	49%	52%	51%	47%	51%	52%	49%	50%
Online or catch-up services like BBC iPlayer, ITVX or Channel 4	1145	981	84	54	26	1145	1012	133	420	288	233	195	707	428	1145
	46%	47% d	45% d	48% d	34%	46% d	46%	47%	60% bcdfg	47% df	42%	34%	54% cdfg	38%	46% df
As they are broadcast on scheduled TV	928	798	66	41	22	928	826	101	330	219	208	165	549	373	928
	37%	38% d	36%	36%	29%	37% d	38%	36%	47% bcdfg	36%	38%	29%	42% df	33%	37% d
TV that has been recorded by someone in the household	542	466	41	22	13	542	476	66	213	117	111	94	330	205	542
	22%	22%	22%	20%	17%	22%	22%	23%	30% bcdfg	19%	20%	16%	25% df	18%	22%
Rented or bought from online stores like Google Play Store, Sky Store or Apple TV+	369	311	33	16	10	369	318	52	153	80	75	56	234	131	369
	15%	15%	18%	15%	13%	15%	14%	18%	22% bcdfg	13%	14%	10%	18% df	12%	15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP6. Which, if any, of these ways does your child ever watch TV programmes and films? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Blu rays/ DVDs/ videos	354 14%	299 14%	33 18% d	14 13%	7 9%	354 14% d	302 14%	52 18%	101 14%	89 14%	75 14%	86 15%	190 14%	161 14%	354 14%
None of these	74 3%	64 3%	6 3%	1 1%	3 4%	74 3%	66 3%	7 3%	13 2%	21 3%	15 3%	20 3%	34 3%	34 3%	74 3%
Don't know	17 1%	15 1%	1 1%	1 1%	* *%	17 1%	14 1%	3 1%	- -%	1 *%	2 *%	13 2%	1 *%	15 1%	17 1%
												abeg		ae	

SUMMARY

WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS
IN ANY OF THESE WAYS

2389	2026	179	110	74	2389	2117	272	688	595	535	543	1283	1078	2389
96%	96%	96%	99%	96%	96%	96%	96%	98% d	96%	97%	94%	97% d	96%	96%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP6. Which, if any, of these ways does your child ever watch TV programmes and films? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Paid-for on-demand services like Netflix, Amazon Prime Video or Disney+	1900 77%	395 75%	1450 78%	323 72%	617 75%	681 86% ab	394 80%	986 78%	442 73%
On other websites or apps like YouTube or Vimeo	1249 50%	287 55%	918 50%	230 51%	427 52%	390 49%	230 47%	650 51%	317 52%
Online or catch-up services like BBC iPlayer, ITVX or Channel 4	1145 46%	229 44%	873 47%	176 39%	359 44%	452 57% ab	263 53% c	611 48% c	223 37%
As they are broadcast on scheduled TV	928 37%	163 31%	744 40% a	147 33%	278 34%	379 48% ab	232 47% bc	465 37%	198 33%
TV that has been recorded by someone in the household	542 22%	89 17%	439 24% a	84 19%	165 20%	232 29% ab	149 30% bc	262 21%	112 19%
Rented or bought from online stores like Google Play Store, Sky Store or Apple TV+	369 15%	89 17%	263 14%	57 13%	113 14%	162 21% ab	92 19%	181 14%	83 14%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Blu rays/ DVDs/ videos	354 14%	81 15%	261 14%	47 11%	141 17% a	116 15%	69 14%	187 15%	74 12%
None of these	74 3%	12 2%	52 3%	12 3%	21 3%	16 2%	18 4%	25 2%	25 4%
Don't know	17 1%	4 1%	3 *%	3 1%	1 *%	2 *%	2 *%	3 *%	6 1%
SUMMARY									
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2389 96%	509 97%	1795 97%	433 97%	797 97%	771 98%	475 96%	1239 98% c	577 95%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP25. Thinking about all the sorts of things your child may do online – including searching for information, online shopping, watching things online, communicating with others, and so on... How much do you feel you know about what your child is doing online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
A lot	1285	304	197	221	281	190	92	1003	282	655	610	120	719	422
	54%	76%	63%	66%	55%	38%	29%	64%	34%	55%	53%	81%	64%	40%
		bdef	ef	def	ef			b				bc	c	
Some	858	56	86	98	202	249	166	443	415	428	418	12	312	497
	36%	14%	27%	30%	40%	49%	52%	28%	50%	36%	36%	8%	28%	48%
			a	a	ab	abc	abcd		a				a	ab
Not very much	211	29	24	13	25	66	54	92	120	99	108	12	69	119
	9%	7%	8%	4%	5%	13%	17%	6%	15%	8%	9%	8%	6%	11%
						cd	abcd		a					b
Nothing	23	9	5	-	3	-	6	17	6	12	10	5	11	5
	1%	2%	2%	-%	1%	-%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	-%
												c		
Don't know	4	1	2	-	-	-	*	4	*	3	1	*	3	*
	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
A lot	1285	158	145	103	94	110	109	152	122	87	95	45	45
	54%	78%	75%	64%	62%	65%	68%	60%	49%	35%	40%	29%	29%
		dghijkl	hijkl	ijkl	ijkl	hijkl	hijkl	ijkl	kl				
Some	858	29	27	44	42	51	45	94	108	130	113	79	83
	36%	14%	14%	28%	28%	31%	28%	37%	43%	52%	47%	50%	54%
				b	ab	ab	ab	ab	abcdef	abcdefg	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefg
Not very much	211	10	19	10	13	7	6	8	15	32	32	30	22
	9%	5%	10%	6%	9%	4%	4%	3%	6%	13%	13%	19%	15%
										efg	efg	acefgh	efg
Nothing	23	6	3	2	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	4	2
	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	3%	1%
Don't know	4	1	*	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
	*%	*%	*%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP25. Thinking about all the sorts of things your child may do online – including searching for information, online shopping, watching things online, communicating with others, and so on... How much do you feel you know about what your child is doing online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
A lot	1285	1082	102	64	37	1285	1145	140	363	312	277	311	675	589	1285
	54%	54%	57%	59%	50%	54%	54%	52%	53%	54%	53%	56%	53%	54%	54%
Some	858	731	66	32	29	858	757	101	247	215	209	182	461	391	858
	36%	36%	37%	30%	39%	36%	36%	37%	36%	37%	40%	33%	36%	36%	36%
Not very much	211	184	11	9	7	211	186	26	71	56	27	52	127	80	211
	9%	9%	6%	8%	9%	9%	9%	10%	10%	10%	5%	9%	10%	7%	9%
Nothing	23	20	1	1	1	23	20	3	4	-	8	10	4	18	23
	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-%	2%	2%	*%	2%	1%
											be		e		
Don't know	4	2	-	2	*	4	4	*	*	*	*	3	*	4	4
	*%	*%	-%	2%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%	*%
				ae											

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP25. Thinking about all the sorts of things your child may do online – including searching for information, online shopping, watching things online, communicating with others, and so on... How much do you feel you know about what your child is doing online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
A lot	1285	275	965	243	398	434	290	637	296
	54%	54%	54%	56%	51%	57%	60%	52%	51%
Some	858	189	634	152	314	265	152	468	212
	36%	37%	36%	35%	40%	35%	31%	39%	37%
Not very much	211	41	160	37	68	62	35	101	64
	9%	8%	9%	8%	9%	8%	7%	8%	11%
Nothing	23	4	14	5	4	3	8	9	4
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Don't know	4	*	3	*	*	*	-	2	*
	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP26. Thinking about all the sorts of things your child may do online – including searching for information, online shopping, watching things online, communicating with others, and so on... Do you have any of these rules about what your child does online? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Rules about the video content they watch online	1617 68%	291 73%	260 82%	269 81%	365 71%	300 59%	132 42%	1185 76%	432 52%	812 68%	780 68%	103 69%	882 79%	607 58%
		ef	ade	def	ef	f		b					c	
Rules about the types of websites or apps they can use	1581 66%	263 66%	242 77%	248 75%	391 76%	307 61%	129 41%	1144 73%	437 53%	781 65%	774 68%	92 61%	828 74%	635 61%
		f	aef	ef	aef	f		b					ac	
Rules about who they can contact online	1514 64%	177 44%	198 63%	248 75%	401 78%	332 66%	159 50%	1024 66%	490 60%	735 62%	751 66%	71 48%	727 65%	687 66%
			af	abf	abef	af							a	a
Rules about spending money online	1511 63%	172 43%	214 68%	227 68%	353 69%	373 74%	172 54%	966 62%	545 66%	780 65%	704 61%	68 46%	695 62%	717 69%
			af	af	af	af							a	a
Rules about the information they can share online	1422 60%	159 40%	197 63%	216 65%	362 71%	330 65%	157 49%	934 60%	487 59%	683 57%	711 62%	65 44%	665 60%	665 64%
			af	af	af	af							a	a
Rules about how much time they spend online	1412 59%	269 67%	234 74%	257 77%	302 59%	252 50%	98 31%	1062 68%	350 43%	720 60%	665 58%	99 66%	786 71%	509 49%
		ef	def	def	f	f		b				c	c	
Rules about when they can go online	1251 53%	237 59%	214 68%	241 72%	274 54%	204 40%	80 25%	966 62%	284 35%	629 53%	600 52%	93 63%	726 65%	410 39%
		ef	def	ade	ef	f		b				c	c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP26. Thinking about all the sorts of things your child may do online – including searching for information, online shopping, watching things online, communicating with others, and so on... Do you have any of these rules about what your child does online? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Other rules	66	20	11	11	8	11	6	49	16	27	37	11	35	18
	3%	5%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	8%	3%	2%
												c		
No, do not have any rules	163	38	6	7	8	27	76	60	103	89	73	15	39	89
	7%	10%	2%	2%	2%	5%	24%	4%	13%	7%	6%	10%	3%	9%
		bcd					abcde		a			b		b
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES	2218	361	309	325	503	478	242	1499	720	1107	1074	134	1076	954
	93%	90%	98%	98%	98%	95%	76%	96%	87%	93%	94%	90%	97%	91%
		f	af	af	af	f		b					ac	

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Rules about the video content they watch online	1617	151	138	135	125	134	134	186	171	139	149	66	64
	68%	74%	71%	83%	82%	80%	84%	73%	69%	56%	62%	41%	42%
		ikl	kl	hijkl	hijkl	ijkl	hijkl	ikl	kl		kl		
Rules about the types of websites or apps they can use	1581	136	127	116	125	125	121	194	190	150	146	61	65
	66%	67%	65%	72%	82%	74%	76%	76%	77%	60%	61%	38%	43%
		kl	kl	kl	abijkl	ikl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	kl	kl		
Rules about who they can contact online	1514	84	93	100	97	129	117	207	187	141	177	74	80
	64%	41%	48%	62%	64%	77%	73%	81%	75%	57%	74%	47%	53%
				a	abk	abcikl	abikl	abcdikl	abikl		abikl		
Rules about spending money online	1511	90	80	111	103	126	100	178	168	182	176	93	77
	63%	44%	41%	69%	68%	75%	63%	70%	67%	73%	73%	59%	50%
				abl	abl	abkl	ab	abl	abl	abkl	abkl	b	
Rules about the information they can share online	1422	79	81	97	99	114	99	174	183	147	168	72	81
	60%	39%	42%	60%	65%	68%	62%	68%	74%	59%	70%	46%	54%
				ab	abk	abk	abk	abkl	abikl	ab	abkl		
Rules about how much time they spend online	1412	137	130	125	110	133	121	151	144	124	115	52	45
	59%	67%	67%	77%	72%	79%	76%	59%	58%	49%	48%	33%	30%
		ijkl	ijkl	ghijkl	hijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	kl	kl	kl	kl		
Rules about when they can go online	1251	120	115	104	109	128	109	148	124	89	106	39	37
	53%	59%	60%	65%	72%	76%	68%	58%	50%	35%	44%	25%	25%
		ikl	ikl	ijkl	hijkl	abghijkl	hijkl	ikl	kl		kl		

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Other rules	66	8	12	5	6	6	6	1	4	4	7	3	2
	3%	4%	6%	3%	4%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%
No, do not have any rules	163	24	14	4	2	7	1	2	6	16	11	36	39
	7%	12%	7%	2%	1%	4%	*%	1%	3%	7%	4%	23%	26%
		cd	efgh							f		bcdefghij	abcdefghij
SUMMARY													
ANY RULES	2218	179	180	158	150	162	160	252	242	233	230	122	113
	93%	88%	93%	98%	99%	96%	100%	99%	97%	93%	96%	77%	74%
		l	kl	akl	akl	kl	abkl	abkl	akl	kl	kl		

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Rules about the video content they watch online	1617 68%	1363 67%	126 70%	75 69%	53 72%	1617 68%	1429 68%	187 70%	498 73% df	395 68%	353 68%	352 63%	894 70% d	705 65%	1617 68%
Rules about the types of websites or apps they can use	1581 66%	1329 66%	124 69%	77 71%	51 69%	1581 66%	1410 67%	171 63%	466 68%	408 70%	332 64%	361 65%	874 69%	692 64%	1581 66%
Rules about who they can contact online	1514 64%	1275 63%	121 67%	71 65%	48 65%	1514 64%	1334 63%	180 67%	435 64%	388 67%	326 63%	347 62%	824 65%	674 62%	1514 64%
Rules about spending money online	1511 63%	1274 63%	120 67%	69 64%	48 65%	1511 63%	1338 63%	173 64%	447 65%	379 65%	330 63%	338 60%	826 65%	668 62%	1511 63%
Rules about the information they can share online	1422 60%	1196 59%	110 61%	68 63%	47 64%	1422 60%	1252 59%	170 63%	442 64% df	349 60%	307 59%	310 55%	791 62%	617 57%	1422 60%
Rules about how much time they spend online	1412 59%	1189 59%	116 65%	64 60%	42 57%	1412 59%	1264 60%	148 55%	426 62% d	370 63% d	311 59%	293 52%	795 63% df	603 56%	1412 59%
Rules about when they can go online	1251 53%	1052 52%	103 57%	58 53%	38 52%	1251 53%	1108 52%	143 53%	388 57% df	339 58% cdf	252 48%	251 45%	728 57% cdf	503 47%	1251 53% df
Other rules	66 3%	57 3%	4 2%	4 3%	1 2%	66 3%	52 2%	13 5%	18 3%	13 2%	17 3%	14 3%	30 2%	32 3%	66 3%

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
No, do not have any rules	163	143	8	8	4	163	143	20	31	47	34	47	78	81	163
	7%	7%	5%	8%	5%	7%	7%	7%	5%	8%	7%	8%	6%	8%	7%
SUMMARY															
ANY RULES	2218	1877	172	99	70	2218	1969	250	654	536	488	512	1189	999	2218
	93%	93%	95%	92%	95%	93%	93%	93%	95%	92%	93%	92%	94%	92%	93%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Rules about the video content they watch online	1617 68%	346 68%	1218 69%	272 62%	522 67%	559 73%	315 65%	833 69%	398 69%
Rules about the types of websites or apps they can use	1581 66%	348 68%	1173 66%	269 62%	516 66%	518 68%	320 66%	797 66%	393 68%
Rules about who they can contact online	1514 64%	336 66%	1122 63%	261 60%	504 64%	493 64%	274 57%	799 66%	372 64%
Rules about spending money online	1511 63%	325 64%	1137 64%	245 56%	509 65%	510 67%	290 60%	782 64%	371 64%
Rules about the information they can share online	1422 60%	309 61%	1060 60%	244 56%	462 59%	482 63%	297 61%	735 60%	332 57%
Rules about how much time they spend online	1412 59%	267 53%	1095 62%	239 55%	456 58%	473 62%	293 61%	744 61%	311 54%
Rules about when they can go online	1251 53%	272 53%	935 53%	217 50%	395 50%	430 56%	258 53%	643 53%	290 50%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Other rules	66 3%	12 2%	51 3%	6 1%	17 2%	32 4%	19 4%	27 2%	17 3%
No, do not have any rules	163 7%	26 5%	127 7%	43 10%	47 6%	40 5%	26 5%	75 6%	53 9%
SUMMARY									
ANY RULES	2218 93%	483 95%	1649 93%	395 90%	737 94%	724 95%	457 95%	1141 94%	524 91%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP27. When your child goes online, on any devices, would you usually supervise them in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Asking about what they are doing or have been doing online	1387	166	170	216	359	325	151	911	477	710	652	37	678	646
	58%	42%	54%	65%	70%	64%	48%	58%	58%	59%	57%	25%	61%	62%
			a	abf	abf	af							a	a
Being nearby and regularly checking what they do	1265	265	236	252	284	177	52	1037	229	681	571	92	802	358
	53%	66%	75%	76%	55%	35%	16%	67%	28%	57%	50%	62%	72%	34%
		ef	def	def	ef	f		b		b		c	c	
Check the browser/ device history after they have been online	847	106	104	158	248	178	54	615	232	428	406	30	441	368
	36%	27%	33%	48%	48%	35%	17%	39%	28%	36%	35%	20%	40%	35%
		f	f	abef	abef	f		b					a	a
Sitting beside them and watching or helping them while they are online	648	236	133	126	87	45	20	582	66	347	292	108	433	102
	27%	59%	42%	38%	17%	9%	6%	37%	8%	29%	25%	72%	39%	10%
		bcdef	def	def	ef			b				bc	c	
Other types of supervision	220	21	25	40	64	47	23	150	70	106	108	9	108	98
	9%	5%	8%	12%	13%	9%	7%	10%	8%	9%	9%	6%	10%	9%
				a	a									
No, don't supervise their online access and use	248	8	3	8	24	84	121	43	205	124	120	*	19	198
	10%	2%	1%	2%	5%	17%	38%	3%	25%	10%	11%	***	2%	19%
					b	abcd	abcde		a					ab

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QP27. When your child goes online, on any devices, would you usually supervise them in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
SUMMARY														
ANY TYPES OF SUPERVISION	2134	391	313	324	488	421	197	1516	618	1071	1026	149	1096	846
	90%	98%	99%	98%	95%	83%	62%	97%	75%	90%	89%	100%	98%	81%
		ef	def	ef	ef	f		b				c	c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Asking about what they are doing or have been doing online	1387	93	73	88	81	105	107	186	167	160	154	78	71
	58%	46%	38%	55%	54%	62%	67%	73%	67%	64%	64%	49%	47%
				b		abl	abkl	abcdkl	abkl	abkl	abl		
Being nearby and regularly checking what they do	1265	140	125	117	118	131	118	166	114	94	79	33	18
	53%	69%	64%	72%	78%	78%	74%	66%	46%	38%	33%	21%	12%
		hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	kl	kl	l		
Check the browser/ device history after they have been online	847	63	43	47	55	82	76	121	124	89	81	25	27
	36%	31%	22%	29%	36%	49%	47%	48%	50%	36%	33%	16%	18%
		k		k	kl	abckl	abckl	abckl	abcjkl	kl	kl		
Sitting beside them and watching or helping them while they are online	648	122	111	72	60	68	56	47	40	23	18	13	7
	27%	60%	57%	45%	40%	40%	35%	19%	16%	9%	8%	8%	5%
		defghijkl	defghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	jl	l				
Other types of supervision	220	12	9	14	11	16	24	30	32	21	24	13	8
	9%	6%	5%	9%	7%	9%	15%	12%	13%	8%	10%	8%	5%
							bl						
No, don't supervise their online access and use	248	4	4	1	1	7	1	11	13	48	36	54	65
	10%	2%	2%	*	1%	4%	1%	4%	5%	19%	15%	34%	43%
										abcdefgh	abcdefgh	abcdefghij	abcdefghij

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
SUMMARY													
ANY TYPES OF SUPERVISION	2134	199	190	161	150	162	159	243	236	202	204	105	87
	90%	98%	98%	100%	99%	96%	99%	96%	95%	81%	85%	66%	57%
		ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	kl	kl		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP27. When your child goes online, on any devices, would you usually supervise them in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Asking about what they are doing or have been doing online	1387 58%	1175 58%	105 58%	66 61%	42 56%	1387 58%	1239 59%	149 55%	437 64% df	340 58%	321 62% d	276 49%	778 61% d	597 55%	1387 58% d
Being nearby and regularly checking what they do	1265 53%	1077 53%	93 52%	57 53%	39 53%	1265 53%	1119 53%	147 54%	357 52%	323 55%	288 55%	285 51%	680 54%	573 53%	1265 53%
Check the browser/ device history after they have been online	847 36%	716 35%	62 35%	41 38%	28 38%	847 36%	756 36%	91 34%	246 36%	184 32%	183 35%	220 39%	431 34%	403 37%	847 36%
Sitting beside them and watching or helping them while they are online	648 27%	541 27%	55 31%	33 31%	18 24%	648 27%	578 27%	69 26%	205 30% c	159 27%	113 22%	159 28%	364 29%	271 25%	648 27%
Other types of supervision	220 9%	184 9%	22 12%	9 8%	6 8%	220 9%	198 9%	22 8%	63 9%	59 10%	40 8%	48 9%	123 10%	88 8%	220 9%
No, don't supervise their online access and use	248 10%	210 10%	20 11%	10 9%	7 10%	248 10%	211 10%	36 14%	70 10%	59 10%	58 11%	57 10%	129 10%	115 11%	248 10%
SUMMARY															
ANY TYPES OF SUPERVISION	2134 90%	1810 90%	160 89%	98 91%	67 90%	2134 90%	1900 90%	233 86%	615 90%	524 90%	464 89%	502 90%	1139 90%	966 89%	2134 90%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP27. When your child goes online, on any devices, would you usually supervise them in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Asking about what they are doing or have been doing online	1387 58%	300 59%	1035 58%	252 57%	434 55%	484 63%	303 63%	704 58%	321 56%
Being nearby and regularly checking what they do	1265 53%	262 52%	949 53%	232 53%	417 53%	396 52%	247 51%	649 53%	305 53%
Check the browser/ device history after they have been online	847 36%	213 42%	608 34%	178 41%	272 35%	269 35%	162 34%	416 34%	227 39%
Sitting beside them and watching or helping them while they are online	648 27%	134 26%	487 27%	113 26%	206 26%	217 28%	146 30%	330 27%	139 24%
Other types of supervision	220 9%	51 10%	161 9%	22 5%	75 10%	86 11%	60 12%	111 9%	32 6%
No, don't supervise their online access and use	248 10%	43 8%	193 11%	46 10%	81 10%	72 9%	32 7%	138 11%	65 11%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP27. When your child goes online, on any devices, would you usually supervise them in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
SUMMARY									
ANY TYPES OF SUPERVISION	2134	466	1583	392	702	693	451	1078	512
	90%	92%	89%	90%	90%	91%	93%	89%	89%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 20

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QP28. Have you ever talked to your child about how to stay safe online? For example, have you ever discussed with them the potential dangers of things like content on sites or apps that might be unsuitable for their age, sharing too much information online, contact with people they don't know personally, and so on? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Yes	2080	235	262	308	492	482	301	1297	783	1027	1017	87	925	1002
	87%	59%	83%	93%	96%	95%	95%	83%	95%	86%	89%	58%	83%	96%
			a	ab	ab	ab	ab		a				a	ab
No	277	160	45	20	18	20	15	242	35	158	116	62	171	38
	12%	40%	14%	6%	4%	4%	5%	16%	4%	13%	10%	41%	15%	4%
		bcdef	cdef					b				bc	c	
Don't know	24	5	8	4	2	3	2	19	5	10	13	1	18	4
	1%	1%	3%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Yes	2080	119	114	132	128	155	150	240	243	234	234	148	148
	87%	58%	59%	82%	85%	92%	93%	95%	98%	94%	97%	93%	97%
				ab	ab	ab	abc	abcd	abcd	abc	abcd	abc	abcd
No	277	81	79	27	17	13	6	14	5	14	6	10	3
	12%	40%	41%	17%	11%	8%	4%	5%	2%	5%	2%	6%	2%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl	fghijkl	hjl								
Don't know	24	4	*	3	6	-	4	-	2	3	1	1	1
	1%	2%	*%	2%	4%	-%	3%	-%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Yes	2080 87%	1764 87%	157 87%	97 90%	63 85%	2080 87%	1849 88%	231 86%	609 89%	496 85%	463 89%	483 86%	1105 87%	946 87%	2080 87%
No	277 12%	236 12%	22 12%	9 9%	10 14%	277 12%	242 11%	35 13%	73 11%	83 14%	55 11%	62 11%	157 12%	118 11%	277 12%
Don't know	24 1%	21 1%	1 *%	2 2%	1 2%	24 1%	21 1%	4 1%	3 *%	4 1%	4 1%	13 2%	6 1%	18 2%	24 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Yes	2080 87%	451 89%	1549 87%	388 89%	684 87%	669 87%	428 89%	1052 87%	509 88%
No	277 12%	55 11%	211 12%	44 10%	92 12%	94 12%	50 10%	152 13%	64 11%
Don't know	24 1%	3 1%	16 1%	5 1%	7 1%	2 *	6 1%	12 1%	4 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP29. Which of these best describes how often you talk to your child about how to stay safe online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents who have ever talked to their child aged 3-17 about how to stay safe online

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	2095	197	330	377	400	403	388	1304	791	1031	1032	68	1007	928
Effective Weighted Sample	1410	137	227	262	282	284	279	874	536	694	698	50	677	635
Total	2080	235	262	308	492	482	301	1297	783	1027	1017	87	925	1002
At least every few weeks	1070	155	147	195	255	220	98	752	318	538	517	**	539	449
	51%	66%	56%	63%	52%	46%	33%	58%	41%	52%	51%	**	58%	45%
		def	f	def	f	f		b					c	
At least every few months	578	48	73	74	170	142	72	364	215	289	281	**	251	288
	28%	20%	28%	24%	34%	30%	24%	28%	27%	28%	28%	**	27%	29%
				acf										
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344	23	31	33	56	104	96	144	200	167	168	**	104	220
	17%	10%	12%	11%	11%	22%	32%	11%	26%	16%	17%	**	11%	22%
						abcd	abcde		a					b
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72	7	7	5	7	13	32	26	45	30	41	**	22	41
	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	3%	11%	2%	6%	3%	4%	**	2%	4%
							abcde		a					
Don't know	16	2	3	1	4	2	3	11	5	4	10	**	10	4
	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	**	1%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP29. Which of these best describes how often you talk to your child about how to stay safe online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents who have ever talked to their child aged 3-17 about how to stay safe online

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	~b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2095	102	93	159	167	188	184	193	201	200	195	189	192
Effective Weighted Sample	1410	69	67	110	116	131	128	135	142	143	136	132	142
Total	2080	119	114	132	128	155	150	240	243	234	234	148	148
At least every few weeks	1070	84	**	74	72	95	99	139	116	99	110	47	50
	51%	70%	**	56%	56%	61%	66%	58%	48%	43%	47%	32%	34%
		hijkl		kl	kl	ikl	hijkl	kl	k				
At least every few months	578	22	**	39	34	41	31	72	93	80	62	36	35
	28%	18%	**	29%	26%	26%	20%	30%	38%	34%	27%	24%	24%
									afl				
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344	12	**	15	17	17	16	28	25	46	54	50	45
	17%	10%	**	11%	13%	11%	11%	12%	10%	20%	23%	34%	31%
											efh	acdefghi	acdefgh
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72	*	**	4	2	3	2	1	6	6	7	15	16
	3%	%	**	3%	2%	2%	2%	%	3%	3%	3%	10%	11%
												adefgi	adefghi
Don't know	16	1	**	-	3	-	1	-	2	2	-	*	1
	1%	1%	**	-%	3%	-%	1%	-%	1%	1%	-%	%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2095	1176	308	315	296	2095	1775	320	750	492	379	452	1242	831	2095
Effective Weighted Sample	1410	1059	286	303	279	1410	1223	195	498	333	268	315	823	581	1410
Total	2080	1764	157	97	63	2080	1849	231	609	496	463	483	1105	946	2080
At least every few weeks	1070 51%	912 52%	73 47%	53 54%	32 51%	1070 51%	957 52%	113 49%	280 46%	251 51%	239 52%	287 59%	532 48%	526 56%	1070 51%
At least every few months	578 28%	484 27%	51 33%	25 26%	18 28%	578 28%	505 27%	74 32%	196 32%	147 30%	133 29%	96 20%	343 31%	229 24%	578 28%
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344 17%	291 16%	27 17%	15 15%	11 17%	344 17%	305 16%	39 17%	118 19%	83 17%	63 14%	73 15%	201 18%	135 14%	344 17%
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72 3%	62 4%	4 3%	4 4%	2 3%	72 3%	67 4%	5 2%	12 2%	15 3%	24 5%	21 4%	27 2%	45 5%	72 3%
Don't know	16 1%	14 1%	1 1%	* *%	* 1%	16 1%	15 1%	2 1%	2 *%	- -%	4 1%	7 1%	2 *%	11 1%	16 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP29. Which of these best describes how often you talk to your child about how to stay safe online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents who have ever talked to their child aged 3-17 about how to stay safe online

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2095	452	1566	372	705	695	447	1069	500
Effective Weighted Sample	1410	306	1053	255	460	477	298	714	341
Total	2080	451	1549	388	684	669	428	1052	509
At least every few weeks	1070 51%	254 56%	777 50%	235 60%	357 52%	304 45%	217 51%	508 48%	299 59%
At least every few months	578 28%	119 26%	435 28%	87 23%	196 29%	221 33%	134 31%	314 30%	117 23%
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344 17%	58 13%	272 18%	50 13%	105 15%	119 18%	66 15%	186 18%	69 14%
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72 3%	13 3%	58 4%	14 4%	24 4%	23 3%	8 2%	42 4%	18 4%
Don't know	16 1%	7 2%	7 *%	2 *%	2 *%	2 *%	3 1%	2 *%	6 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP29. Which of these best describes how often you talk to your child about how to stay safe online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
At least every few weeks	1070 45%	155 39%	147 47%	195 59%	255 50%	220 44%	98 31%	752 48%	318 39%	538 45%	517 45%	60 40%	539 48%	449 43%
			f	abef	f	f		b						
At least every few months	578 24%	48 12%	73 23%	74 22%	170 33%	142 28%	72 23%	364 23%	215 26%	289 24%	281 25%	21 14%	251 23%	288 28%
			a	a	abcf	a	a							a
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344 14%	23 6%	31 10%	33 10%	56 11%	104 21%	96 30%	144 9%	200 24%	167 14%	168 15%	4 3%	104 9%	220 21%
						abcd	abcde		a					ab
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72 3%	7 2%	7 2%	5 2%	7 1%	13 3%	32 10%	26 2%	45 6%	30 2%	41 4%	- -%	22 2%	41 4%
							abcde		a					
Don't know	16 1%	2 1%	3 1%	1 *%	4 1%	2 *%	3 1%	11 1%	5 1%	4 *%	10 1%	2 1%	10 1%	4 *%
HAVE NOT TALKED TO THEIR CHILD ABOUT HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE	302 13%	165 41%	53 17%	24 7%	20 4%	23 5%	17 5%	261 17%	40 5%	169 14%	130 11%	62 42%	190 17%	41 4%
		bcdef	cdef					b				bc	c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP29. Which of these best describes how often you talk to your child about how to stay safe online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
At least every few weeks	1070 45%	84 41%	70 36%	74 46%	72 48%	95 56%	99 62%	139 55%	116 47%	99 40%	110 46%	47 29%	50 33%
				k	k	bikl	abchijkl	bkl	k		k		
At least every few months	578 24%	22 11%	26 13%	39 24%	34 22%	41 24%	31 19%	72 28%	93 37%	80 32%	62 26%	36 22%	35 23%
				a		a		ab	abdfkl	ab	a		a
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344 14%	12 6%	11 5%	15 9%	17 11%	17 10%	16 10%	28 11%	25 10%	46 18%	54 22%	50 31%	45 30%
										ab	abcefh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72 3%	* *%	7 3%	4 3%	2 2%	3 2%	2 1%	1 *%	6 3%	6 2%	7 3%	15 10%	16 10%
												adefg	adefghi
Don't know	16 1%	1 *%	2 1%	- -%	3 2%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	2 1%	2 1%	- -%	* *%	1 1%
HAVE NOT TALKED TO THEIR CHILD ABOUT HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE	302 13%	85 42%	79 41%	29 18%	23 15%	13 8%	11 7%	14 5%	6 2%	16 6%	6 3%	11 7%	4 3%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl	fghijkl	ghjl								

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP29. Which of these best describes how often you talk to your child about how to stay safe online? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
At least every few weeks	1070 45%	912 45%	73 41%	53 49%	32 43%	1070 45%	957 45%	113 42%	280 41%	251 43%	239 46%	287 51% ae	532 42%	526 49% ae	1070 45%
At least every few months	578 24%	484 24%	51 28%	25 23%	18 24%	578 24%	505 24%	74 27%	196 29% df	147 25% d	133 26% d	96 17%	343 27% df	229 21%	578 24% d
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344 14%	291 14%	27 15%	15 14%	11 14%	344 14%	305 14%	39 14%	118 17%	83 14%	63 12%	73 13%	201 16%	135 13%	344 14%
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72 3%	62 3%	4 2%	4 3%	2 2%	72 3%	67 3%	5 2%	12 2%	15 3%	24 5%	21 4%	27 2%	45 4%	72 3%
Don't know	16 1%	14 1%	1 1%	* *% *	* *% *	16 1%	15 1%	2 1%	2 *% -	- -% 4	4 1%	7 1%	2 *% 1	11 1%	16 1%
HAVE NOT TALKED TO THEIR CHILD ABOUT HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE	302 13%	256 13%	23 13%	11 10%	11 15%	302 13%	263 12%	38 14%	76 11%	87 15%	59 11%	76 14%	163 13%	135 13%	302 13%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
At least every few weeks	1070 45%	254 50%	777 44%	235 54% c	357 46%	304 40%	217 45%	508 42%	299 52% b
At least every few months	578 24%	119 23%	435 25%	87 20%	196 25%	221 29% a	134 28%	314 26%	117 20%
Less often than every few months, but more than once	344 14%	58 11%	272 15%	50 11%	105 13%	119 16%	66 14%	186 15%	69 12%
Have talked to them once, and not since then	72 3%	13 3%	58 3%	14 3%	24 3%	23 3%	8 2%	42 3%	18 3%
Don't know	16 1%	7 1%	7 *%	2 *%	2 *%	2 *%	3 1%	2 *%	6 1%
HAVE NOT TALKED TO THEIR CHILD ABOUT HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE	302 13%	58 11%	227 13%	49 11%	100 13%	96 13%	56 11%	164 13%	68 12%

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QP31. Before today, were you aware of any of these types of technical tools or controls – whether or not you use them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	1657 67%	315 67%	222 68%	234 68%	356 70%	337 66%	193 61%	1127 68%	530 64%	848 68%	782 66%	131 68%	792 68%	691 66%
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	1529 62%	292 62%	229 70% ef	225 66% f	322 63% f	296 58%	164 52%	1068 65% b	460 56%	786 63%	717 60%	126 65%	761 65% c	611 58%
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	1457 59%	269 57%	190 58%	199 58%	324 63%	292 58%	182 57%	983 59%	474 57%	760 61%	669 56%	119 61%	671 58%	626 60%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	1373	264	197	213	309	260	129	984	390	671	678	115	689	541
	55%	56%	60%	62%	60%	51%	41%	59%	47%	54%	57%	59%	59%	52%
		f	f	ef	f	f		b					c	
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	1220	226	182	191	281	226	115	879	341	609	589	98	619	474
	49%	48%	55%	56%	55%	45%	36%	53%	41%	49%	49%	51%	53%	45%
		f	ef	ef	f			b					c	
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	1174	211	174	182	266	222	119	833	341	601	551	91	588	472
	47%	45%	53%	53%	52%	44%	38%	50%	41%	48%	46%	47%	50%	45%
			f	f	f			b						
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	1010	192	143	153	227	184	110	715	294	504	483	91	490	404
	41%	41%	44%	45%	44%	36%	35%	43%	36%	40%	41%	47%	42%	39%
								b						

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
None of these	136	29	10	9	17	35	35	66	70	57	75	13	41	73
	5%	6%	3%	3%	3%	7%	11%	4%	8%	5%	6%	6%	4%	7%
							bcd		a					b
Don't know	44	3	6	5	10	9	10	24	19	22	19	*	16	21
	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%

SUMMARY

AWARE OF ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS

	2301	440	311	329	484	463	273	1564	736	1169	1097	181	1109	951
	93%	93%	95%	96%	95%	91%	86%	95%	89%	94%	92%	93%	95%	91%
		f	f	f	f			b					c	

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	1657 67%	169 70%	143 64%	113 67%	108 69%	119 69%	113 67%	191 75% k	159 64%	161 64%	166 69%	96 60%	94 62%
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	1529 62%	153 63%	136 61%	116 69% kl	111 71% kl	122 71% kl	102 61%	168 66% l	148 60%	144 57%	144 60%	84 53%	75 50%
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	1457 59%	148 61%	120 53%	96 57%	92 59%	103 60%	94 56%	180 71% bfhil	138 55%	138 55%	144 60%	94 59%	82 54%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	1373 55%	136 56% k	126 56% k	104 62% ikl	92 59% kl	103 60% kl	110 66% ikl	148 58% kl	155 62% ikl	117 46%	131 54%	63 40%	64 42%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	1220 49%	115 47% l	109 49% l	92 55% l	88 56% kl	94 55% l	96 57% kl	136 54% l	139 56% kl	108 43%	107 45%	63 40%	49 32%
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	1174 47%	105 43%	105 47%	92 55% l	80 51% l	93 54% l	89 53% l	141 55% l	119 48%	106 42%	106 44%	65 41%	52 34%
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	1010 41%	105 43%	85 38%	74 44%	68 43%	72 42%	80 48% i	123 48% i	99 40%	77 31%	99 41%	53 33%	52 34%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
None of these	136	9	18	7	3	5	3	4	13	21	13	11	24
	5%	4%	8%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	5%	8%	6%	7%	16%
										g			acdefghj
Don't know	44	1	2	2	4	5	-	2	6	5	4	7	3
	2%	*%	1%	1%	3%	3%	-%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%
SUMMARY													
AWARE OF ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	2301	233	204	160	150	162	164	248	230	225	223	141	125
	93%	96%	91%	95%	96%	94%	98%	98%	92%	90%	93%	89%	83%
		l		l	l	l	ikl	ikl					

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	1657 67%	1401 67%	130 70%	77 69%	50 65%	1657 67%	1460 66%	197 70%	484 69%	413 67%	372 67%	366 63%	896 68%	738 65%	1657 67%
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	1529 62%	1290 61%	122 66%	72 64%	45 58%	1529 62%	1340 61%	188 67%	451 64%	394 64%	331 60%	333 58%	845 64%	664 59%	1529 62%
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	1457 59%	1247 59%	109 59%	59 53%	42 55%	1457 59%	1288 59%	169 60%	445 64% f	369 60%	302 55%	320 56%	814 62% f	623 55%	1457 59%

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	1373 55%	1161 55%	111 60%	62 56%	39 50%	1373 55%	1219 55%	154 54%	388 55%	364 59%	293 53%	308 54%	752 57%	601 53%	1373 55%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	1220 49%	1033 49%	98 53%	53 47%	37 48%	1220 49%	1062 48%	158 56%	348 50%	318 51%	279 51%	262 46%	665 50%	541 48%	1220 49%
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	1174 47%	987 47%	98 52%	56 50%	33 44%	1174 47%	1016 46%	158 56% a	345 49%	297 48%	248 45%	271 47%	642 49%	519 46%	1174 47%
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	1010 41%	864 41%	74 40%	44 39%	27 35%	1010 41%	882 40%	127 45%	295 42%	265 43%	221 40%	215 37%	560 42%	435 39%	1010 41%
None of these	136 5%	119 6%	8 4%	5 4%	4 6%	136 5%	121 6%	14 5%	27 4%	35 6%	26 5%	45 8% a	62 5%	71 6%	136 5%

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Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Don't know	44	39	2	2	2	44	40	4	7	4	8	22	12	31	44
	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%
												abeg		e	
SUMMARY															
AWARE OF ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	2301	1948	176	105	71	2301	2036	265	667	578	517	509	1245	1026	2301
	93%	93%	95%	95%	92%	93%	93%	94%	95%	94%	94%	88%	94%	91%	93%
									df	d			df		d

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	1657 67%	348 66%	1250 68%	283 63%	552 67%	555 70%	334 67%	870 69%	385 63%
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	1529 62%	331 63%	1145 62%	242 54%	526 64% a	513 65% a	326 66%	783 62%	347 57%
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	1457 59%	325 62%	1073 58%	259 58%	465 57%	510 65% b	317 64% c	749 59%	327 54%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	1373 55%	314 60%	1015 55%	232 52%	446 54%	470 59%	275 56%	708 56%	331 55%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	1220 49%	276 53%	905 49%	204 46%	394 48%	423 54%	257 52%	633 50%	273 45%
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	1174 47%	263 50%	871 47%	179 40%	387 47%	422 53% a	238 48%	591 47%	289 48%
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	1010 41%	216 41%	755 41%	161 36%	319 39%	352 45%	220 44%	518 41%	219 36%
None of these	136 5%	28 5%	93 5%	30 7%	41 5%	31 4%	21 4%	57 4%	48 8%

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		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Don't know	44	7	28	9	6	7	6	10	21
	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	4% b
SUMMARY									
AWARE OF ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	2301	490	1729	409	773	751	468	1201	538
	93%	93%	93%	91%	94%	95%	95% c	95% c	89%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	916	178	165	163	204	162	44	710	205	473	427	80	515	310
	37%	38%	50%	48%	40%	32%	14%	43%	25%	38%	36%	41%	44%	30%
		f	aef	ef	f	f		b					c	
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	796	152	114	132	181	160	57	579	217	418	363	61	422	292
	32%	32%	35%	38%	35%	32%	18%	35%	26%	34%	31%	31%	36%	28%
		f	f	f	f	f		b					c	
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	790	158	142	143	190	124	33	633	157	377	399	67	455	256
	32%	34%	43%	42%	37%	24%	10%	38%	19%	30%	34%	35%	39%	24%
		f	ef	ef	ef	f		b					c	

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	761 31%	128 27%	93 28%	107 31%	180 35%	168 33%	85 27%	508 31%	252 31%	394 32%	348 29%	52 27%	349 30%	339 32%
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	691 28%	128 27% f	120 36% ef	121 35% ef	181 35% ef	115 23% f	27 9%	548 33% b	142 17%	371 30%	306 26%	45 23%	401 34% c	239 23%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	690 28%	123 26% f	125 38% aef	121 35% ef	191 37% aef	104 21% f	25 8%	561 34% b	129 16%	337 27%	337 28%	45 23%	405 35% c	230 22%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	416	64	69	76	112	76	19	321	95	206	201	28	230	155
	17%	14%	21%	22%	22%	15%	6%	19%	11%	17%	17%	14%	20%	15%
		f	f	af	f	f		b						
None of these	521	98	38	40	64	143	138	240	281	239	273	50	148	298
	21%	21%	11%	12%	12%	28%	43%	14%	34%	19%	23%	26%	13%	29%
		bcd				bcd	abcde		a			b		b
Don't know	77	10	8	9	17	16	17	44	33	35	36	2	33	32
	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	4%	3%	3%	1%	3%	3%
SUMMARY														
USE ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	1882	364	283	294	431	347	163	1372	511	973	881	142	985	715
	76%	77%	86%	86%	84%	69%	51%	83%	62%	78%	74%	73%	84%	68%
		f	aef	aef	ef	f		b					ac	

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		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	916	85	89	81	83	93	70	107	93	80	75	27	17
	37%	35%	40%	48%	53%	54%	42%	42%	37%	32%	31%	17%	11%
		kl	kl	ijkl	ahijkl	ahijkl	kl	kl	kl	kl	kl		
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	796	87	63	53	59	74	58	107	74	67	84	31	26
	32%	36%	28%	32%	38%	43%	35%	42%	30%	26%	35%	20%	17%
		kl		l	kl	bikl	kl	ikl	l		kl		
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	790	81	76	67	74	69	74	88	98	56	61	17	16
	32%	34%	34%	40%	47%	40%	44%	34%	40%	22%	25%	11%	11%
		kl	kl	ikl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	kl	ikl	kl	kl		

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Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	761 31%	63 26%	64 29%	46 28%	47 30%	50 29%	55 33%	108 42% achl	68 28%	74 29%	84 35% l	52 33%	30 20%
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	691 28%	69 29% kl	57 25% kl	62 37% ijkl	57 36% jkl	63 37% ijkl	57 34% jkl	106 42% bijkl	75 30% kl	57 23% kl	48 20% kl	14 9%	13 8%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	690 28%	59 25% kl	64 28% kl	59 35% ijkl	65 41% aijkl	54 31% kl	67 40% aijkl	100 39% aijkl	88 35% ijkl	47 19% l	48 20% l	18 11%	6 4%

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Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	416 17%	38 16% kl	26 12% kl	32 19% kl	37 23% ikl	41 24% bikl	35 21% ikl	63 25% bikl	48 19% kl	23 9%	47 19% kl	10 6%	8 5%
None of these	521 21%	45 18%	51 23% deg	23 14%	14 9%	18 10%	20 12%	24 10%	39 16%	69 27% cdefg	73 30% cdefgh	60 38% abcdefgh	75 50% abcdefghij
Don't know	77 3%	6 3%	4 2%	2 1%	6 4%	5 3%	4 2%	4 2%	8 3%	10 4%	6 3%	8 5%	8 5%
SUMMARY													
USE ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	1882 76%	192 79% kl	169 75% kl	144 85% ijkl	138 88% bijkl	149 87% ijkl	143 85% ijkl	226 89% bijkl	201 81% jkl	173 69% l	161 67% l	91 57%	69 45%

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Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
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Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	916 37%	769 37%	74 40%	46 41%	28 36%	916 37%	815 37%	101 36%	276 39%	225 36%	194 35%	212 37%	500 38%	406 36%	916 37%
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	796 32%	680 32%	57 31%	34 31%	24 31%	796 32%	717 33%	78 28%	229 33%	172 28%	186 34%	203 35%	400 30%	390 35%	796 32%
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	790 32%	670 32%	63 34%	34 30%	24 31%	790 32%	715 33%	76 27%	226 32%	213 35%	168 30%	173 30%	439 33%	341 30%	790 32%
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	761 31%	655 31%	53 28%	29 26%	23 30%	761 31%	677 31%	84 30%	247 35% df	193 31%	159 29%	155 27%	440 33%	314 28%	761 31%

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QP32. Do you use any of these types of technical tools or controls to manage your child's access to online content? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	691 28%	590 28%	51 27%	30 27%	19 25%	691 28%	598 27%	92 33%	206 29%	178 29%	149 27%	148 26%	384 29%	297 26%	691 28%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	690 28%	584 28%	55 30%	29 26%	21 28%	690 28%	607 28%	83 29%	204 29%	173 28%	159 29%	148 26%	377 29%	307 27%	690 28%
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	416 17%	361 17%	27 14%	16 14%	12 16%	416 17%	371 17%	46 16%	117 17%	112 18%	94 17%	91 16%	229 17%	184 16%	416 17%
None of these	521 21%	440 21%	40 22%	24 22%	16 20%	521 21%	452 21%	69 24%	133 19%	130 21%	131 24%	117 20%	262 20%	249 22%	521 21%
Don't know	77 3%	68 3%	4 2%	3 3%	2 3%	77 3%	72 3%	6 2%	15 2%	8 1%	16 3%	32 6%	23 2%	49 4%	77 3%
												abe		be	
SUMMARY															
USE ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	1882 76%	1597 76%	142 76%	84 75%	59 76%	1882 76%	1674 76%	208 74%	554 79%	479 78%	404 73%	426 74%	1033 78%	830 74%	1882 76%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	916 37%	200 38%	680 37%	148 33%	314 38%	301 38%	198 40%	444 35%	229 38%
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	796 32%	176 34%	580 31%	144 32%	297 36% c	226 29%	169 34%	394 31%	199 33%
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Restricted mode	790 32%	191 36%	576 31%	128 28%	249 30%	283 36%	164 33%	399 31%	186 31%

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		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)	761 31%	181 35%	545 29%	130 29%	254 31%	268 34%	176 36% c	380 30%	162 27%
Parental control software, settings or apps that can be used on your child's phone or tablet to restrict access to content or manage their use of the device	691 28%	174 33%	498 27%	106 24%	224 27%	262 33% a	142 29%	332 26%	176 29%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	690 28%	162 31%	509 28%	125 28%	215 26%	245 31%	139 28%	357 28%	165 27%

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		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	416 17%	103 20%	295 16%	75 17%	140 17%	134 17%	82 16%	217 17%	91 15%
None of these	521 21%	104 20%	394 21%	111 25%	161 20%	144 18%	92 19%	279 22%	123 20%
Don't know	77 3%	14 3%	52 3%	14 3%	17 2%	14 2%	8 2%	22 2%	34 6% ab
SUMMARY									
USE ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	1882 76%	407 78%	1405 76%	323 72%	640 78%	631 80% a	394 80%	966 76%	450 74%

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Base : Parents who of a child aged 3-17 who are aware of content filters provided by the broadband internet service provider

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1442	229	230	248	257	245	233	964	478	738	679	108	702	576
Effective Weighted Sample	985	163	162	172	184	174	169	657	328	504	465	73	483	400
Total	1457	269	190	199	324	292	182	983	474	760	669	119	671	626
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	630	53	61	85	148	167	115	347	283	292	323	22	231	351
	43%	20%	32%	43%	46%	57%	63%	35%	60%	38%	48%	18%	34%	56%
		a		a	abc	abcd		a		a			a	ab
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	620	97	87	94	161	121	61	438	182	318	293	37	295	274
	43%	36%	46%	47%	50%	42%	33%	45%	38%	42%	44%	32%	44%	44%
				f										
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	308	176	63	31	21	15	2	291	17	169	135	86	193	25
	21%	65%	33%	16%	6%	5%	1%	30%	4%	22%	20%	72%	29%	4%
		bcdef	cdef	def				b				bc	c	
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	238	36	23	33	60	60	26	153	86	107	128	13	111	104
	16%	13%	12%	17%	19%	21%	14%	16%	18%	14%	19%	11%	17%	17%
Content filters don't block enough	221	39	27	39	46	46	23	152	69	126	91	15	114	86
	15%	15%	14%	19%	14%	16%	12%	15%	15%	17%	14%	13%	17%	14%
Content filters are complicated to use	183	27	18	18	47	50	24	109	74	84	94	11	71	93
	13%	10%	10%	9%	14%	17%	13%	11%	16%	11%	14%	10%	11%	15%
My child can find a way around content filters	138	4	15	17	35	47	20	71	67	69	62	-	52	85
	9%	1%	8%	8%	11%	16%	11%	7%	14%	9%	9%	-%	8%	14%
			a	a	a	a	a		a					ab

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1442	229	230	248	257	245	233	964	478	738	679	108	702	576
Effective Weighted Sample	985	163	162	172	184	174	169	657	328	504	465	73	483	400
Total	1457	269	190	199	324	292	182	983	474	760	669	119	671	626
None of these apply	136 9%	24 9%	17 9%	13 6%	29 9%	22 8%	31 17% ce	82 8%	54 11%	78 10%	57 9%	11 9%	56 8%	65 10%
Don't know	34 2%	4 1%	4 2%	10 5%	5 2%	7 2%	5 3%	22 2%	11 2%	20 3%	12 2%	2 2%	20 3%	9 1%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	1442	126	102	115	113	124	121	137	115	118	121	118	107
Effective Weighted Sample	985	89	73	80	80	86	85	98	83	85	85	84	79
Total	1457	148	120	96	92	103	94	180	138	138	144	94	82
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	630	28	25	22	39	42	42	74	70	65	96	61	51
	43%	19%	21%	23%	42%	40%	45%	41%	51%	47%	67%	65%	63%
					ab	ab	abc	ab	abc	abc	abcdefgi	abcdeg	abceg
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	620	50	47	40	46	50	43	84	74	61	56	33	27
	43%	33%	39%	42%	50%	49%	46%	47%	54%	44%	39%	35%	33%
									al				
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	308	98	76	31	31	18	11	13	8	7	8	1	1
	21%	66%	64%	32%	33%	18%	12%	7%	6%	5%	5%	2%	1%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl	fghijkl	fghijkl	ikl	kl						
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	238	17	19	10	13	17	16	24	34	27	33	12	14
	16%	12%	16%	10%	14%	16%	18%	14%	25%	20%	23%	12%	17%
Content filters don't block enough	221	21	18	16	11	24	13	31	13	22	24	12	11
	15%	14%	15%	17%	12%	23%	14%	17%	10%	16%	17%	12%	14%
Content filters are complicated to use	183	11	16	8	10	11	6	19	28	23	24	12	11
	13%	7%	13%	8%	11%	11%	7%	11%	20%	17%	16%	13%	13%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	1442	126	102	115	113	124	121	137	115	118	121	118	107
Effective Weighted Sample	985	89	73	80	80	86	85	98	83	85	85	84	79
Total	1457	148	120	96	92	103	94	180	138	138	144	94	82
My child can find a way around content filters	138	*	4	7	8	11	6	13	20	26	18	13	7
	9%	*%	3%	7%	9%	11%	6%	7%	15%	19%	12%	14%	8%
				a	a				a	ab	a	a	a
None of these apply	136	15	9	13	3	4	9	18	10	12	10	15	15
	9%	10%	8%	14%	4%	4%	10%	10%	8%	9%	7%	16%	19%
				de								de	de
Don't know	34	3	*	4	*	4	5	2	3	5	2	2	1
	2%	2%	*%	4%	*%	4%	6%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%

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Unweighted total	1442	833	212	196	201	1442	1211	231	541	357	242	288	898	530	1442
Effective Weighted Sample	985	752	196	189	189	985	848	144	358	249	175	204	602	378	985
Total	1457	1247	109	59	42	1457	1288	169	445	369	302	320	814	623	1457
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	630 43%	543 44%	44 40%	27 46%	16 37%	630 43%	542 42%	88 52%	197 44%	156 42%	139 46%	134 42%	352 43%	273 44%	630 43%
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	620 43%	532 43%	50 46%	23 38%	16 37%	620 43%	560 43%	60 36%	206 46%	139 38%	145 48%	125 39%	344 42%	270 43%	620 43%
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	308 21%	263 21%	26 24%	11 18%	9 21%	308 21%	270 21%	38 23%	94 21%	85 23%	61 20%	64 20%	179 22%	126 20%	308 21%
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	238 16%	210 17%	14 13%	10 17%	4 9%	238 16%	209 16%	29 17%	85 19% d	63 17%	55 18%	31 10%	148 18% d	86 14%	238 16%
Content filters don't block enough	221 15%	187 15%	16 14%	9 15%	9 22%	221 15%	200 15%	21 12%	91 20% b	42 11%	38 12%	49 15%	132 16%	86 14%	221 15%
Content filters are complicated to use	183 13%	162 13%	12 11%	5 8%	4 10%	183 13%	167 13%	16 9%	78 17% bd	34 9%	41 14%	29 9%	111 14%	70 11%	183 13%
My child can find a way around content filters	138 9%	117 9%	11 10%	5 8%	5 11%	138 9%	125 10%	13 8%	52 12%	32 9%	28 9%	23 7%	83 10%	51 8%	138 9%

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Unweighted total	1442	833	212	196	201	1442	1211	231	541	357	242	288	898	530	1442
Effective Weighted Sample	985	752	196	189	189	985	848	144	358	249	175	204	602	378	985
Total	1457	1247	109	59	42	1457	1288	169	445	369	302	320	814	623	1457
None of these apply	136	114	12	5	4	136	119	17	31	40	32	32	71	64	136
	9%	9%	11%	9%	10%	9%	9%	10%	7%	11%	11%	10%	9%	10%	9%
Don't know	34	29	3	2	1	34	32	1	10	7	4	8	18	12	34
	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	1442	315	1077	241	455	529	329	739	318
Effective Weighted Sample	985	214	735	167	308	363	219	508	217
Total	1457	325	1073	259	465	510	317	749	327
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	630 43%	145 45%	464 43%	116 45%	208 45%	214 42%	147 46%	309 41%	144 44%
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	620 43%	148 45%	453 42%	107 41%	194 42%	221 43%	136 43%	310 41%	149 46%
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	308 21%	61 19%	238 22%	40 15%	105 23%	115 23%	67 21%	160 21%	67 21%
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	238 16%	62 19%	165 15%	42 16%	68 15%	105 21%	74 23% c	116 16%	43 13%
Content filters don't block enough	221 15%	70 22% b	140 13%	37 14%	58 12%	89 17%	54 17%	107 14%	55 17%
Content filters are complicated to use	183 13%	59 18% b	120 11%	36 14%	46 10%	85 17% b	53 17%	94 12%	34 10%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 25

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QP42A. You said earlier you were aware of 'Content filters provided by your broadband internet service provider (e.g. BT, TalkTalk, Sky and Virgin Media) where the filters apply to ALL the devices using your home broadband service (also known as home network filtering)'

Here are some things that other people have said about this type of technical tool or control. Do any of these apply to your household? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents who of a child aged 3-17 who are aware of content filters provided by the broadband internet service provider

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	1442	315	1077	241	455	529	329	739	318
Effective Weighted Sample	985	214	735	167	308	363	219	508	217
Total	1457	325	1073	259	465	510	317	749	327
My child can find a way around content filters	138 9%	35 11%	97 9%	21 8%	38 8%	56 11%	41 13%	70 9%	20 6%
None of these apply	136 9%	20 6%	111 10%	32 12%	48 10%	38 7%	21 6%	80 11%	28 8%
Don't know	34 2%	7 2%	20 2%	6 2%	8 2%	7 1%	5 2%	17 2%	6 2%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Here are some things that other people have said about this type of technical tool or control. Do any of these apply to your household? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents who of a child aged 3-17 who are aware of content filters provided by the broadband internet service provider

	Total	CONTENT FILTERS FROM ISP	
		USE	AWARE DON'T USE
Significance Level: 99%		a	b
Unweighted total	1442	748	694
Effective Weighted Sample	985	508	477
Total	1457	761	696
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	630	341	289
	43%	45%	42%
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	620	308	313
	43%	40%	45%
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	308	138	170
	21%	18%	24%
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	238	103	135
	16%	14%	19%
Content filters don't block enough	221	151	70
	15%	20%	10%
		b	
Content filters are complicated to use	183	101	82
	13%	13%	12%
My child can find a way around content filters	138	100	38
	9%	13%	6%
		b	

Columns Tested: a,b

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	Total	CONTENT FILTERS FROM ISP	
		USE	AWARE DON'T USE
Significance Level: 99%		a	b
Unweighted total	1442	748	694
Effective Weighted Sample	985	508	477
Total	1457	761	696
None of these apply	136	89	47
	9%	12%	7%
		b	
Don't know	34	12	22
	2%	2%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b

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QP48AB. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of using social media, messaging and video sharing outweigh the risks. This could be on apps or sites like TikTok, YouTube, Instagram, Snapchat and WhatsApp. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Strongly disagree	488 21%	109 27%	98 31%	93 28%	84 16%	71 14%	32 10%	385 25%	104 13%	236 20%	236 21%	41 27%	297 27%	140 13%
		def	def	def				b				c	c	
Slightly disagree	506 21%	72 18%	74 24%	76 23%	137 27%	86 17%	62 19%	359 23%	147 18%	227 19%	270 24%	25 17%	255 23%	212 20%
					e									
Neither agree nor disagree	641 27%	107 27%	82 26%	78 24%	132 26%	146 29%	96 30%	399 26%	242 29%	344 29%	288 25%	38 25%	283 25%	290 28%
Slightly agree	466 20%	57 14%	34 11%	48 14%	111 22%	138 27%	80 25%	249 16%	218 26%	224 19%	241 21%	22 15%	155 14%	275 26%
					b	abc	abc		a					b
Strongly agree	215 9%	29 7%	17 5%	26 8%	39 8%	60 12%	43 14%	112 7%	103 13%	125 10%	88 8%	10 6%	83 7%	119 11%
						b	b		a					b
Don't know	66 3%	27 7%	10 3%	11 3%	9 2%	5 1%	5 1%	56 4%	10 1%	41 3%	22 2%	14 9%	42 4%	8 1%
		def						b				c	c	
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	994 42%	181 45%	173 55%	169 51%	221 43%	157 31%	94 30%	743 48%	251 31%	463 39%	507 44%	66 44%	552 50%	352 34%
		ef	def	ef	ef			b					c	
TOTAL AGREE	681 29%	86 21%	51 16%	74 22%	150 29%	197 39%	123 39%	360 23%	321 39%	348 29%	329 29%	32 21%	238 21%	394 38%
					b	abc	abc		a					ab
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	706 30%	133 33%	92 29%	89 27%	140 27%	151 30%	101 32%	455 29%	251 31%	385 32%	310 27%	51 35%	325 29%	298 29%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5 a	FEMALE 3-5 b	MALE 6-7 c	FEMALE 6-7 d	MALE 8-9 e	FEMALE 8-9 f	MALE 10-12 g	FEMALE 10-12 h	MALE 13-15 i	FEMALE 13-15 j	MALE 16-17 k	FEMALE 16-17 l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	488 21%	49 24% kl	59 30% gijkl	53 33% gijkl	43 29% gijkl	53 31% gijkl	37 23% kl	33 13%	51 21%	31 12%	31 13%	17 11%	16 10%
Slightly disagree	506 21%	28 14%	44 23%	37 23%	37 25% i	35 21%	41 25% i	73 29% aik	59 24%	31 12%	52 21%	23 14%	37 25% i
Neither agree nor disagree	641 27%	65 32%	42 22%	37 23%	46 30%	38 23%	40 25%	71 28%	56 23%	82 33%	61 26%	50 32%	43 29%
Slightly agree	466 20%	24 12%	33 17%	21 13%	12 8%	22 13%	25 16%	48 19% d	63 25% acde	68 27% acde	70 29% acdef	42 26% acde	37 24% ad
Strongly agree	215 9%	21 10%	8 4%	10 6%	7 5%	13 8%	13 8%	22 9%	17 7%	33 13%	27 11%	26 16% bcd	16 11%
Don't know	66 3%	18 9% hijkl	8 4%	4 2%	6 4%	7 4%	4 2%	7 3%	2 1%	5 2%	- -%	1 *% bcd	2 2%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	994 42%	77 38%	102 53% ijkl	90 56% aijkl	81 53% ijkl	87 52% ijkl	78 49% ik	106 42% ik	110 44% ik	62 25%	82 34%	40 25%	53 35%
TOTAL AGREE	681 29%	44 22%	41 21%	31 19%	19 13%	35 21%	39 24%	70 28% d	80 32% d	100 40% abcdef	97 40% abcdef	68 43% abcdefg	53 35% cde
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	706 30%	83 41% ch	50 26%	40 25%	51 34%	46 27%	44 27%	77 31%	58 23%	87 35%	61 26%	51 32%	46 30%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Strongly disagree	488	413	37	22	16	488	427	61	151	148	82	97	298	179	488
	21%	20%	21%	20%	22%	21%	20%	23%	22%	25% cdf	16%	17%	24% cf	17%	21%
Slightly disagree	506	418	45	25	18	506	444	62	159	124	116	97	282	213	506
	21%	21%	25%	24%	25%	21%	21%	23%	23%	21%	22%	17%	22%	20%	21%
Neither agree nor disagree	641	549	45	28	19	641	565	76	131	152	161	191	283	353	641
	27%	27%	25%	26%	26%	27%	27%	28%	19%	26%	31% ae	34% aeg	22% aeg	33% aeg	27% ae
Slightly agree	466	391	39	23	14	466	409	57	160	107	98	98	267	196	466
	20%	19%	22%	22%	18%	20%	19%	21%	23%	18%	19%	18%	21%	18%	20%
Strongly agree	215	192	10	7	6	215	205	10	73	39	49	52	113	101	215
	9%	9%	5%	7%	8%	9%	10% b	4%	11%	7%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%
Don't know	66	58	5	2	1	66	62	3	11	14	16	24	25	40	66
	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	994	831	82	47	34	994	871	123	310	271	199	194	581	393	994
	42%	41%	45%	44%	46%	42%	41%	46%	45% df	47% df	38%	35%	46% df	36%	42%
TOTAL AGREE	681	582	48	31	19	681	614	67	234	146	146	150	380	296	681
	29%	29%	27%	29%	26%	29%	29%	25%	34% b	25%	28%	27%	30%	27%	29%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	706	607	50	30	20	706	627	79	142	166	177	215	307	392	706
	30%	30%	28%	27%	27%	30%	30%	29%	21%	28% a	34% ae	38% abeg	24% abeg	36% abeg	30% ae

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Strongly disagree	488 21%	100 20%	374 21%	67 15%	151 19%	162 21%	108 22%	264 22%	95 16%
Slightly disagree	506 21%	122 24%	363 20%	100 23%	155 20%	182 24%	94 19%	281 23%	103 18%
Neither agree nor disagree	641 27%	149 29%	461 26%	136 31% c	237 30% c	153 20%	120 25%	292 24%	194 34% ab
Slightly agree	466 20%	82 16%	366 21%	81 19%	156 20%	167 22%	94 19%	247 20%	114 20%
Strongly agree	215 9%	44 9%	164 9%	36 8%	77 10%	82 11%	56 12%	98 8%	57 10%
Don't know	66 3%	11 2%	49 3%	16 4% b	8 1%	19 3%	12 2%	33 3%	14 2%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	994 42%	222 44%	737 41%	168 38%	306 39%	343 45%	201 42%	546 45% c	198 34%
TOTAL AGREE	681 29%	126 25%	529 30%	117 27%	233 30%	249 33%	150 31%	345 28%	171 30%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	706 30%	160 32%	510 29%	153 35% c	245 31% c	172 22%	132 27%	326 27%	208 36% b

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP48AD. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of playing games outweigh the risks. This could be on a games console, mobile phone, tablet or laptop. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Strongly disagree	206 9%	43 11%	25 8%	31 9%	39 8%	46 9%	21 7%	138 9%	68 8%	90 8%	109 10%	14 10%	109 10%	76 7%
Slightly disagree	390 16%	63 16%	44 14%	73 22% f	93 18%	78 15%	39 12%	273 18%	117 14%	192 16%	193 17%	20 13%	187 17%	173 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	751 32%	136 34%	106 34%	101 30%	155 30%	148 29%	105 33%	498 32%	253 31%	363 30%	379 33%	55 37%	352 32%	311 30%
Slightly agree	695 29%	111 28%	92 29%	79 24%	160 31%	155 31%	99 31%	441 28%	254 31%	356 30%	325 28%	40 27%	308 28%	331 32%
Strongly agree	288 12%	29 7%	37 12%	43 13%	62 12%	73 15% a	43 14%	172 11%	117 14%	165 14%	121 11%	10 7%	133 12%	139 13%
Don't know	51 2%	17 4% d	10 3%	6 2%	3 1%	5 1%	10 3%	36 2%	15 2%	30 3%	19 2%	9 6% c	27 2%	14 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	596 25%	107 27%	70 22%	103 31% f	132 26%	125 25%	60 19%	412 26%	185 22%	282 24%	302 26%	34 23%	296 27%	249 24%
TOTAL AGREE	983 41%	140 35%	129 41%	122 37%	222 43%	228 45%	142 45%	613 39%	370 45%	521 44%	446 39%	50 34%	441 40%	470 45%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	802 34%	153 38%	116 37%	107 32%	157 31%	152 30%	116 36%	534 34%	268 33%	393 33%	398 35%	65 43%	378 34%	325 31%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP48AD. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of playing games outweigh the risks. This could be on a games console, mobile phone, tablet or laptop. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	206 9%	25 12%	17 9%	12 7%	13 9%	18 11%	12 8%	8 3%	31 13%	17 7%	25 10%	11 7%	10 7%
Slightly disagree	390 16%	32 16%	31 16%	24 15%	20 13%	36 21%	37 23%	44 17%	47 19%	40 16%	35 14%	16 10%	24 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	751 32%	67 33%	69 36%	50 31%	55 36%	49 29%	50 31%	76 30%	78 31%	70 28%	74 31%	50 31%	53 35%
Slightly agree	695 29%	47 23%	64 33%	44 27%	48 32%	39 23%	38 24%	91 36%	63 25%	77 31%	75 31%	59 37%	39 25%
Strongly agree	288 12%	19 9%	10 5%	26 16%	11 8%	22 13%	21 13%	32 13%	29 12%	43 17%	30 12%	23 14%	19 13%
Don't know	51 2%	14 7%	3 1%	6 4%	4 3%	5 3%	1 1%	3 1%	* *%	2 1%	3 1%	* *%	8 5%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	596 25%	57 28%	48 25%	36 22%	33 22%	54 32%	50 31%	52 20%	78 31%	57 23%	60 25%	27 17%	33 22%
TOTAL AGREE	983 41%	66 32%	74 38%	69 43%	59 39%	60 36%	59 37%	124 49%	92 37%	120 48%	105 43%	82 51%	58 38%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	802 34%	81 40%	72 37%	56 35%	59 39%	54 32%	52 32%	79 31%	78 32%	73 29%	77 32%	50 32%	61 40%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Strongly disagree	206 9%	179 9%	15 8%	9 8%	4 6%	206 9%	187 9%	19 7%	76 11% f	48 8%	35 7%	39 7%	124 10%	74 7%	206 9%
Slightly disagree	390 16%	333 16%	26 14%	18 16%	14 19%	390 16%	331 16%	59 22%	124 18%	103 18%	80 15%	77 14%	227 18%	156 14%	390 16%
Neither agree nor disagree	751 32%	639 32%	56 31%	34 32%	21 28%	751 32%	676 32%	75 28%	189 28%	165 28%	176 34%	218 39% abeg	354 28%	394 36% abe	751 32%
Slightly agree	695 29%	583 29%	58 32%	31 29%	24 33%	695 29%	610 29%	85 31%	197 29%	202 35% df	141 27%	144 26%	399 32%	285 26%	695 29%
Strongly agree	288 12%	242 12%	24 13%	14 13%	8 11%	288 12%	261 12%	28 10%	92 13%	58 10%	77 15%	62 11%	149 12%	139 13%	288 12%
Don't know	51 2%	45 2%	2 1%	2 2%	2 3%	51 2%	47 2%	4 2%	7 1%	7 1%	12 2%	20 4% ae	15 1%	32 3% e	51 2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	596 25%	511 25%	40 22%	26 25%	18 25%	596 25%	518 25%	78 29%	200 29% df	151 26%	115 22%	116 21%	351 28% f	230 21%	596 25%
TOTAL AGREE	983 41%	825 41%	82 45%	45 42%	32 44%	983 41%	871 41%	112 42%	289 42%	260 45%	219 42%	206 37%	549 43%	425 39%	983 41%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	802 34%	684 34%	58 32%	36 34%	23 32%	802 34%	723 34%	79 29%	196 29%	172 30%	188 36%	238 43% abeg	368 29%	426 39% abeg	802 34%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP48AD. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of playing games outweigh the risks. This could be on a games console, mobile phone, tablet or laptop. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Strongly disagree	206 9%	36 7%	165 9%	40 9%	59 8%	57 7%	46 9%	111 9%	34 6%
Slightly disagree	390 16%	80 16%	295 17%	65 15%	121 15%	143 19%	77 16%	209 17%	84 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	751 32%	192 38% b	526 30%	157 36%	248 32%	212 28%	139 29%	361 30%	220 38% ab
Slightly agree	695 29%	129 25%	538 30%	102 23%	250 32% a	233 30%	133 27%	374 31%	158 27%
Strongly agree	288 12%	54 11%	226 13%	56 13%	99 13%	110 14%	76 16%	141 12%	69 12%
Don't know	51 2%	18 3%	27 2%	18 4% b	7 1%	10 1%	13 3%	20 2%	12 2%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	596 25%	116 23%	459 26%	104 24%	180 23%	200 26%	123 25%	320 26%	119 21%
TOTAL AGREE	983 41%	183 36%	764 43%	158 36%	349 45%	343 45%	209 43%	515 42%	227 39%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	802 34%	210 41% b	553 31%	175 40% c	255 33%	222 29%	152 31%	382 31%	232 40% b

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 29

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QP48AE. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of using the internet to gather information outweigh the risks. This could be from search engines like Google or Bing, Wikipedia or news websites. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Strongly disagree	123 5%	34 8% f	19 6%	18 6%	20 4%	26 5%	7 2%	91 6%	32 4%	53 4%	69 6%	14 9%	68 6%	40 4%
Slightly disagree	259 11%	49 12%	35 11%	45 14%	56 11%	49 10%	24 8%	185 12%	73 9%	120 10%	131 11%	21 14%	133 12%	97 9%
Neither agree nor disagree	595 25%	122 31%	88 28%	77 23%	119 23%	115 23%	74 23%	406 26%	188 23%	309 26%	276 24%	48 32%	278 25%	237 23%
Slightly agree	916 38%	129 32%	122 39%	139 42%	220 43%	188 37%	118 37%	610 39%	306 37%	461 39%	447 39%	43 29%	443 40%	414 40%
Strongly agree	444 19%	45 11%	42 13%	49 15%	92 18%	127 25% abc	90 28% abcd	227 15%	217 26% a	225 19%	210 18%	13 8%	166 15%	250 24% ab
Don't know	45 2%	21 5% cde	9 3%	4 1%	5 1%	1 *%	5 2%	38 2%	7 1%	28 2%	14 1%	10 7% c	26 2% c	6 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	382 16%	83 21% f	55 17% f	63 19% f	76 15%	75 15%	30 10%	277 18% b	105 13%	173 14%	199 17%	35 23% c	201 18%	137 13%
TOTAL AGREE	1360 57%	173 43%	164 52%	188 57% a	312 61% a	314 62% a	209 66% ab	837 54%	523 64% a	686 57%	657 57%	56 37%	610 55% a	663 64% ab
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	640 27%	143 36% cdef	97 31%	81 24%	124 24%	116 23%	79 25%	445 29%	195 24%	337 28%	290 25%	58 39% c	304 27%	243 23%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP48AE. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of using the internet to gather information outweigh the risks. This could be from search engines like Google or Bing, Wikipedia or news websites. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	123 5%	17 8%	15 8%	7 4%	12 8%	11 6%	8 5%	4 2%	16 6%	13 5%	13 5%	2 1%	5 3%
		k	k		k								
Slightly disagree	259 11%	17 9%	32 16%	20 12%	14 9%	27 16%	18 11%	25 10%	29 12%	20 8%	25 10%	11 7%	13 8%
Neither agree nor disagree	595 25%	62 30%	60 31%	38 24%	49 33%	44 26%	32 20%	65 26%	52 21%	58 23%	51 21%	42 26%	32 21%
Slightly agree	916 38%	76 37%	53 27%	63 39%	59 39%	63 37%	74 46%	104 41%	112 45%	96 39%	91 38%	59 37%	57 38%
						b			b				
Strongly agree	444 19%	19 10%	25 13%	27 17%	14 9%	21 13%	27 17%	52 20%	40 16%	61 25%	61 25%	44 28%	43 28%
							d			ade	ade	abde	abde
Don't know	45 2%	12 6%	8 4%	6 3%	3 2%	3 2%	1 1%	5 2%	* *%	1 *%	- -%	2 1%	2 2%
		hij											
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	382 16%	34 17%	47 24%	27 17%	26 17%	38 22%	26 16%	29 11%	45 18%	32 13%	38 16%	13 8%	18 12%
			gkl			k							
TOTAL AGREE	1360 57%	95 47%	78 40%	90 56%	73 48%	84 50%	102 64%	155 61%	152 61%	158 63%	151 63%	103 65%	100 66%
						abd	b	b	ab	ab	ab	abd	abde
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	640 27%	74 37%	68 35%	44 27%	52 34%	46 28%	33 20%	69 27%	52 21%	60 24%	51 21%	43 27%	34 22%
		fhj	fh		f								

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP48AE. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of using the internet to gather information outweigh the risks. This could be from search engines like Google or Bing, Wikipedia or news websites. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Strongly disagree	123 5%	109 5%	6 3%	5 4%	4 6%	123 5%	116 5%	8 3%	33 5%	38 6%	25 5%	20 4%	71 6%	45 4%	123 5%
Slightly disagree	259 11%	216 11%	20 11%	15 14%	8 11%	259 11%	226 11%	33 12%	65 10%	63 11%	67 13%	55 10%	128 10%	122 11%	259 11%
Neither agree nor disagree	595 25%	502 25%	44 24%	31 29%	17 23%	595 25%	529 25%	66 24%	121 18%	132 23%	126 24%	210 38%	253 20%	336 31%	595 25%
												abceg		abeg	ae
Slightly agree	916 38%	781 39%	72 40%	34 32%	28 38%	916 38%	807 38%	109 40%	263 38%	243 42%	220 42%	182 33%	507 40%	402 37%	916 38%
										d					
Strongly agree	444 19%	372 18%	35 20%	22 20%	15 20%	444 19%	393 19%	51 19%	193 28%	99 17%	72 14%	78 14%	292 23%	150 14%	444 19%
									bcdfg				cdg		f
Don't know	45 2%	40 2%	3 1%	1 1%	1 2%	45 2%	42 2%	3 1%	9 1%	8 1%	13 2%	13 2%	17 1%	26 2%	45 2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	382 16%	325 16%	26 14%	19 18%	13 17%	382 16%	342 16%	41 15%	99 14%	100 17%	92 18%	75 13%	199 16%	167 15%	382 16%
TOTAL AGREE	1360 57%	1154 57%	108 60%	56 52%	43 58%	1360 57%	1200 57%	160 59%	456 67%	343 59%	291 56%	261 47%	799 63%	552 51%	1360 57%
									cdg	d			dfg		df
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	640 27%	542 27%	47 26%	33 30%	18 25%	640 27%	570 27%	69 26%	130 19%	140 24%	139 27%	223 40%	270 21%	363 34%	640 27%
											a	abceg		abeg	ae

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP48AE. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - The benefits to my child of using the internet to gather information outweigh the risks. This could be from search engines like Google or Bing, Wikipedia or news websites. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Strongly disagree	123 5%	27 5%	95 5%	25 6%	37 5%	31 4%	26 5%	61 5%	26 5%
Slightly disagree	259 11%	56 11%	186 10%	47 11%	90 11%	75 10%	51 11%	147 12%	51 9%
Neither agree nor disagree	595 25%	154 30%	405 23%	142 32%	196 25%	124 16%	81 17%	298 24%	178 31%
Slightly agree	916 38%	178 35%	707 40%	150 34%	325 42%	309 40%	178 37%	489 40%	218 38%
Strongly agree	444 19%	88 17%	346 19%	62 14%	123 16%	217 28%	135 28%	203 17%	96 17%
Don't know	45 2%	4 1%	36 2%	12 3%	12 2%	8 1%	12 2%	19 2%	9 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	382 16%	84 16%	282 16%	72 16%	127 16%	106 14%	77 16%	208 17%	77 13%
TOTAL AGREE	1360 57%	266 52%	1053 59%	212 49%	448 57%	526 69%	314 65%	691 57%	313 54%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	640 27%	159 31%	441 25%	154 35%	209 27%	132 17%	93 19%	317 26%	187 32%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP48B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I feel I know enough to help my child to stay safe online. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Strongly disagree	87 4%	14 4%	6 2%	17 5%	17 3%	16 3%	17 5%	54 3%	33 4%	39 3%	47 4%	4 2%	37 3%	43 4%
Slightly disagree	176 7%	25 6%	20 6%	28 8%	39 8%	41 8%	23 7%	112 7%	64 8%	80 7%	93 8%	5 3%	85 8%	81 8%
Neither agree nor disagree	273 11%	44 11%	45 14%	29 9%	56 11%	68 13%	32 10%	174 11%	100 12%	140 12%	126 11%	21 14%	119 11%	122 12%
Slightly agree	863 36%	129 32%	113 36%	119 36%	178 35%	201 40%	123 39%	539 35%	324 39%	439 37%	410 36%	41 28%	395 35%	405 39%
Strongly agree	970 41%	186 47%	127 40%	138 42%	220 43%	178 35%	122 38%	671 43%	300 36%	490 41%	467 41%	78 52%	472 42%	389 37%
Don't know	12 1%	1 *%	4 1%	2 1%	2 *%	1 *%	2 1%	9 1%	3 *%	7 1%	4 *%	1 *%	8 1%	3 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	263 11%	39 10%	26 8%	44 13%	56 11%	57 11%	40 13%	166 11%	97 12%	120 10%	140 12%	9 6%	121 11%	124 12%
TOTAL AGREE	1834 77%	315 79%	240 76%	257 77%	397 78%	379 75%	245 77%	1209 78%	624 76%	929 78%	877 77%	119 80%	867 78%	794 76%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	285 12%	45 11%	49 15%	31 9%	58 11%	69 14%	33 10%	183 12%	103 12%	147 12%	130 11%	21 14%	127 11%	125 12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP48B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I feel I know enough to help my child to stay safe online. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	87 4%	4 2%	10 5%	5 3%	1 1%	9 5%	8 5%	9 4%	8 3%	5 2%	11 4%	8 5%	9 6%
Slightly disagree	176 7%	15 7%	10 5%	10 6%	10 7%	15 9%	13 8%	11 4%	28 11%	16 6%	22 9%	14 9%	9 6%
Neither agree nor disagree	273 11%	18 9%	26 13%	23 15%	21 14%	15 9%	13 8%	25 10%	26 11%	41 16%	25 11%	16 10%	14 9%
Slightly agree	863 36%	60 29%	69 36%	56 35%	56 37%	65 38%	51 32%	89 35%	89 36%	109 44%	87 36%	60 38%	59 39%
Strongly agree	970 41%	106 52%	78 40%	65 40%	61 40%	63 37%	75 47%	117 46%	98 40%	78 31%	95 39%	61 38%	60 39%
Don't know	12 1%	1 *% i	* *% i	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	- -% i	2 1%	* *% i	1 *% i	* *% i	- -% i	1 1%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	263 11%	19 9%	21 11%	15 9%	12 8%	24 14%	21 13%	21 8%	35 14%	21 8%	33 14%	22 14%	18 12%
TOTAL AGREE	1834 77%	166 82%	147 76%	121 75%	117 77%	128 76%	126 79%	206 81%	187 75%	187 75%	182 76%	121 76%	118 78%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	285 12%	19 9%	26 13%	25 16%	23 15%	17 10%	13 8%	27 11%	26 11%	42 17%	26 11%	16 10%	15 10%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP48B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I feel I know enough to help my child to stay safe online. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Strongly disagree	87 4%	74 4%	5 3%	4 4%	4 5%	87 4%	74 4%	12 5%	30 4%	24 4%	11 2%	18 3%	54 4%	29 3%	87 4%
Slightly disagree	176 7%	149 7%	11 6%	7 7%	8 10%	176 7%	150 7%	26 10%	71 10%	41 7%	39 8%	24 4%	113 9%	63 6%	176 7%
Neither agree nor disagree	273 11%	234 12%	21 12%	9 8%	9 12%	273 11%	243 11%	31 11%	65 9%	59 10%	74 14%	65 12%	124 10%	139 13%	273 11%
Slightly agree	863 36%	719 36%	77 43%	39 36%	29 40%	863 36%	768 36%	96 35%	285 42%	219 38%	168 32%	188 34%	503 40%	356 33%	863 36%
Strongly agree	970 41%	836 41%	65 36%	47 43%	22 30%	970 41%	866 41%	104 39%	234 34%	238 41%	230 44%	255 46%	472 37%	485 45%	970 41%
Don't know	12 1%	7 *%	1 1%	2 2%	2 2%	12 1%	12 1%	* *%	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	9 2%	3 *%	9 1%	12 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	263 11%	223 11%	16 9%	12 11%	12 16%	263 11%	224 11%	39 14%	101 15%	65 11%	50 10%	42 8%	166 13%	92 9%	263 11%
TOTAL AGREE	1834 77%	1555 77%	141 79%	85 79%	52 70%	1834 77%	1633 77%	200 74%	518 76%	457 78%	398 76%	443 79%	975 77%	841 78%	1834 77%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	285 12%	242 12%	23 13%	11 10%	11 14%	285 12%	254 12%	31 11%	66 10%	61 10%	74 14%	74 13%	127 10%	148 14%	285 12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Table 30

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QP48B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I feel I know enough to help my child to stay safe online. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Strongly disagree	87 4%	20 4%	64 4%	13 3%	24 3%	36 5%	15 3%	56 5%	12 2%
Slightly disagree	176 7%	43 8%	125 7%	24 6%	49 6%	70 9%	43 9%	93 8%	29 5%
Neither agree nor disagree	273 11%	58 11%	197 11%	68 16%	78 10%	62 8%	50 10%	125 10%	78 13%
Slightly agree	863 36%	179 35%	656 37%	154 35%	298 38%	296 39%	166 34%	471 39%	204 35%
Strongly agree	970 41%	202 40%	731 41%	173 39%	333 43%	300 39%	209 43%	467 38%	251 43%
Don't know	12 1%	6 1%	3 *%	6 1%	1 *%	1 *%	* *%	5 *%	4 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	263 11%	63 12%	189 11%	38 9%	73 9%	106 14%	58 12%	149 12%	42 7%
TOTAL AGREE	1834 77%	381 75%	1387 78%	327 75%	632 81%	596 78%	375 78%	938 77%	454 79%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	285 12%	64 13%	200 11%	74 17%	79 10%	63 8%	50 10%	130 11%	81 14%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP51D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them giving out their personal details to inappropriate people (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	865 36%	149 37%	134 42% ef	151 46% ef	197 38% f	147 29%	86 27%	631 40% b	234 28%	391 33%	456 40% a	57 38%	470 42% c	317 30%
Fairly concerned	675 28%	76 19%	83 26%	96 29% a	159 31% a	163 32% a	97 30% a	415 27%	260 32%	351 29%	318 28%	26 17%	287 26%	342 33% ab
Neither/ nor	281 12%	49 12%	26 8%	36 11%	59 12%	62 12%	49 15% b	170 11%	111 13%	145 12%	134 12%	16 11%	116 10%	133 13%
Not very concerned	333 14%	50 12%	37 12%	28 9%	73 14%	89 18% c	55 17% c	188 12%	144 18% a	175 15%	154 13%	18 12%	127 11%	178 17% b
Not at all concerned	209 9%	69 17% cdef	34 11% d	17 5%	19 4%	40 8%	29 9% d	140 9%	69 8%	121 10%	80 7%	29 19% bc	103 9%	70 7%
Don't know	19 1%	6 2%	1 *%	3 1%	4 1%	4 1%	1 *%	14 1%	5 1%	13 1%	4 *%	3 2%	12 1%	4 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1540 65%	226 56%	216 69% af	248 75% aef	356 70% af	311 62%	183 58%	1046 67% b	494 60%	742 62%	774 67%	83 56%	757 68%	659 63%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	541 23%	119 30% cd	71 23% c	45 14%	92 18%	129 26% c	85 27% c	328 21%	213 26%	296 25%	234 20%	47 32%	230 21%	248 24%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	300 13%	55 14%	27 9%	39 12%	63 12%	65 13%	50 16% b	185 12%	116 14%	157 13%	139 12%	19 13%	128 11%	136 13%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP51D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them giving out their personal details to inappropriate people (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	865 36%	65 32%	84 43% ikl	63 39%	69 46% gikl	78 46% gikl	71 44% ikl	78 31%	115 46% gikl	65 26%	76 32%	42 27%	41 27%
Fairly concerned	675 28%	44 22%	32 17%	45 28%	37 25%	45 27%	50 31% b	85 33% b	72 29%	88 35% b	73 30%	44 28%	53 35% b
Neither/ nor	281 12%	25 12%	24 12%	10 6%	16 11%	20 12%	17 10%	34 14%	24 10%	27 11%	34 14%	28 18% c	20 13%
Not very concerned	333 14%	27 13%	23 12%	21 13%	16 11%	13 8%	15 9%	38 15%	33 13%	49 20% e	40 17%	27 17%	27 18%
Not at all concerned	209 9%	39 19% defghijl	29 15% fh	22 14% fh	12 8%	11 7%	6 4%	15 6%	5 2%	18 7%	17 7%	16 10% h	12 8%
Don't know	19 1%	4 2%	2 1%	- -%	* *%	1 1%	1 1%	4 2%	- -%	3 1%	1 *%	- -%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1540 65%	109 54%	116 60%	108 67%	107 71% ak	123 73% ak	122 76% abikl	162 64%	187 75% abk	153 61%	149 62%	87 55%	94 62%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	541 23%	66 32% efh	52 27% f	43 27% f	28 19%	24 14%	21 13%	53 21%	37 15%	67 27% f	57 24%	44 28% ef	39 25% f
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	300 13%	29 14%	26 13%	10 6%	17 11%	21 13%	18 11%	39 15%	24 10%	30 12%	35 14%	28 18% c	20 13%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP51D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them giving out their personal details to inappropriate people (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	865 36%	722 36%	69 38%	43 40%	32 43%	865 36%	784 37%	80 30%	260 38%	224 38%	166 32%	198 36%	483 38%	364 34%	865 36%
Fairly concerned	675 28%	574 28%	48 26%	32 30%	22 30%	675 28%	611 29%	64 24%	217 32%	170 29%	155 30%	128 23%	387 30%	283 26%	675 28%
Neither/ nor	281 12%	242 12%	24 13%	9 9%	6 8%	281 12%	234 11%	47 17%	59 9%	58 10%	78 15%	85 15%	117 9%	163 15%	281 12%
Not very concerned	333 14%	287 14%	23 13%	14 13%	9 13%	333 14%	274 13%	59 22%	100 15%	78 13%	84 16%	69 12%	177 14%	153 14%	333 14%
Not at all concerned	209 9%	181 9%	15 8%	8 8%	5 6%	209 9%	188 9%	21 8%	46 7%	48 8%	39 7%	73 13%	94 7%	112 10%	209 9%
Don't know	19 1%	16 1%	2 1%	1 1%	* *%	19 1%	19 1%	- -%	5 1%	6 1%	1 *%	5 1%	11 1%	6 1%	19 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1540 65%	1295 64%	116 65%	75 69%	54 72%	1540 65%	1396 66%	144 53%	477 70%	393 67%	321 61%	327 58%	870 69%	647 60%	1540 65%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	541 23%	467 23%	38 21%	22 21%	14 19%	541 23%	462 22%	79 29%	145 21%	126 22%	123 24%	142 25%	271 21%	265 25%	541 23%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	300 13%	257 13%	26 14%	11 10%	6 9%	300 13%	254 12%	47 17%	63 9%	64 11%	79 15%	90 16%	127 10%	169 16%	300 13%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP51D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them giving out their personal details to inappropriate people (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	865 36%	190 37%	640 36%	150 34%	269 34%	276 36%	178 37%	450 37%	194 34%
Fairly concerned	675 28%	138 27%	508 29%	126 29%	209 27%	242 32%	141 29%	354 29%	155 27%
Neither/ nor	281 12%	59 12%	204 11%	64 15%	92 12%	80 10%	44 9%	135 11%	93 16% a
Not very concerned	333 14%	69 14%	262 15%	51 12%	134 17%	111 15%	67 14%	175 14%	80 14%
Not at all concerned	209 9%	49 10%	150 8%	42 10%	76 10%	53 7%	50 10%	97 8%	50 9%
Don't know	19 1%	4 1%	12 1%	5 1%	4 *%	3 *%	4 1%	5 *%	6 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1540 65%	328 64%	1148 65%	276 63%	478 61%	518 68%	319 66%	804 66%	349 60%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	541 23%	118 23%	412 23%	93 21%	210 27%	164 21%	117 24%	272 22%	130 23%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	300 13%	63 12%	216 12%	69 16%	95 12%	83 11%	48 10%	140 12%	99 17% ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP51E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them being bullied online/ cyberbullying (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	912	159	141	158	204	171	79	662	250	422	471	59	479	352
	38%	40%	45%	48%	40%	34%	25%	42%	30%	35%	41%	40%	43%	34%
		f	ef	ef	f			b					c	
Fairly concerned	738	77	77	102	183	187	112	439	299	388	343	25	311	387
	31%	19%	25%	31%	36%	37%	35%	28%	36%	32%	30%	17%	28%	37%
				a	ab	ab	ab		a					ab
Neither/ nor	267	44	30	34	53	59	47	162	105	129	135	14	119	120
	11%	11%	9%	10%	10%	12%	15%	10%	13%	11%	12%	9%	11%	11%
Not very concerned	275	54	30	22	48	68	54	154	121	144	130	21	114	127
	12%	13%	10%	7%	9%	13%	17%	10%	15%	12%	11%	14%	10%	12%
						c	cd		a					
Not at all concerned	174	60	34	14	21	20	25	129	45	104	63	28	82	56
	7%	15%	11%	4%	4%	4%	8%	8%	5%	9%	6%	19%	7%	5%
		cdef	cde									bc		
Don't know	15	5	3	1	3	1	1	13	2	9	4	3	10	1
	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	1%	*%	2%	1%	*%
												c		

SUMMARY

TOTAL CONCERNED	1650	236	218	260	387	358	191	1101	549	809	815	84	790	739
	69%	59%	69%	78%	76%	71%	60%	71%	67%	68%	71%	56%	71%	71%
				af	af	af							a	a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	450	114	64	36	69	88	79	283	167	248	193	49	197	183
	19%	28%	20%	11%	13%	17%	25%	18%	20%	21%	17%	33%	18%	18%
		cde	c				cd					bc		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	282	50	33	36	56	59	48	174	108	138	139	16	129	121
	12%	12%	10%	11%	11%	12%	15%	11%	13%	12%	12%	11%	12%	12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP51E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them being bullied online/ cyberbullying (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	912	74	85	73	67	77	78	87	116	77	81	34	44
	38%	36%	44%	45%	44%	45%	49%	34%	47%	31%	34%	21%	29%
		k	k	kl	kl	kl	ikl		ikl				
Fairly concerned	738	45	31	39	38	49	54	105	73	89	98	61	49
	31%	22%	16%	24%	25%	29%	33%	41%	30%	36%	41%	39%	32%
							b	abcd		b	abcd	ab	b
Neither/ nor	267	19	25	12	17	17	17	22	29	36	23	23	24
	11%	10%	13%	7%	12%	10%	11%	9%	12%	14%	9%	14%	16%
Not very concerned	275	30	23	15	16	13	9	22	26	37	30	27	25
	12%	15%	12%	9%	10%	8%	6%	9%	10%	15%	13%	17%	17%
												f	f
Not at all concerned	174	33	26	20	13	12	2	15	4	11	7	14	10
	7%	16%	13%	12%	9%	7%	1%	6%	2%	4%	3%	9%	7%
		fghij	fhij	fhj	fh							fh	
Don't know	15	2	3	3	-	1	-	3	-	-	1	-	-
	1%	1%	2%	2%	-%	1%	-%	1%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1650	119	117	112	105	125	131	192	189	166	179	95	93
	69%	58%	60%	69%	70%	74%	82%	76%	76%	67%	74%	60%	61%
						a	abikl	abkl	abkl		a		
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	450	63	49	35	29	25	11	37	30	48	38	41	36
	19%	31%	25%	21%	19%	15%	7%	15%	12%	19%	16%	26%	23%
		efghj	fh	f	f					f		fh	f
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	282	22	28	15	17	18	17	25	29	36	24	23	24
	12%	11%	14%	9%	12%	11%	11%	10%	12%	14%	10%	14%	16%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP51E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them being bullied online/ cyberbullying (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	912 38%	761 38%	73 40%	45 42%	33 44%	912 38%	819 39%	93 34%	286 42%	224 38%	169 32%	219 39%	511 40%	388 36%	912 38%
Fairly concerned	738 31%	630 31%	54 30%	31 28%	24 33%	738 31%	644 30%	94 35%	225 33%	190 33%	168 32%	149 27%	414 33%	317 29%	738 31%
Neither/ nor	267 11%	229 11%	18 10%	12 11%	7 10%	267 11%	239 11%	28 10%	65 10%	50 9%	75 14%	73 13%	116 9%	147 14%	267 11%
Not very concerned	275 12%	235 12%	22 12%	12 11%	7 9%	275 12%	237 11%	38 14%	71 10%	77 13%	64 12%	58 10%	148 12%	122 11%	275 12%
Not at all concerned	174 7%	153 8%	12 7%	7 6%	3 4%	174 7%	159 8%	15 6%	34 5%	39 7%	47 9%	52 9%	73 6%	98 9%	174 7%
Don't know	15 1%	13 1%	1 *%	1 1%	* *%	15 1%	14 1%	1 *%	4 1%	2 *%	* *%	8 1%	6 *%	8 1%	15 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1650 69%	1391 69%	127 70%	76 70%	57 77%	1650 69%	1463 69%	187 69%	511 75%	414 71%	337 64%	369 66%	925 73%	705 65%	1650 69%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	450 19%	387 19%	34 19%	19 17%	10 13%	450 19%	396 19%	54 20%	105 15%	117 20%	111 21%	110 20%	221 17%	221 20%	450 19%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	282 12%	242 12%	19 10%	13 12%	8 10%	282 12%	253 12%	29 11%	69 10%	52 9%	75 14%	80 14%	121 10%	155 14%	282 12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Table 32

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QP51E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them being bullied online/ cyberbullying (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	912 38%	226 44%	660 37%	150 34%	287 37%	288 38%	201 42%	462 38%	210 36%
Fairly concerned	738 31%	152 30%	555 31%	143 33%	245 31%	257 34%	141 29%	392 32%	180 31%
Neither/ nor	267 11%	45 9%	208 12%	71 16%	85 11%	77 10%	51 11%	121 10%	76 13%
Not very concerned	275 12%	45 9%	216 12%	38 9%	96 12%	103 13%	57 12%	141 12%	68 12%
Not at all concerned	174 7%	38 7%	129 7%	33 7%	69 9%	37 5%	30 6%	97 8%	41 7%
Don't know	15 1%	3 1%	8 *%	4 1%	1 *%	4 *%	4 1%	4 *%	2 *%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1650 69%	378 74%	1215 68%	293 67%	532 68%	545 71%	342 71%	853 70%	390 68%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	450 19%	83 16%	345 19%	71 16%	165 21%	140 18%	86 18%	237 20%	109 19%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	282 12%	48 9%	216 12%	74 17%	86 11%	81 11%	55 11%	126 10%	78 14%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 33

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QP51F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Damaging their reputation either now or in the future (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	645 27%	103 26%	96 30%	107 32%	138 27%	127 25%	73 23%	445 29%	200 24%	309 26%	324 28%	41 28%	331 30%	255 24%
Fairly concerned	721 30%	93 23%	80 26%	112 34%	172 34%	166 33%	99 31%	457 29%	264 32%	370 31%	344 30%	31 21%	321 29%	348 33%
Neither/ nor	428 18%	74 18%	48 15%	57 17%	91 18%	96 19%	62 19%	269 17%	158 19%	214 18%	208 18%	25 17%	189 17%	200 19%
Not very concerned	372 16%	62 16%	53 17%	40 12%	80 16%	78 15%	59 19%	235 15%	137 17%	185 15%	180 16%	23 16%	174 16%	160 15%
Not at all concerned	179 8%	54 14%	29 9%	13 4%	24 5%	34 7%	24 8%	121 8%	58 7%	92 8%	81 7%	24 16%	78 7%	74 7%
Don't know	36 2%	13 3%	8 3%	3 1%	6 1%	4 1%	1 **%	31 2%	5 1%	25 2%	9 1%	5 3%	22 2%	8 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1366 57%	196 49%	176 56%	219 66%	310 61%	293 58%	172 54%	902 58%	465 56%	679 57%	668 58%	72 48%	652 58%	602 58%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	551 23%	117 29%	83 26%	53 16%	104 20%	112 22%	83 26%	356 23%	195 24%	277 23%	261 23%	47 32%	252 23%	233 22%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	464 19%	87 22%	56 18%	60 18%	97 19%	100 20%	63 20%	300 19%	164 20%	240 20%	217 19%	30 20%	211 19%	208 20%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Table 33

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QP51F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Damaging their reputation either now or in the future (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	645 27%	44 22%	59 31%	52 32%	43 29%	59 35%	44 28%	60 24%	76 31%	53 21%	68 28%	40 25%	33 21%
Fairly concerned	721 30%	50 24%	43 22%	38 24%	41 27%	55 33%	57 35%	93 37%	79 32%	85 34%	79 33%	49 31%	47 31%
Neither/ nor	428 18%	42 21%	32 16%	22 14%	26 17%	26 15%	31 19%	44 17%	43 17%	51 20%	46 19%	30 19%	32 21%
Not very concerned	372 16%	34 17%	29 15%	25 16%	28 19%	16 9%	24 15%	41 16%	37 15%	41 17%	34 14%	27 17%	30 19%
Not at all concerned	179 8%	25 12%	28 14%	18 11%	11 7%	10 6%	3 2%	10 4%	14 6%	17 7%	14 6%	12 8%	12 8%
Don't know	36 2%	9 4%	4 2%	6 4%	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	6 2%	- -%	3 1%	1 *%	- -%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1366 57%	94 46%	102 53%	91 56%	84 56%	115 68%	101 63%	153 60%	155 62%	138 55%	147 61%	89 56%	79 52%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	551 23%	59 29%	56 29%	43 27%	39 26%	26 16%	27 17%	51 20%	51 20%	58 23%	47 20%	39 25%	41 27%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	464 19%	51 25%	35 18%	28 17%	28 18%	28 16%	33 20%	50 20%	43 17%	54 22%	47 19%	30 19%	32 21%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP51F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Damaging their reputation either now or in the future (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	645 27%	551 27%	42 23%	30 27%	23 31%	645 27%	581 28%	64 24%	217 32% cf	157 27%	116 22%	138 25%	375 30% f	254 24%	645 27%
Fairly concerned	721 30%	600 30%	60 33%	37 35%	25 33%	721 30%	630 30%	91 34%	232 34% d	183 31%	163 31%	139 25%	415 33% d	302 28%	721 30%
Neither/ nor	428 18%	361 18%	37 20%	18 16%	12 16%	428 18%	372 18%	56 21%	97 14%	99 17%	117 22% ae	113 20%	196 15%	229 21% ae	428 18%
Not very concerned	372 16%	320 16%	29 16%	14 13%	10 14%	372 16%	333 16%	40 15%	107 16%	87 15%	84 16%	91 16%	194 15%	175 16%	372 16%
Not at all concerned	179 8%	157 8%	11 6%	8 7%	3 4%	179 8%	162 8%	17 6%	26 4%	47 8% a	38 7%	62 11% ae	72 6%	100 9% ae	179 8% a
Don't know	36 2%	31 2%	2 1%	2 2%	1 1%	36 2%	34 2%	2 1%	5 1%	10 2%	4 1%	16 3%	15 1%	20 2%	36 2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1366 57%	1151 57%	101 56%	67 62%	48 65%	1366 57%	1212 57%	155 57%	450 66% cdfg	340 58%	279 54%	277 50%	790 62% cdf	556 51%	1366 57% d
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	551 23%	477 24%	40 22%	21 20%	13 18%	551 23%	495 23%	57 21%	133 19%	134 23%	122 23%	153 27% a	267 21%	275 25%	551 23%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	464 19%	392 19%	39 22%	20 18%	13 17%	464 19%	406 19%	58 21%	102 15%	109 19%	121 23% a	129 23% ae	211 17%	250 23% ae	464 19%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP51F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Damaging their reputation either now or in the future (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	645 27%	138 27%	488 27%	118 27%	184 23%	226 30%	139 29%	312 26%	161 28%
Fairly concerned	721 30%	154 30%	537 30%	120 27%	239 30%	248 32%	152 31%	380 31%	159 28%
Neither/ nor	428 18%	87 17%	320 18%	87 20%	151 19%	124 16%	71 15%	216 18%	120 21%
Not very concerned	372 16%	86 17%	274 15%	67 15%	123 16%	121 16%	78 16%	192 16%	93 16%
Not at all concerned	179 8%	38 8%	132 7%	35 8%	75 10%	41 5%	40 8%	103 8%	30 5%
Don't know	36 2%	5 1%	25 1%	11 2%	11 1%	5 1%	4 1%	13 1%	14 2%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1366 57%	292 57%	1025 58%	238 54%	423 54%	474 62%	291 60%	692 57%	320 55%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	551 23%	124 24%	406 23%	102 23%	198 25%	162 21%	117 24%	295 24%	123 21%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	464 19%	92 18%	345 19%	97 22%	163 21%	129 17%	75 16%	229 19%	134 23%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP51G. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing content which encourages them to hurt or harm themselves (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	937	163	138	159	217	169	90	677	260	448	465	70	486	357
	39%	41%	44%	48%	42%	34%	28%	43%	32%	37%	41%	47%	44%	34%
		f	f	ef	f			b					c	
Fairly concerned	678	90	80	100	150	166	93	419	259	336	335	22	299	336
	28%	22%	25%	30%	29%	33%	29%	27%	31%	28%	29%	15%	27%	32%
						a								a
Neither/ nor	248	29	32	27	55	60	44	143	105	121	125	7	109	120
	10%	7%	10%	8%	11%	12%	14%	9%	13%	10%	11%	5%	10%	12%
Not very concerned	323	68	34	27	67	68	60	195	128	180	140	28	132	153
	14%	17%	11%	8%	13%	14%	19%	13%	16%	15%	12%	19%	12%	15%
		c					bc							
Not at all concerned	169	40	25	16	17	40	30	98	71	96	70	17	72	73
	7%	10%	8%	5%	3%	8%	9%	6%	9%	8%	6%	12%	6%	7%
		d					d							
Don't know	27	9	6	4	6	1	1	25	2	15	11	5	17	4
	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	*%	*%	2%	*%	1%	1%	3%	2%	*%
								b				c		

SUMMARY

TOTAL CONCERNED	1615	253	218	258	367	335	183	1096	518	784	800	92	785	693
	68%	63%	69%	78%	72%	66%	58%	70%	63%	66%	70%	62%	70%	66%
			f	aef	f			b						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	492	109	59	43	84	109	90	294	198	276	211	45	204	226
	21%	27%	19%	13%	16%	21%	28%	19%	24%	23%	18%	30%	18%	22%
		cd				c	bcd					b		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	275	38	38	31	61	61	45	168	106	136	136	12	126	124
	12%	10%	12%	9%	12%	12%	14%	11%	13%	11%	12%	8%	11%	12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP51G. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing content which encourages them to hurt or harm themselves (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	937	81	82	74	63	82	73	98	115	72	85	42	46
	39%	40%	43%	46%	42%	49%	46%	39%	46%	29%	35%	26%	30%
			k	ikl	k	ikl	ikl	ikl	ikl				
Fairly concerned	678	44	45	36	44	47	53	73	75	86	78	50	41
	28%	22%	23%	22%	29%	28%	33%	29%	30%	34%	32%	31%	27%
Neither/ nor	248	16	13	15	17	12	15	31	24	30	30	17	26
	10%	8%	7%	9%	11%	7%	9%	12%	9%	12%	12%	11%	17%
													e
Not very concerned	323	35	33	21	12	13	14	39	26	38	30	33	26
	14%	17%	17%	13%	8%	8%	8%	15%	10%	15%	13%	21%	17%
												def	
Not at all concerned	169	21	18	13	12	12	3	9	8	23	17	17	13
	7%	10%	9%	8%	8%	7%	2%	4%	3%	9%	7%	11%	8%
		f								f		fh	
Don't know	27	7	2	3	3	1	3	4	2	-	1	*	*
	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	-%	*%	*%	*%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1615	125	128	110	107	129	126	171	190	158	163	92	87
	68%	61%	66%	68%	71%	77%	79%	67%	76%	63%	68%	58%	57%
						akl	aikl		akl				
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	492	56	51	34	24	26	17	48	33	61	47	50	38
	21%	28%	26%	21%	16%	15%	10%	19%	13%	25%	20%	32%	25%
		fh	fh							f		defh	f
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	275	22	15	17	20	14	18	35	26	30	30	17	27
	12%	11%	8%	11%	13%	8%	11%	14%	10%	12%	13%	11%	18%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP51G. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing content which encourages them to hurt or harm themselves (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	937 39%	787 39%	74 41%	42 39%	33 45%	937 39%	846 40%	91 34%	287 42%	216 37%	193 37%	225 40%	502 40%	418 39%	937 39%
Fairly concerned	678 28%	578 29%	46 26%	34 31%	20 27%	678 28%	608 29%	69 26%	201 29%	188 32%	150 29%	136 24%	389 31%	285 26%	678 28%
Neither/ nor	248 10%	206 10%	24 14%	10 9%	8 10%	248 10%	209 10%	39 15%	69 10%	48 8%	59 11%	69 12%	117 9%	128 12%	248 10%
Not very concerned	323 14%	279 14%	24 13%	12 11%	8 11%	323 14%	277 13%	46 17%	96 14%	89 15%	71 14%	62 11%	185 15%	133 12%	323 14%
Not at all concerned	169 7%	146 7%	11 6%	9 8%	4 5%	169 7%	147 7%	22 8%	26 4%	40 7%	45 9%	52 9%	67 5%	98 9%	169 7%
Don't know	27 1%	24 1%	1 *%	1 1%	1 1%	27 1%	25 1%	2 1%	6 1%	2 *%	4 1%	16 3%	8 1%	19 2%	27 1%
												be			
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1615 68%	1366 68%	120 67%	76 71%	53 72%	1615 68%	1454 69% b	161 60%	488 71%	404 69%	343 66%	360 65%	892 70%	703 65%	1615 68%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	492 21%	425 21%	35 19%	20 19%	12 16%	492 21%	424 20%	68 25%	122 18%	129 22%	117 22%	114 20%	251 20%	231 21%	492 21%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	275 12%	229 11%	25 14%	11 11%	9 12%	275 12%	234 11%	41 15%	75 11%	50 9%	63 12%	84 15%	125 10%	147 14%	275 12%
												be			

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Table 34

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QP51G. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing content which encourages them to hurt or harm themselves (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	937 39%	210 41%	693 39%	166 38%	282 36%	301 39%	214 44%	460 38%	219 38%
Fairly concerned	678 28%	135 26%	510 29%	122 28%	228 29%	238 31%	133 28%	363 30%	157 27%
Neither/ nor	248 10%	59 12%	178 10%	63 14%	73 9%	69 9%	33 7%	114 9%	88 15% ab
Not very concerned	323 14%	56 11%	260 15%	50 11%	114 15%	120 16%	68 14%	185 15%	60 10%
Not at all concerned	169 7%	45 9%	113 6%	32 7%	77 10% c	31 4%	30 6%	86 7%	43 7%
Don't know	27 1%	3 1%	21 1%	6 1%	10 1%	6 1%	5 1%	9 1%	10 2%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1615 68%	345 68%	1203 68%	288 66%	510 65%	539 70%	347 72%	824 68%	376 65%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	492 21%	101 20%	373 21%	82 19%	191 24%	151 20%	98 20%	270 22%	103 18%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	275 12%	62 12%	199 11%	68 16%	83 11%	75 10%	38 8%	122 10%	98 17% ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 35

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QP51H. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - The pressure on them to spend money online (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	513 22%	93 23%	91 29%	99 30%	96 19%	75 15%	59 19%	379 24%	134 16%	255 21%	249 22%	39 26%	288 26%	170 16%
			def	def				b					c	
Fairly concerned	691 29%	93 23%	87 28%	101 30%	160 31%	161 32%	88 28%	442 28%	249 30%	357 30%	327 29%	29 19%	318 29%	325 31%
Neither/ nor	368 15%	55 14%	46 15%	56 17%	86 17%	78 15%	46 15%	244 16%	124 15%	183 15%	182 16%	21 14%	174 16%	160 15%
Not very concerned	495 21%	69 17%	43 14%	45 14%	114 22%	144 28%	80 25%	271 17%	224 27%	224 19%	263 23%	23 15%	185 17%	276 26%
					bc	abc	bc		a					b
Not at all concerned	289 12%	79 20%	42 13%	30 9%	52 10%	46 9%	41 13%	203 13%	87 11%	161 13%	118 10%	33 22%	136 12%	109 10%
		cde										bc		
Don't know	24 1%	9 2%	5 2%	1 *	3 1%	3 1%	3 1%	19 1%	6 1%	16 1%	7 1%	5 3%	14 1%	4 *
												c		
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1204 51%	187 47%	178 57%	200 60%	257 50%	235 47%	147 46%	821 53%	383 46%	612 51%	576 50%	68 45%	606 54%	495 47%
				aef									c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	785 33%	148 37%	85 27%	75 22%	166 33%	189 37%	121 38%	474 30%	311 38%	385 32%	382 33%	56 37%	321 29%	384 37%
		c			c	bc	bc		a					b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	393 16%	65 16%	52 16%	57 17%	89 17%	80 16%	50 16%	263 17%	130 16%	199 17%	189 16%	26 17%	189 17%	164 16%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Table 35

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QP51H. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - The pressure on them to spend money online (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	513 22%	40 20%	53 27%	50 31%	39 26%	56 33%	40 25%	44 17%	52 21%	31 12%	40 17%	34 22%	25 16%
			i	gijl	i	gijl	i						
Fairly concerned	691 29%	50 25%	43 22%	42 26%	45 30%	45 27%	56 35%	95 37%	63 25%	79 32%	81 34%	46 29%	39 25%
								b					
Neither/ nor	368 15%	34 17%	22 11%	20 13%	26 17%	27 16%	29 18%	36 14%	48 19%	48 19%	30 12%	19 12%	28 18%
Not very concerned	495 21%	35 17%	34 17%	17 11%	26 17%	22 13%	23 15%	46 18%	66 27%	68 27%	71 29%	36 22%	44 29%
									ce	cef	cef	c	cef
Not at all concerned	289 12%	39 19%	39 20%	27 17%	14 9%	18 11%	12 7%	31 12%	19 8%	23 9%	18 8%	24 15%	16 11%
			fhj	fhj									
Don't know	24 1%	6 3%	3 2%	4 2%	1 1%	1 1%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	2 1%	1 *%	* *%	1 1%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1204 51%	90 44%	96 50%	92 57%	85 56%	101 60%	96 60%	139 55%	115 46%	110 44%	121 50%	80 51%	63 42%
				l		il	il						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	785 33%	74 36%	73 37%	45 28%	40 26%	40 24%	35 22%	77 30%	86 34%	91 36%	89 37%	59 37%	60 39%
			f						f	f	f	f	ef
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	393 16%	40 19%	25 13%	24 15%	27 18%	28 17%	29 18%	38 15%	48 19%	50 20%	31 13%	19 12%	29 19%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP51H. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - The pressure on them to spend money online (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	513 22%	432 21%	40 22%	25 23%	16 22%	513 22%	470 22%	44 16%	155 23%	139 24%	92 18%	123 22%	294 23%	215 20%	513 22%
Fairly concerned	691 29%	583 29%	52 29%	34 32%	22 29%	691 29%	619 29%	72 27%	226 33%	150 26%	152 29%	156 28%	376 30%	308 28%	691 29%
Neither/ nor	368 15%	311 15%	31 17%	14 13%	12 17%	368 15%	322 15%	46 17%	87 13%	83 14%	102 20%	91 16%	170 13%	193 18%	368 15%
Not very concerned	495 21%	419 21%	38 21%	21 20%	17 23%	495 21%	416 20%	79 29%	154 23%	143 25%	99 19%	88 16%	297 23%	188 17%	495 21%
Not at all concerned	289 12%	253 13%	18 10%	12 11%	6 8%	289 12%	262 12%	28 10%	57 8%	63 11%	72 14%	92 17%	120 9%	165 15%	289 12%
Don't know	24 1%	21 1%	2 1%	2 2%	* *%	24 1%	23 1%	1 *%	5 1%	6 1%	4 1%	9 2%	11 1%	13 1%	24 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1204 51%	1015 50%	92 51%	59 55%	38 51%	1204 51%	1088 52%	116 43%	382 56%	288 49%	245 47%	278 50%	670 53%	523 48%	1204 51%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	785 33%	673 33%	56 31%	33 30%	23 32%	785 33%	678 32%	107 40%	211 31%	206 35%	171 33%	181 32%	417 33%	352 33%	785 33%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	393 16%	332 16%	32 18%	16 15%	13 17%	393 16%	345 16%	47 18%	92 13%	88 15%	106 20%	100 18%	181 14%	206 19%	393 16%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Table 35

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QP51H. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - The pressure on them to spend money online (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	513 22%	106 21%	386 22%	85 19%	158 20%	165 22%	127 26%	253 21%	112 19%
Fairly concerned	691 29%	159 31%	506 28%	139 32%	222 28%	241 31%	130 27%	355 29%	180 31%
Neither/ nor	368 15%	77 15%	269 15%	71 16%	117 15%	104 14%	53 11%	191 16%	105 18% a
Not very concerned	495 21%	85 17%	398 22%	78 18%	169 22%	189 25%	108 22%	258 21%	105 18%
Not at all concerned	289 12%	79 15%	201 11%	60 14%	110 14% c	63 8%	57 12%	152 13%	71 12%
Don't know	24 1%	3 1%	17 1%	5 1%	7 1%	4 1%	9 2%	7 1%	4 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1204 51%	265 52%	891 50%	224 51%	380 49%	406 53%	257 53%	607 50%	292 51%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	785 33%	163 32%	598 34%	138 32%	279 36%	251 33%	165 34%	411 34%	176 30%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	393 16%	80 16%	286 16%	76 17%	124 16%	108 14%	62 13%	198 16%	109 19%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 36

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QP51I. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Companies collecting information about what they are doing online (e.g. what they have been looking at online/ sites they have visited etc.) (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	654 27%	112 28%	93 29%	109 33%	138 27%	127 25%	77 24%	450 29%	204 25%	299 25%	339 30%	43 29%	330 30%	264 25%
Fairly concerned	826 35%	101 25%	97 31%	118 36%	191 37%	193 38%	126 40%	507 33%	319 39%	437 37%	376 33%	32 21%	362 32%	408 39%
Neither/ nor	447 19%	76 19%	59 19%	59 18%	107 21%	92 18%	53 17%	302 19%	146 18%	236 20%	210 18%	17 12%	221 20%	190 18%
Not very concerned	301 13%	60 15%	41 13%	30 9%	58 11%	66 13%	46 15%	189 12%	112 14%	147 12%	151 13%	33 22%	125 11%	133 13%
Not at all concerned	122 5%	47 12%	17 5%	12 4%	14 3%	22 4%	11 3%	90 6%	33 4%	64 5%	56 5%	23 15%	58 5%	40 4%
Don't know	31 1%	3 1%	8 3%	5 1%	5 1%	6 1%	5 1%	21 1%	10 1%	14 1%	15 1%	1 1%	19 2%	9 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1480 62%	213 53%	190 60%	227 68%	328 64%	320 63%	203 64%	958 61%	523 63%	735 61%	715 62%	75 50%	692 62%	672 64%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	423 18%	107 27%	58 18%	42 13%	71 14%	88 17%	57 18%	278 18%	145 18%	211 18%	207 18%	56 37%	183 16%	173 17%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	478 20%	79 20%	67 21%	63 19%	112 22%	98 19%	58 18%	322 21%	156 19%	249 21%	225 20%	19 13%	240 22%	198 19%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP51I. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Companies collecting information about what they are doing online (e.g. what they have been looking at online/ sites they have visited etc.) (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	654 27%	47 23%	64 33%	47 29%	44 29%	55 33%	50 31%	63 25%	73 29%	51 21%	66 28%	35 22%	41 27%
Fairly concerned	826 35%	55 27%	45 23%	51 31%	46 31%	64 38%	54 34%	102 40% b	82 33%	99 40% b	90 38%	65 41% b	58 38%
Neither/ nor	447 19%	45 22%	31 16%	28 17%	31 21%	26 15%	33 20%	55 22%	52 21%	52 21%	40 17%	30 19%	23 15%
Not very concerned	301 13%	35 17% e	25 13%	20 13%	20 14%	12 7%	18 12%	26 10%	32 13%	34 14%	30 12%	21 13%	25 16%
Not at all concerned	122 5%	20 10% dgl	26 13% dfghil	14 8% g	3 2%	8 5%	4 2%	4 2%	10 4%	10 4%	11 5%	8 5%	3 2%
Don't know	31 1%	1 *% a	2 1%	1 1%	6 4%	3 2%	1 1%	5 2%	- -%	3 1%	3 1%	1 *% b	3 2%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1480 62%	103 50%	110 57%	98 61%	90 60%	120 71% a	104 65%	164 65%	155 62%	151 60%	157 65%	100 63%	99 65%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	423 18%	55 27% efg	51 26% eg	34 21%	23 15%	19 12%	22 14%	30 12%	42 17%	44 18%	41 17%	29 18%	27 18%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	478 20%	46 23%	33 17%	29 18%	38 25%	29 17%	34 21%	60 24%	52 21%	55 22%	43 18%	30 19%	25 17%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP511. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Companies collecting information about what they are doing online (e.g. what they have been looking at online/ sites they have visited etc.) (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						ALL UK
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	654 27%	563 28%	38 21%	30 28%	22 30% b	654 27%	589 28%	65 24%	226 33% cf	153 26%	126 24%	142 25%	378 30%	268 25%	654 27%
Fairly concerned	826 35%	681 34%	76 42% ae	40 37%	29 39%	826 35%	734 35%	93 34%	262 38%	201 35%	174 33%	173 31%	463 37%	347 32%	826 35%
Neither/ nor	447 19%	388 19%	31 17%	17 16%	11 15%	447 19%	385 18%	62 23%	95 14%	115 20%	118 23% a	119 21% a	210 17%	237 22% ae	447 19% a
Not very concerned	301 13%	253 13%	25 14%	13 12%	9 12%	301 13%	255 12%	46 17%	82 12%	81 14%	68 13%	69 12%	163 13%	137 13%	301 13%
Not at all concerned	122 5%	110 5%	5 3%	5 5%	2 2%	122 5%	118 6%	4 2%	14 2%	29 5%	30 6% a	45 8% ae	42 3%	75 7% ae	122 5% a
Don't know	31 1%	24 1%	4 2%	2 2%	1 1%	31 1%	31 1%	- -%	7 1%	4 1%	6 1%	11 2%	11 1%	17 2%	31 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1480 62%	1245 62%	114 64%	70 65%	51 69% a	1480 62%	1323 63%	158 58%	488 71% bcdfg	354 61%	301 58%	315 56%	842 66% cdf	616 57%	1480 62%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	423 18%	363 18%	31 17%	19 17%	11 15%	423 18%	373 18%	50 19%	96 14%	110 19%	98 19%	113 20%	205 16%	212 20% a	423 18%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	478 20%	412 20%	35 19%	19 18%	12 16%	478 20%	416 20%	62 23%	102 15%	119 21%	123 24% a	131 23% a	221 17%	254 23% ae	478 20% a

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP511. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Companies collecting information about what they are doing online (e.g. what they have been looking at online/ sites they have visited etc.) (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	654 27%	143 28%	489 28%	100 23%	206 26%	216 28%	152 31%	323 27%	155 27%
Fairly concerned	826 35%	170 33%	629 35%	152 35%	274 35%	273 36%	157 32%	439 36%	191 33%
Neither/ nor	447 19%	113 22%	314 18%	102 23%	151 19%	132 17%	80 17%	235 19%	117 20%
Not very concerned	301 13%	52 10%	236 13%	48 11%	101 13%	109 14%	63 13%	146 12%	79 14%
Not at all concerned	122 5%	25 5%	87 5%	27 6%	46 6%	26 3%	25 5%	63 5%	27 5%
Don't know	31 1%	6 1%	21 1%	10 2%	6 1%	9 1%	7 2%	10 1%	9 2%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1480 62%	313 62%	1118 63%	252 58%	480 61%	489 64%	308 64%	762 63%	346 60%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	423 18%	77 15%	323 18%	75 17%	147 19%	135 18%	87 18%	209 17%	105 18%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	478 20%	119 23%	335 19%	111 25%	157 20%	141 18%	88 18%	245 20%	126 22%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	673	124	107	116	141	110	75	489	185	336	326	49	361	247
	28%	31%	34%	35%	28%	22%	24%	31%	22%	28%	28%	33%	32%	24%
			ef	ef				b					c	
Fairly concerned	790	98	96	129	186	191	91	508	282	400	375	30	371	368
	33%	25%	30%	39%	36%	38%	29%	33%	34%	33%	33%	20%	33%	35%
				af	a	a								a
Neither/ nor	322	52	34	29	77	80	50	192	130	164	157	16	129	158
	14%	13%	11%	9%	15%	16%	16%	12%	16%	14%	14%	11%	12%	15%
						c								
Not very concerned	355	65	38	35	75	79	62	213	141	168	183	26	148	170
	15%	16%	12%	11%	15%	16%	20%	14%	17%	14%	16%	17%	13%	16%
							c							
Not at all concerned	208	52	30	18	27	44	38	126	82	111	90	21	85	97
	9%	13%	10%	5%	5%	9%	12%	8%	10%	9%	8%	14%	8%	9%
		cd					cd							
Don't know	33	9	9	5	7	1	3	30	4	16	15	6	21	4
	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	*%	1%	2%	*%	1%	1%	4%	2%	*%
			e									c	c	
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1464	222	203	245	327	301	166	997	467	736	702	80	732	615
	61%	56%	64%	74%	64%	60%	52%	64%	57%	62%	61%	54%	66%	59%
			f	aef	f			b					c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	563	117	69	53	101	123	100	340	223	280	273	47	232	267
	24%	29%	22%	16%	20%	24%	31%	22%	27%	23%	24%	31%	21%	26%
		c					cd							
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	355	61	43	34	83	81	53	221	134	181	172	23	151	162
	15%	15%	14%	10%	16%	16%	17%	14%	16%	15%	15%	15%	14%	16%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	673 28%	64 31%	60 31%	57 35% i	49 32%	63 37%	50 31% il	63 25%	76 31%	50 20%	58 24%	39 25%	33 22%
Fairly concerned	790 33%	57 28%	41 21%	45 28%	51 33%	60 36%	69 43% bc	97 38% b	83 34%	95 38% b	87 36%	46 29%	44 29%
Neither/ nor	322 14%	27 13%	25 13%	15 9%	19 12%	19 11%	10 6%	43 17% f	34 14%	37 15%	43 18% f	24 15%	26 17% f
Not very concerned	355 15%	32 16%	34 17%	21 13%	18 12%	14 8%	22 13%	31 12%	44 18%	44 18%	34 14%	28 17%	33 22% e
Not at all concerned	208 9%	23 11%	27 14% fh	18 11%	12 8%	10 6%	7 5%	16 6%	9 4%	24 9%	18 8%	21 13% h	16 10%
Don't know	33 1%	2 1%	6 3%	5 3%	4 2%	3 2%	2 1%	4 2%	2 1%	- -%	1 *%	1 1%	* *%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1464 61%	120 59%	102 53%	102 63%	100 66%	123 73% bikl	119 74% bikl	160 63%	159 64%	146 58%	145 60%	85 53%	77 51%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	563 24%	54 27%	61 31% e	39 24%	30 20%	24 14%	29 18%	46 18%	53 21%	68 27% e	52 21%	49 31% e	49 32% efg
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	355 15%	29 14%	31 16%	20 13%	22 15%	22 13%	12 8%	47 19% f	36 15%	37 15%	44 18% f	25 16%	26 17%

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	Total	NATION					AREA			SOCIAL GRADE					
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	673 28%	572 28%	42 23%	34 31%	25 34% b	673 28%	608 29%	65 24%	226 33% cf	179 31% c	112 21%	146 26%	404 32% cf	258 24%	673 28%
Fairly concerned	790 33%	670 33%	65 36%	32 30%	23 31%	790 33%	702 33%	88 33%	229 33%	192 33%	191 37%	167 30%	421 33%	359 33%	790 33%
Neither/ nor	322 14%	271 13%	26 14%	14 13%	10 14%	322 14%	289 14%	33 12%	74 11%	74 13%	80 15%	93 17%	148 12%	173 16% a	322 14%
Not very concerned	355 15%	298 15%	30 17%	15 14%	11 15%	355 15%	294 14%	60 22% a	104 15%	95 16%	87 17%	66 12%	199 16%	153 14%	355 15%
Not at all concerned	208 9%	180 9% d	15 8%	10 9%	3 4%	208 9%	185 9%	23 8%	48 7%	41 7%	52 10%	65 12% e	89 7% e	117 11% e	208 9%
Don't know	33 1%	28 1%	2 1%	3 3%	1 1%	33 1%	33 2%	* *%	5 1%	2 *%	1 *%	22 4% abceg	7 1%	22 2% e	33 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1464 61%	1242 62%	107 60%	66 61%	48 65%	1464 61%	1310 62%	154 57%	454 66% df	371 64%	303 58%	313 56%	825 65% df	616 57%	1464 61%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	563 24%	478 24%	45 25%	25 23%	15 20%	563 24%	480 23%	83 31% a	152 22%	136 23%	139 27%	131 23%	288 23%	270 25%	563 24%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	355 15%	299 15%	28 15%	17 16%	11 15%	355 15%	322 15%	33 12%	79 12%	76 13%	80 15%	115 21% abeg	156 12%	195 18% ae	355 15%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	673 28%	155 31%	498 28%	121 28%	198 25%	245 32%	160 33%	329 27%	165 29%
Fairly concerned	790 33%	163 32%	592 33%	141 32%	266 34%	245 32%	143 30%	413 34%	193 33%
Neither/ nor	322 14%	73 14%	231 13%	77 18%	104 13%	85 11%	47 10%	166 14%	95 16%
Not very concerned	355 15%	59 12%	290 16%	50 11%	118 15%	136 18%	83 17%	183 15%	78 13%
Not at all concerned	208 9%	53 10%	143 8%	42 10%	91 12%	51 7%	45 9%	114 9%	40 7%
Don't know	33 1%	6 1%	22 1%	6 1%	7 1%	3 *	7 1%	13 1%	6 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1464 61%	318 63%	1090 61%	263 60%	464 59%	490 64%	303 63%	742 61%	358 62%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	563 24%	112 22%	433 24%	91 21%	209 27%	186 24%	127 26%	296 24%	118 20%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	355 15%	79 15%	253 14%	84 19%	111 14%	88 12%	54 11%	178 15%	101 18%

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	1076	187	167	201	245	172	105	800	277	518	540	71	599	381
	45%	47%	53%	60%	48%	34%	33%	51%	34%	43%	47%	48%	54%	37%
		ef	ef	adef	ef			b					c	
Fairly concerned	685	82	69	85	149	199	102	385	300	350	328	30	248	387
	29%	21%	22%	26%	29%	39%	32%	25%	36%	29%	29%	20%	22%	37%
						abcd	ab		a					ab
Neither/ nor	210	41	23	17	45	40	44	125	85	112	95	14	86	94
	9%	10%	7%	5%	9%	8%	14%	8%	10%	9%	8%	10%	8%	9%
							bc							
Not very concerned	259	38	24	16	51	80	50	129	130	126	130	10	96	144
	11%	10%	8%	5%	10%	16%	16%	8%	16%	11%	11%	7%	9%	14%
						bc	bc		a					b
Not at all concerned	127	40	31	10	18	13	15	99	28	77	45	19	72	35
	5%	10%	10%	3%	3%	3%	5%	6%	3%	6%	4%	12%	6%	3%
		cde	cde									c	c	
Don't know	23	11	2	3	4	-	3	21	3	13	8	5	14	2
	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%
		e										c		
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1762	270	235	286	394	371	206	1184	577	868	868	102	847	768
	74%	67%	75%	86%	77%	73%	65%	76%	70%	73%	76%	68%	76%	74%
				abdef	f									
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	386	79	55	26	69	94	65	228	158	203	175	28	167	179
	16%	20%	17%	8%	13%	19%	20%	15%	19%	17%	15%	19%	15%	17%
		c	c			c	c							
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	234	51	25	21	49	40	47	146	88	125	103	19	101	96
	10%	13%	8%	6%	10%	8%	15%	9%	11%	10%	9%	13%	9%	9%
							bce							

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	1076	85	102	87	78	103	95	120	125	72	89	52	51
	45%	42%	53%	54%	52%	61%	59%	47%	50%	29%	37%	33%	34%
			ikl	ijkl	ikl	aijkl	aijkl	i	ikl				
Fairly concerned	685	48	34	34	35	38	47	70	74	107	91	53	47
	29%	24%	18%	21%	23%	22%	30%	28%	30%	43%	38%	33%	31%
										abcdeg	bcde	b	
Neither/ nor	210	17	23	13	10	11	6	27	16	22	18	22	21
	9%	8%	12%	8%	6%	7%	4%	10%	7%	9%	8%	14%	14%
												f	f
Not very concerned	259	25	13	8	16	8	8	20	31	42	35	22	27
	11%	12%	7%	5%	10%	5%	5%	8%	12%	17%	15%	14%	18%
										cef	cef	ce	bcef
Not at all concerned	127	23	16	18	13	8	2	13	3	7	7	9	5
	5%	11%	8%	11%	8%	5%	1%	5%	1%	3%	3%	6%	3%
		fhij	fh	fhij	fh								
Don't know	23	5	6	2	-	1	2	4	-	-	-	*	1
	1%	2%	3%	1%	-%	1%	1%	2%	-%	-%	-%	*%	1%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1762	134	136	121	113	140	142	190	199	179	181	105	98
	74%	66%	70%	75%	75%	83%	89%	75%	80%	72%	75%	66%	64%
						akl	abcdgijkl		akl				
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	386	48	29	26	28	16	10	33	34	49	42	31	32
	16%	24%	15%	16%	19%	9%	6%	13%	14%	20%	17%	20%	21%
		ef			f					f	f	f	ef
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	234	22	29	15	10	13	8	31	16	22	18	23	22
	10%	11%	15%	9%	6%	8%	5%	12%	7%	9%	8%	14%	15%
			f										f

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	1076 45%	897 44%	84 47%	56 52%	40 55% ae	1076 45%	960 45%	116 43%	347 51% cf	252 43%	215 41%	243 43%	598 47%	459 42%	1076 45%
Fairly concerned	685 29%	589 29%	49 27%	26 24%	21 28%	685 29%	619 29%	66 25%	200 29%	184 32%	165 32%	134 24%	384 30%	299 28%	685 29%
Neither/ nor	210 9%	174 9%	19 11%	11 10%	6 8%	210 9%	177 8%	33 12%	45 7%	41 7%	55 10%	63 11% e	87 7%	117 11% e	210 9%
Not very concerned	259 11%	230 11% d	17 9%	8 7%	4 6%	259 11% d	214 10%	46 17% a	63 9%	72 12%	56 11%	67 12%	135 11%	123 11%	259 11%
Not at all concerned	127 5%	109 5%	10 6%	6 5%	2 3%	127 5%	118 6%	8 3%	27 4%	27 5%	28 5%	43 8%	55 4%	71 7%	127 5%
Don't know	23 1%	21 1%	* *% *	1 1%	* *% *	23 1%	23 1%	- -%	3 *% *	7 1%	3 1%	10 2%	10 1%	13 1%	23 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1762 74%	1486 74%	133 74%	82 76%	61 83% abe	1762 74%	1579 75%	182 68%	547 80% dfg	435 75%	381 73%	377 67%	982 77% df	758 70%	1762 74%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	386 16%	339 17% d	27 15%	13 13%	6 9%	386 16% d	332 16%	54 20%	90 13%	99 17%	84 16%	110 20% a	189 15%	193 18%	386 16%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	234 10%	195 10%	20 11%	12 11%	6 9%	234 10%	200 9%	33 12%	48 7%	48 8%	58 11%	72 13% ae	96 8%	130 12% ae	234 10%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	1076 45%	239 47%	794 45%	190 43%	336 43%	342 45%	227 47%	552 45%	254 44%
Fairly concerned	685 29%	136 27%	527 30%	133 30%	210 27%	254 33%	130 27%	372 31%	159 27%
Neither/ nor	210 9%	44 9%	148 8%	43 10%	75 10%	50 7%	36 7%	82 7%	77 13% b
Not very concerned	259 11%	60 12%	196 11%	42 10%	107 14%	81 11%	57 12%	135 11%	54 9%
Not at all concerned	127 5%	27 5%	93 5%	25 6%	47 6%	32 4%	30 6%	64 5%	29 5%
Don't know	23 1%	2 *%	18 1%	4 1%	8 1%	6 1%	3 1%	12 1%	4 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1762 74%	375 74%	1321 74%	324 74%	547 70%	596 78% b	358 74%	924 76%	413 72%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	386 16%	87 17%	289 16%	67 15%	154 20%	112 15%	87 18%	199 16%	83 14%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	234 10%	46 9%	166 9%	47 11%	83 11%	56 7%	39 8%	94 8%	81 14% b

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	952 40%	184 46%	154 49%	176 53%	206 40%	148 29%	84 27%	720 46%	233 28%	471 39%	470 41%	70 47%	540 48%	323 31%
		ef	ef	def	ef			b				c	c	
Fairly concerned	849 36%	121 30%	95 30%	102 31%	197 39%	219 43%	115 36%	514 33%	335 41%	423 35%	412 36%	46 31%	348 31%	432 41%
						abc			a					b
Neither/ nor	241 10%	30 8%	25 8%	28 8%	56 11%	59 12%	44 14%	139 9%	102 12%	114 10%	125 11%	9 6%	98 9%	117 11%
Not very concerned	225 9%	24 6%	23 7%	18 5%	38 7%	65 13%	57 18%	103 7%	122 15%	125 10%	95 8%	8 5%	72 6%	134 13%
						ac	abcd		a					b
Not at all concerned	86 4%	33 8%	13 4%	5 2%	10 2%	12 2%	13 4%	61 4%	26 3%	45 4%	39 3%	14 9%	39 4%	31 3%
		cde										bc		
Don't know	27 1%	9 2%	5 1%	4 1%	4 1%	2 *	4 1%	22 1%	6 1%	18 2%	7 1%	3 2%	17 2%	6 1%

SUMMARY

TOTAL CONCERNED	1801 76%	305 76%	249 79%	278 84%	403 79%	368 73%	200 63%	1234 79%	567 69%	894 75%	881 77%	115 77%	888 80%	755 72%
		f	f	ef	f	f		b					c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	311 13%	56 14%	36 11%	23 7%	48 9%	77 15%	71 22%	163 10%	148 18%	170 14%	133 12%	22 15%	112 10%	165 16%
		c				c	bcd		a					b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	269 11%	39 10%	30 9%	32 9%	61 12%	60 12%	48 15%	161 10%	108 13%	132 11%	132 11%	12 8%	115 10%	124 12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	952 40%	86 42%	97 50%	85 52%	69 45%	90 53%	82 51%	95 38%	111 44%	69 28%	73 30%	46 29%	38 25%
		l	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	gijkl	ijkl		ikl				
Fairly concerned	849 36%	65 32%	56 29%	45 28%	49 33%	47 28%	55 34%	103 41%	87 35%	111 45%	103 43%	51 32%	62 41%
										bce	e		
Neither/ nor	241 10%	19 9%	11 6%	12 7%	13 9%	15 9%	12 8%	19 7%	36 14%	25 10%	33 14%	24 15%	19 12%
Not very concerned	225 9%	11 5%	13 7%	11 7%	12 8%	11 7%	6 4%	27 11%	11 4%	36 14%	26 11%	29 18%	27 18%
										fh		abcefh	abcefh
Not at all concerned	86 4%	17 8%	14 7%	5 3%	7 4%	4 2%	2 1%	5 2%	5 2%	8 3%	5 2%	6 4%	6 4%
		f											
Don't know	27 1%	6 3%	2 1%	3 2%	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	4 2%	- -%	* *%	1 1%	3 2%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1801 76%	151 74%	153 79%	130 80%	118 78%	137 81%	137 86%	198 78%	197 79%	180 72%	176 73%	97 61%	100 66%
			k	kl	k	kl	ikl	k	k				
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	311 13%	28 14%	27 14%	16 10%	19 12%	15 9%	8 5%	32 13%	16 6%	44 18%	31 13%	35 22%	33 22%
										fh		cefh	cefh
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	269 11%	25 12%	13 7%	15 9%	15 10%	17 10%	15 9%	23 9%	36 14%	26 10%	34 14%	26 17%	19 12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	952 40%	798 39%	75 42%	45 42%	35 47%	952 40%	857 41%	95 35%	309 45% cdf	240 41%	182 35%	200 36%	550 43% cf	382 35%	952 40%
Fairly concerned	849 36%	726 36%	60 33%	38 35%	26 36%	849 36%	754 36%	95 35%	251 37%	217 37%	207 40%	172 31%	467 37%	379 35%	849 36%
Neither/ nor	241 10%	205 10%	20 11%	10 9%	7 9%	241 10%	210 10%	32 12%	49 7%	50 9%	50 10%	91 16% abeg	100 8%	141 13% ae	241 10%
Not very concerned	225 9%	196 10%	16 9%	9 8%	5 7%	225 9%	182 9%	43 16% a	58 8%	59 10%	56 11%	48 9%	117 9%	104 10%	225 9%
Not at all concerned	86 4%	73 4%	8 5%	5 4%	1 1%	86 4%	82 4%	4 2%	15 2%	8 1%	24 5% be	37 7% abe	23 2%	61 6% abe	86 4% e
Don't know	27 1%	24 1%	2 1%	2 2%	* *% ae	27 1%	27 1%	- -%	3 *% dfg	9 1% df	3 1%	11 2%	12 1% dfg	15 1%	27 1% df
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1801 76%	1523 75%	134 75%	83 77%	61 83% ae	1801 76%	1611 76%	190 71%	560 82% dfg	457 78% df	389 75%	372 67%	1017 80% dfg	761 70%	1801 76% df
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	311 13%	268 13% d	24 13%	14 13%	6 8%	311 13% d	264 12%	47 18%	73 11%	67 11%	80 15%	85 15%	140 11%	165 15%	311 13%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	269 11%	228 11%	22 12%	12 11%	7 9%	269 11%	237 11%	32 12%	52 8%	59 10%	53 10%	102 18% abceg	111 9%	155 14% ae	269 11%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST	DOING WELL	GETTING BY	STRUGGLING
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	952 40%	229 45%	685 39%	167 38%	303 39%	307 40%	201 42%	493 41%	217 38%
Fairly concerned	849 36%	159 31%	658 37%	152 35%	261 33%	305 40%	175 36%	443 36%	197 34%
Neither/ nor	241 10%	51 10%	178 10%	54 12%	88 11%	56 7%	24 5%	121 10%	83 14%
								a	a
Not very concerned	225 9%	48 9%	174 10%	38 9%	91 12%	69 9%	53 11%	108 9%	54 9%
Not at all concerned	86 4%	17 3%	62 3%	20 5%	32 4%	22 3%	26 5%	41 3%	16 3%
Don't know	27 1%	4 1%	20 1%	6 1%	9 1%	5 1%	4 1%	10 1%	10 2%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1801 76%	388 76%	1343 76%	320 73%	564 72%	613 80%	376 78%	936 77%	415 72%
						b			
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	311 13%	65 13%	235 13%	58 13%	122 16%	92 12%	79 16%	149 12%	70 12%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	269 11%	55 11%	197 11%	60 14%	97 12%	61 8%	28 6%	131 11%	92 16%
				c				a	a

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP51M. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Them not knowing how to tell if something is real or fake online (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Very concerned	848 36%	159 40%	135 43%	149 45%	184 36%	137 27%	84 26%	627 40%	221 27%	410 34%	418 36%	70 47%	459 41%	301 29%
		ef	ef	ef				b				c	c	
Fairly concerned	873 37%	134 34%	108 34%	124 37%	202 40%	193 38%	111 35%	569 36%	304 37%	435 36%	427 37%	36 24%	411 37%	399 38%
Neither/ nor	290 12%	55 14%	32 10%	31 9%	54 11%	72 14%	46 15%	172 11%	118 14%	149 12%	139 12%	26 17%	111 10%	147 14%
Not very concerned	224 9%	15 4%	17 5%	20 6%	53 10%	74 15%	46 14%	105 7%	119 15%	118 10%	105 9%	4 3%	72 6%	133 13%
				a	abc	abc		a						ab
Not at all concerned	116 5%	26 7%	17 5%	5 2%	14 3%	24 5%	30 9%	62 4%	54 7%	64 5%	48 4%	11 7%	43 4%	56 5%
		c					cd							
Don't know	30 1%	9 2%	7 2%	3 1%	4 1%	5 1%	2 *%	24 2%	6 1%	19 2%	10 1%	3 2%	19 2%	8 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1721 72%	294 73%	243 77%	273 82%	386 75%	330 65%	195 61%	1196 77%	525 64%	845 71%	844 74%	106 71%	871 78%	700 67%
		f	ef	ef	ef			b					c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	340 14%	42 10%	33 11%	25 8%	67 13%	98 19%	76 24%	167 11%	173 21%	182 15%	153 13%	15 10%	114 10%	188 18%
						abc	abcd		a					b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	320 13%	64 16%	39 12%	34 10%	59 11%	77 15%	48 15%	196 13%	125 15%	168 14%	149 13%	28 19%	130 12%	155 15%

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Very concerned	848 36%	80 39%	79 41%	59 37%	74 49%	76 45%	70 44%	91 36%	89 36%	59 24%	69 29%	46 29%	36 24%
		il	il		ijkl	ijkl	ijkl						
Fairly concerned	873 37%	65 32%	69 36%	67 42%	41 27%	61 37%	62 39%	98 39%	101 41%	99 40%	89 37%	44 28%	64 42%
													d
Neither/ nor	290 12%	33 16%	23 12%	11 7%	21 14%	19 11%	12 7%	30 12%	23 9%	31 12%	41 17%	26 17%	20 13%
											c	c	
Not very concerned	224 9%	9 5%	6 3%	10 6%	6 4%	6 4%	14 8%	25 10%	28 11%	43 17%	30 13%	24 15%	21 14%
										abcde	be	abde	bde
Not at all concerned	116 5%	10 5%	14 7%	10 6%	6 4%	3 2%	2 1%	8 3%	6 2%	15 6%	8 3%	18 11%	11 8%
												efh	
Don't know	30 1%	7 3%	2 1%	4 2%	3 2%	3 2%	- -%	3 1%	2 1%	1 *%	4 2%	1 1%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1721 72%	145 71%	149 77%	126 78%	115 76%	137 81%	132 83%	188 74%	191 77%	159 64%	158 65%	90 57%	100 66%
			k	ik	k	ijkl	ijkl	k	k				
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	340 14%	20 10%	20 11%	20 13%	12 8%	9 5%	16 10%	33 13%	33 13%	59 24%	39 16%	41 26%	32 21%
										abdef	e	abcdefgh	def
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	320 13%	39 19%	25 13%	15 9%	24 16%	22 13%	12 7%	32 13%	25 10%	32 13%	44 18%	28 17%	20 13%
		f									f		

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Very concerned	848 36%	709 35%	64 36%	43 40%	32 43%	848 36%	767 36%	81 30%	286 42% cdfg	231 40% cf	131 25%	185 33%	516 41% cf	315 29%	848 36% cf
Fairly concerned	873 37%	749 37%	64 36%	35 33%	25 33%	873 37%	759 36%	114 42%	249 36%	214 37%	219 42%	183 33%	463 37%	402 37%	873 37%
Neither/ nor	290 12%	245 12%	27 15%	12 11%	7 10%	290 12%	257 12%	33 12%	65 9%	56 10%	83 16% ae	85 15% ae	121 10%	167 15% abe	290 12%
Not very concerned	224 9%	189 9%	16 9%	10 9%	8 11%	224 9%	187 9%	37 14%	57 8%	56 10%	59 11%	50 9%	113 9%	108 10%	224 9%
Not at all concerned	116 5%	101 5%	8 4%	6 5%	2 2%	116 5%	112 5%	4 1%	25 4%	22 4%	28 5%	38 7%	46 4%	66 6%	116 5%
Don't know	30 1%	27 1%	1 1%	2 2%	1 1%	30 1%	30 1%	- -%	4 1%	4 1%	3 1%	19 3% aeg	8 1%	22 2%	30 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1721 72%	1458 72%	128 71%	78 73%	56 76%	1721 72%	1525 72%	196 73%	535 78% cdfg	445 76% cdf	350 67%	368 66%	979 77% cdfg	717 66%	1721 72% f
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	340 14%	290 14%	24 13%	16 15%	10 13%	340 14%	299 14%	41 15%	82 12%	77 13%	87 17%	88 16%	159 13%	174 16%	340 14%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	320 13%	271 13%	28 15%	14 13%	8 11%	320 13%	288 14%	33 12%	68 10%	61 10%	86 16% ae	104 19% abe	129 10%	189 18% abe	320 13%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Very concerned	848 36%	203 40%	613 35%	137 31%	257 33%	308 40%	195 40%	419 34%	195 34%
Fairly concerned	873 37%	156 31%	685 39%	156 36%	275 35%	290 38%	176 36%	458 38%	201 35%
Neither/ nor	290 12%	70 14%	206 12%	70 16%	104 13%	70 9%	48 10%	137 11%	91 16%
Not very concerned	224 9%	46 9%	167 9%	35 8%	91 12%	69 9%	43 9%	134 11%	43 7%
Not at all concerned	116 5%	30 6%	82 5%	29 7%	51 7%	23 3%	18 4%	58 5%	36 6%
Don't know	30 1%	4 1%	22 1%	10 2%	6 1%	4 *%	3 1%	11 1%	11 2%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1721 72%	359 71%	1298 73%	293 67%	532 68%	598 78%	371 77%	877 72%	395 69%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	340 14%	76 15%	249 14%	65 15%	142 18%	92 12%	61 13%	192 16%	79 14%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	320 13%	73 14%	228 13%	80 18%	110 14%	74 10%	51 11%	147 12%	103 18%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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ANY CONCERNS ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - ACROSS QP51D-M

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
ANY VERY/ FAIRLY CONCERNED	2196	351	279	318	489	473	286	1437	759	1089	1072	123	1033	978
	92%	88%	89%	96%	96%	94%	90%	92%	92%	91%	94%	83%	93%	94%
				abf	ab								a	a
NONE	185	49	36	14	23	32	32	122	64	106	74	26	82	65
	8%	12%	11%	4%	4%	6%	10%	8%	8%	9%	6%	17%	7%	6%
		cd	cd				c					bc		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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ANY CONCERNS ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - ACROSS QP51D-M

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
ANY VERY/ FAIRLY CONCERNED	2196	176	174	143	135	157	157	238	241	232	227	142	138
	92%	86%	90%	89%	89%	93%	98%	94%	97%	93%	94%	90%	91%
							abcdkl		acd				
NONE	185	28	19	18	16	11	3	16	7	17	14	17	14
	8%	14%	10%	11%	11%	7%	2%	6%	3%	7%	6%	10%	9%
		fh	f	fh	fh							f	f

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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ANY CONCERNS ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - ACROSS QP51D-M

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
ANY VERY/ FAIRLY CONCERNED	2196	1863	164	98	71	2196	1944	252	652	549	477	488	1201	965	2196
	92%	92%	91%	91%	96%	92%	92%	93%	95% df	94% df	91%	87%	95% df	89%	92% d
NONE	185	157	16	9	3	185	167	18	33	34	45	71	66	116	185
	8%	8%	9%	9%	4%	8%	8%	7%	5%	6%	9%	13% abeg	5%	11% abe	8%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
ANY VERY/ FAIRLY CONCERNED	2196	471	1642	401	708	723	445	1125	535
	92%	93%	92%	92%	90%	95%	92%	92%	93%
NONE	185	37	134	37	75	42	38	92	42
	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%	5%	8%	8%	7%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP52A. In the past 12 months, has your child told you about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
Yes	544 23%	80 20%	81 26% f	94 28% f	111 22%	125 25%	53 17%	367 24%	178 22%	267 22%	272 24%	32 21%	277 25%	224 21%
No	1803 76%	318 80%	230 73%	235 71%	392 77%	370 73%	257 81% c	1175 75%	628 76%	908 76%	866 75%	117 78%	826 74%	801 77%
Don't know	34 1%	1 *%	3 1%	3 1%	8 2%	10 2%	8 2%	16 1%	18 2%	22 2%	9 1%	* *%	12 1%	19 2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
Yes	544	42	38	53	28	47	46	46	65	56	66	23	29
	23%	21%	20%	33%	19%	28%	28%	18%	26%	22%	27%	14%	19%
				dgk		k	k				k		
No	1803	161	156	107	121	118	115	203	182	186	173	132	119
	76%	79%	80%	66%	80%	70%	72%	80%	73%	75%	72%	83%	79%
					c			c				c	
Don't know	34	*	*	2	1	3	-	4	2	8	2	4	3
	1%	*%	*%	1%	1%	2%	-%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
Yes	544 23%	460 23%	39 22%	29 27%	16 22%	544 23%	486 23%	58 22%	191 28% df	128 22%	111 21%	109 20%	319 25%	220 20%	544 23%
No	1803 76%	1533 76%	138 77%	76 71%	56 76%	1803 76%	1596 76%	207 77%	488 71%	449 77%	407 78%	436 78%	937 74%	844 78% a	1803 76%
Don't know	34 1%	27 1%	3 1%	3 2%	2 2%	34 1%	30 1%	4 2%	6 1%	6 1%	4 1%	13 2%	12 1%	17 2%	34 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
Yes	544 23%	168 33% b	355 20%	99 23%	170 22%	195 25%	129 27%	273 22%	130 23%
No	1803 76%	331 65%	1401 79% a	333 76%	603 77%	565 74%	352 73%	929 76%	440 76%
Don't know	34 1%	9 2%	20 1%	5 1%	11 1%	5 1%	2 1%	15 1%	7 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP52B. What – if anything – did you do when your child told you about something they had seen online that had scared or upset them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 ~a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 ~d	13-15 e	16-17 ~f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL ~a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	567	74	109	114	91	106	73	388	179	287	275	30	316	205
Effective Weighted Sample	377	50	78	78	63	75	49	258	120	184	190	20	212	138
Total	544	80	81	94	111	125	53	367	178	267	272	32	277	224
Talked to my child about what had happened	455 84%	** **	68 83%	84 89%	** **	97 78%	** **	316 86%	139 78%	219 82%	230 84%	** **	237 86%	184 82%
Advised/ told my child to block certain people/ types of content	303 56%	** **	35 43%	53 56%	** **	81 65%	** b	188 51%	116 65%	146 55%	153 56%	** **	136 49%	148 66%
Advised/ told my child to stop using certain apps/ sites	284 52%	** **	49 60%	56 60%	** **	52 42%	** **	201 55%	83 47%	149 56%	134 49%	** **	155 56%	109 49%
Set up filters/ parental controls	183 34%	** **	38 46%	37 40%	** **	29 24%	** **	148 40%	35 20%	97 36%	86 31%	** **	113 41%	54 24%
Reported the content to the website/ app it appeared on	174 32%	** **	21 26%	35 38%	** **	43 35%	** **	116 32%	58 33%	88 33%	83 30%	** **	87 31%	70 31%
Sought advice on how to handle the situation	108 20%	** **	12 15%	19 20%	** **	26 21%	** **	74 20%	33 19%	41 15%	65 24%	** **	51 18%	49 22%
Reported the content another way	67 12%	** **	7 8%	13 14%	** **	14 11%	** **	48 13%	20 11%	30 11%	38 14%	** **	32 11%	27 12%
Anything else	19 4%	** **	6 7%	5 5%	** **	* *%	** **	19 5%	* *%	9 3%	9 3%	** **	14 5%	5 2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP52B. What – if anything – did you do when your child told you about something they had seen online that had scared or upset them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		~a	b	c	~d	e	~f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	567	74	109	114	91	106	73	388	179	287	275	30	316	205
Effective Weighted Sample	377	50	78	78	63	75	49	258	120	184	190	20	212	138
Total	544	80	81	94	111	125	53	367	178	267	272	32	277	224
No particular action taken	4	**	*	-	**	2	**	2	2	2	2	**	2	2
	1%	**	*%	-%	**	2%	**	1%	1%	1%	1%	**	1%	1%
SUMMARY														
ANY ACTION TAKEN	540	**	81	94	**	123	**	364	176	264	270	**	274	222
	99%	**	100%	100%	**	98%	**	99%	99%	99%	99%	**	99%	99%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		~a	~b	~c	~d	~e	~f	~g	~h	~i	~j	~k	~l
Unweighted total	567	39	35	70	38	63	49	39	52	44	61	32	40
Effective Weighted Sample	377	25	25	49	28	42	35	25	38	32	43	20	29
Total	544	42	38	53	28	47	46	46	65	56	66	23	29
Talked to my child about what had happened	455	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	84%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Advised/ told my child to block certain people/ types of content	303	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	56%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Advised/ told my child to stop using certain apps/ sites	284	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	52%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Set up filters/ parental controls	183	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	34%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Reported the content to the website/ app it appeared on	174	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	32%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Sought advice on how to handle the situation	108	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	20%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Reported the content another way	67	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	12%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Anything else	19	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
	4%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP52B. What – if anything – did you do when your child told you about something they had seen online that had scared or upset them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5 ~a	FEMALE 3-5 ~b	MALE 6-7 ~c	FEMALE 6-7 ~d	MALE 8-9 ~e	FEMALE 8-9 ~f	MALE 10-12 ~g	FEMALE 10-12 ~h	MALE 13-15 ~i	FEMALE 13-15 ~j	MALE 16-17 ~k	FEMALE 16-17 ~l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	567	39	35	70	38	63	49	39	52	44	61	32	40
Effective Weighted Sample	377	25	25	49	28	42	35	25	38	32	43	20	29
Total	544	42	38	53	28	47	46	46	65	56	66	23	29
No particular action taken	4 1%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
SUMMARY													
ANY ACTION TAKEN	540 99%	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP52B. What – if anything – did you do when your child told you about something they had seen online that had scared or upset them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	NATION					AREA			SOCIAL GRADE					
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND ~b	WALES ~c	N IRELAND ~d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL ~b	AB a	C1 b	C2 ~c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	567	314	79	94	80	567	489	78	240	129	88	106	369	194	567
Effective Weighted Sample	377	281	73	90	75	377	329	50	162	91	63	67	251	130	377
Total	544	460	39	29	16	544	486	58	191	128	111	109	319	220	544
Talked to my child about what had happened	455 84%	385 84%	** **	** **	** **	455 84%	403 83%	** **	156 82%	112 87%	** **	87 80%	268 84%	183 83%	455 84%
Advised/ told my child to block certain people/ types of content	303 56%	259 56%	** **	** **	** **	303 56%	266 55%	** **	108 56%	72 57%	** **	57 53%	180 56%	123 56%	303 56%
Advised/ told my child to stop using certain apps/ sites	284 52%	240 52%	** **	** **	** **	284 52%	253 52%	** **	93 48%	73 58%	** **	56 51%	166 52%	116 53%	284 52%
Set up filters/ parental controls	183 34%	153 33%	** **	** **	** **	183 34%	166 34%	** **	61 32%	46 36%	** **	32 29%	107 34%	74 34%	183 34%
Reported the content to the website/ app it appeared on	174 32%	145 32%	** **	** **	** **	174 32%	163 34%	** **	55 29%	46 36%	** **	38 35%	102 32%	72 33%	174 32%
Sought advice on how to handle the situation	108 20%	94 20%	** **	** **	** **	108 20%	101 21%	** **	25 13%	29 23%	** **	32 29%	54 17%	52 24%	108 20%
Reported the content another way	67 12%	60 13%	** **	** **	** **	67 12%	60 12%	** **	28 15%	13 11%	** **	16 15%	41 13%	24 11%	67 12%
Anything else	19 4%	17 4%	** **	** **	** **	19 4%	16 3%	** **	7 4%	8 7%	** **	1 1%	15 5%	4 2%	19 4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Table 43

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QP52B. What – if anything – did you do when your child told you about something they had seen online that had scared or upset them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						ALL UK
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	
Significance Level: 99%		a	~b	~c	~d	e	a	~b	a	b	~c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	567	314	79	94	80	567	489	78	240	129	88	106	369	194	567
Effective Weighted Sample	377	281	73	90	75	377	329	50	162	91	63	67	251	130	377
Total	544	460	39	29	16	544	486	58	191	128	111	109	319	220	544
No particular action taken	4	3	**	**	**	4	4	**	2	-	**	2	2	2	4
	1%	1%	**	**	**	1%	1%	**	1%	-%	**	2%	1%	1%	1%
SUMMARY															
ANY ACTION TAKEN	540	456	**	**	**	540	482	**	189	128	**	107	317	218	540
	99%	99%	**	**	**	99%	99%	**	99%	100%	**	98%	99%	99%	99%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP52B. What – if anything – did you do when your child told you about something they had seen online that had scared or upset them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	567	173	374	103	177	216	143	278	135
Effective Weighted Sample	377	113	251	66	110	154	99	185	86
Total	544	168	355	99	170	195	129	273	130
Talked to my child about what had happened	455 84%	131 78%	309 87%	76 76%	143 84%	164 84%	106 82%	230 84%	110 84%
Advised/ told my child to block certain people/ types of content	303 56%	102 61%	191 54%	57 58%	93 55%	109 56%	74 57%	151 55%	71 55%
Advised/ told my child to stop using certain apps/ sites	284 52%	86 51%	189 53%	53 54%	92 54%	100 52%	62 48%	138 51%	76 58%
Set up filters/ parental controls	183 34%	46 27%	134 38%	30 31%	58 34%	69 35%	47 37%	87 32%	42 32%
Reported the content to the website/ app it appeared on	174 32%	52 31%	113 32%	32 32%	56 33%	66 34%	35 27%	90 33%	45 35%
Sought advice on how to handle the situation	108 20%	49 29%	53 15%	20 21%	42 24%	33 17%	27 21%	55 20%	26 20%
Reported the content another way	67 12%	18 10%	46 13%	10 11%	23 13%	24 12%	20 15%	31 11%	14 11%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP52B. What – if anything – did you do when your child told you about something they had seen online that had scared or upset them? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child has told them about anything they have seen online that has scared or upset them in the past 12 months

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	567	173	374	103	177	216	143	278	135
Effective Weighted Sample	377	113	251	66	110	154	99	185	86
Total	544	168	355	99	170	195	129	273	130
Anything else	19	5	14	1	5	8	3	15	1
	4%	3%	4%	1%	3%	4%	2%	6%	*%
No particular action taken	4	1	3	-	2	1	-	2	2
	1%	1%	1%	-%	1%	*%	-%	1%	2%
SUMMARY									
ANY ACTION TAKEN	540	167	353	99	167	194	129	271	128
	99%	99%	99%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	98%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
With their schoolwork/ homework	1711	158	220	267	413	414	240	1058	653	827	851	34	780	864
	72%	39%	70%	80%	81%	82%	75%	68%	79%	69%	74%	23%	70%	83%
			a	ab	ab	ab	a		a				a	ab
To develop creative skills	1337	204	200	206	310	261	156	920	417	645	674	83	659	567
	56%	51%	63%	62%	61%	52%	49%	59%	51%	54%	59%	56%	59%	54%
			aef	f	f			b						
To develop skills with reading and numbers	1315	282	218	226	278	216	95	1004	312	649	655	104	752	437
	55%	71%	69%	68%	54%	43%	30%	64%	38%	54%	57%	70%	67%	42%
		def	def	def	ef	f		b				c	c	
To learn a new skill	1226	197	159	183	271	245	171	809	416	605	600	75	591	525
	51%	49%	50%	55%	53%	49%	54%	52%	51%	51%	52%	51%	53%	50%
To build or maintain friendships	1016	37	56	107	284	319	212	485	531	501	493	18	291	666
	43%	9%	18%	32%	56%	63%	67%	31%	65%	42%	43%	12%	26%	64%
			a	ab	abc	abc	abcd		a				a	ab
To find useful information about any problems or issues they may have	822	50	80	105	177	245	166	412	411	396	410	18	296	481
	35%	12%	25%	32%	35%	49%	52%	26%	50%	33%	36%	12%	27%	46%
			a	a	a	abcd	abcd		a				a	ab
To find out about news	735	34	56	78	162	235	169	330	405	374	350	13	213	480
	31%	8%	18%	24%	32%	47%	53%	21%	49%	31%	31%	9%	19%	46%
			a	a	ab	abcd	abcd		a					ab
To understand what other people think and feel about things	546	50	52	62	110	164	107	275	271	280	261	22	181	322
	23%	13%	17%	19%	22%	32%	34%	18%	33%	23%	23%	15%	16%	31%
					a	abcd	abcd		a					ab

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2394	344	398	404	415	423	410	1561	833	1186	1170	135	1190	969
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	237	276	282	292	297	294	1046	563	798	790	89	806	662
Total	2381	399	315	332	512	505	318	1558	823	1196	1146	149	1115	1044
To find out about or to support causes or organisations	316	17	28	28	68	108	66	142	174	167	146	3	96	205
	13%	4%	9%	8%	13%	21%	21%	9%	21%	14%	13%	2%	9%	20%
				a	abcd	abc		a						ab
None of these	76	38	11	8	6	8	4	63	12	46	29	18	39	16
	3%	10%	4%	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	2%	4%	3%	12%	4%	2%
		bcdef						b				bc		
Don't know	21	1	4	3	4	3	5	13	8	11	9	*	12	6
	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%
SUMMARY														
ANY OF THESE BENEFITS	2285	361	299	321	501	494	308	1482	802	1139	1109	130	1063	1022
	96%	90%	95%	97%	98%	98%	97%	95%	97%	95%	97%	87%	95%	98%
				a	a	a	a						a	ab

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
With their schoolwork/ homework	1711	80	76	109	109	131	133	199	205	195	204	113	123
	72%	39%	39%	68%	72%	78%	83%	78%	83%	78%	85%	71%	81%
				ab	ab	ab	abc	ab	abc	ab	abcdk	ab	abc
To develop creative skills	1337	104	99	110	88	109	94	148	158	108	147	65	87
	56%	51%	51%	68%	58%	65%	59%	58%	64%	43%	61%	41%	58%
				abik	ik	ik	ik	k	ik		ik		k
To develop skills with reading and numbers	1315	136	146	112	106	121	104	134	139	106	107	40	54
	55%	67%	75%	69%	70%	72%	65%	53%	56%	42%	44%	25%	35%
		ijkl	ghijkl	gijkl	gijkl	ghijkl	ijkl	kl	kl	k	k		
To learn a new skill	1226	102	93	81	77	91	90	128	136	122	118	81	86
	51%	50%	48%	50%	51%	54%	56%	50%	55%	49%	49%	51%	57%
To build or maintain friendships	1016	18	19	29	27	57	49	133	145	158	152	106	102
	43%	9%	10%	18%	18%	34%	31%	52%	58%	63%	63%	66%	67%
						abcd	ab	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef
To find useful information about any problems or issues they may have	822	32	17	42	37	53	50	90	85	106	130	71	91
	35%	16%	9%	26%	24%	32%	31%	36%	34%	43%	54%	45%	60%
				b	b	ab	ab	ab	ab	abcd	abcdefgh	abcd	abcdefghi
To find out about news	735	16	17	28	27	46	32	83	78	116	114	83	82
	31%	8%	9%	18%	18%	27%	20%	33%	31%	47%	47%	52%	54%
						ab	a	abcd	abc	abcdefh	abcdefh	abcdefgh	abcdefgh

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2394	172	169	196	196	201	198	203	206	213	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	118	118	135	138	141	138	142	146	152	140	141	147
Total	2381	204	194	161	151	168	160	254	249	250	241	159	152
To understand what other people think and feel about things	546 23%	29 14%	21 11%	32 20%	20 13%	30 18%	31 19%	57 22%	53 21%	84 33%	80 33%	50 31%	55 36%
										abcdef	abcdef	abde	abcdefh
To find out about or to support causes or organisations	316 13%	11 5%	6 3%	17 11%	11 7%	18 11%	10 6%	41 16%	27 11%	48 19%	58 24%	31 20%	34 22%
							abf			abdf	abcdefh	abdf	abcdefh
None of these	76 3%	26 13%	11 6%	6 4%	6 4%	5 3%	3 2%	- -%	6 2%	7 3%	1 1%	3 2%	2 1%
		cdefghijkl	g										
Don't know	21 1%	* *%	* *%	2 1%	2 2%	3 2%	1 *%	3 1%	2 1%	1 *%	2 1%	3 2%	1 1%
SUMMARY													
ANY OF THESE BENEFITS	2285 96%	177 87%	182 94%	154 95%	143 95%	161 96%	156 97%	251 99%	241 97%	242 97%	237 99%	153 96%	149 98%
							a	a	a	a	a	a	a

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
With their schoolwork/ homework	1711	1461	119	77	55	1711	1502	210	515	427	352	398	942	750	1711
	72%	72%	66%	71%	74%	72%	71%	78%	75%	73%	67%	71%	74%	69%	72%
To develop creative skills	1337	1127	103	62	44	1337	1199	137	401	329	283	308	731	591	1337
	56%	56%	57%	57%	60%	56%	57%	51%	59%	57%	54%	55%	58%	55%	56%
To develop skills with reading and numbers	1315	1109	103	63	39	1315	1167	148	398	321	280	301	718	581	1315
	55%	55%	57%	59%	53%	55%	55%	55%	58%	55%	54%	54%	57%	54%	55%
To learn a new skill	1226	1040	92	61	33	1226	1078	148	379	309	264	253	688	517	1226
	51%	51%	51%	57%	45%	51%	51%	55%	55%	53%	50%	45%	54%	48%	51%
				d					df				d		
To build or maintain friendships	1016	856	81	51	28	1016	894	122	334	228	225	219	562	445	1016
	43%	42%	45%	47%	38%	43%	42%	45%	49%	39%	43%	39%	44%	41%	43%
									bdf						
To find useful information about any problems or issues they may have	822	700	60	37	25	822	725	97	279	195	173	164	473	336	822
	35%	35%	33%	34%	34%	35%	34%	36%	41%	33%	33%	29%	37%	31%	35%
									dfg				d		
To find out about news	735	619	61	35	20	735	647	88	261	172	165	129	433	294	735
	31%	31%	34%	32%	27%	31%	31%	33%	38%	29%	32%	23%	34%	27%	31%
									bdfg				df		d
To understand what other people think and feel about things	546	466	41	24	15	546	483	63	176	118	134	113	294	247	546
	23%	23%	23%	22%	20%	23%	23%	23%	26%	20%	26%	20%	23%	23%	23%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2394	1343	351	349	351	2394	2025	369	849	579	426	515	1428	941	2394
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	1209	325	336	330	1609	1395	223	561	390	302	362	941	662	1609
Total	2381	2020	180	108	74	2381	2112	270	685	583	522	559	1268	1081	2381
To find out about or to support causes or organisations	316 13%	276 14%	18 10%	14 13%	7 10%	316 13%	284 13%	32 12%	120 17% bd	57 10%	72 14%	61 11%	177 14%	133 12%	316 13%
None of these	76 3%	64 3%	6 3%	4 4%	2 2%	76 3%	67 3%	9 3%	6 1%	20 3% a	16 3%	30 5% ae	26 2%	47 4% ae	76 3% a
Don't know	21 1%	20 1%	- -%	1 1%	* 1%	21 1%	17 1%	4 1%	7 1%	3 1%	- -%	9 2%	10 1%	9 1%	21 1%
SUMMARY															
ANY OF THESE BENEFITS	2285 96%	1936 96%	174 97%	103 95%	72 97%	2285 96%	2028 96%	257 95%	672 98% df	560 96%	506 97%	519 93%	1232 97% d	1025 95%	2285 96%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
With their schoolwork/ homework	1711	360	1294	314	540	565	348	885	406
	72%	71%	73%	72%	69%	74%	72%	73%	70%
To develop creative skills	1337	268	1026	236	448	455	264	692	329
	56%	53%	58%	54%	57%	60%	55%	57%	57%
To develop skills with reading and numbers	1315	281	991	238	412	451	273	671	314
	55%	55%	56%	54%	53%	59%	56%	55%	54%
To learn a new skill	1226	244	939	204	399	435	259	623	288
	51%	48%	53%	47%	51%	57%	54%	51%	50%
						a			
To build or maintain friendships	1016	234	753	167	332	361	224	506	251
	43%	46%	42%	38%	42%	47%	46%	42%	43%
To find useful information about any problems or issues they may have	822	202	595	143	273	277	186	391	208
	35%	40%	33%	33%	35%	36%	38%	32%	36%
To find out about news	735	132	580	118	234	275	172	374	152
	31%	26%	33%	27%	30%	36%	36%	31%	26%
						a	c		
To understand what other people think and feel about things	546	151	376	90	185	191	130	267	132
	23%	30%	21%	21%	24%	25%	27%	22%	23%
		b							

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP53. Thinking about what your child does online, which – if any – of these applies to them? Being online helps them... (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 goes online using any type of device

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2394	509	1793	424	795	802	507	1227	568
Effective Weighted Sample	1609	341	1207	287	520	550	336	820	387
Total	2381	509	1776	438	784	765	484	1216	577
To find out about or to support causes or organisations	316 13%	85 17%	221 12%	56 13%	115 15%	104 14%	84 17% b	142 12%	75 13%
None of these	76 3%	10 2%	59 3%	14 3%	24 3%	15 2%	10 2%	34 3%	24 4%
Don't know	21 1%	4 1%	12 1%	3 1%	3 *%	5 1%	5 1%	9 1%	4 1%
SUMMARY									
ANY OF THESE BENEFITS	2285 96%	494 97%	1706 96%	421 96%	757 97%	744 97%	469 97%	1173 96%	550 95%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		~a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	1539	77	122	172	348	415	405	719	820	755	755	25	473	945
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	55	82	124	240	290	290	485	553	507	513	18	323	642
Total	1559	90	98	145	419	494	314	751	808	764	762	30	449	1010
Rules about who they are in contact with on their phone	820	**	65	94	266	256	104	460	360	374	437	**	277	516
	53%	**	66%	65%	63%	52%	33%	61%	45%	49%	57%	**	62%	51%
			f	f	ef	f		b			a		c	
Rules about downloading apps onto their phone	792	**	69	90	275	227	82	483	309	376	396	**	299	464
	51%	**	71%	62%	66%	46%	26%	64%	38%	49%	52%	**	67%	46%
			ef	ef	ef	f		b					c	
Rules about how much time they spend using their phone	756	**	69	89	232	227	89	440	316	376	361	**	266	451
	48%	**	71%	61%	55%	46%	28%	59%	39%	49%	47%	**	59%	45%
			ef	ef	f	f		b					c	
Rules about when they can use their phone	726	**	67	93	233	205	65	456	270	354	357	**	291	409
	47%	**	68%	64%	56%	42%	21%	61%	33%	46%	47%	**	65%	40%
			ef	ef	ef	f		b					c	
Rules about how much money they can spend on their phone	708	**	46	71	226	225	113	370	339	366	333	**	210	467
	45%	**	47%	49%	54%	46%	36%	49%	42%	48%	44%	**	47%	46%
					f									
Rules about not taking their phone to bed	699	**	63	86	240	195	77	428	272	332	352	**	257	415
	45%	**	65%	59%	57%	39%	24%	57%	34%	43%	46%	**	57%	41%
			ef	ef	ef	f		b					c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		~a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	1539	77	122	172	348	415	405	719	820	755	755	25	473	945
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	55	82	124	240	290	290	485	553	507	513	18	323	642
Total	1559	90	98	145	419	494	314	751	808	764	762	30	449	1010
Rules about putting their phone into a mobile phone cage (ADDED IN 2023)	232	**	28	36	62	57	23	151	80	124	105	**	106	105
	15%	**	28%	25%	15%	12%	7%	20%	10%	16%	14%	**	24%	10%
			def	ef	f			b					c	
Other rules	11	**	1	-	5	3	1	7	4	5	4	**	4	7
	1%	**	1%	-%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	**	1%	1%
No, do not have any rules	202	**	6	3	18	60	114	28	174	103	97	**	13	157
	13%	**	6%	2%	4%	12%	36%	4%	21%	13%	13%	**	3%	16%
					cd		bcde		a					b
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES	1357	**	92	142	401	435	200	723	634	661	665	**	436	853
	87%	**	94%	98%	96%	88%	64%	96%	79%	87%	87%	**	97%	84%
			f	ef	ef	f		b					c	
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES EXCLUDING 'MOBILE PHONE CAGE' TO COMPARE WITH 2022	1338	**	92	138	399	431	194	713	625	655	653	**	429	847
	86%	**	94%	95%	95%	87%	62%	95%	77%	86%	86%	**	96%	84%
			f	f	ef	f		b					c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		~a	~b	~c	~d	~e	~f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	1539	44	33	54	64	87	83	166	177	207	199	197	199
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	30	25	36	45	61	62	113	124	147	138	137	146
Total	1559	48	42	48	47	71	72	201	211	241	239	155	152
Rules about who they are in contact with on their phone	820 53%	**	**	**	**	**	**	128 64% ikl	137 65% ikl	111 46% k	141 59% kl	39 25%	64 42% k
Rules about downloading apps onto their phone	792 51%	**	**	**	**	**	**	139 69% ijkl	134 64% ikl	95 39% k	117 49% kl	37 24%	45 30%
Rules about how much time they spend using their phone	756 48%	**	**	**	**	**	**	123 61% ikl	109 52% kl	100 42% k	114 48% kl	41 27%	45 30%
Rules about when they can use their phone	726 47%	**	**	**	**	**	**	115 57% ikl	115 55% ikl	88 37% kl	110 46% kl	30 19%	32 21%
Rules about how much money they can spend on their phone	708 45%	**	**	**	**	**	**	119 60% kl	104 49% kl	110 45% kl	110 46% kl	59 38%	52 35%
Rules about not taking their phone to bed	699 45%	**	**	**	**	**	**	107 53% kl	133 63% ijkl	96 40% kl	89 37% kl	38 25%	37 24%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		~a	~b	~c	~d	~e	~f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	1539	44	33	54	64	87	83	166	177	207	199	197	199
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	30	25	36	45	61	62	113	124	147	138	137	146
Total	1559	48	42	48	47	71	72	201	211	241	239	155	152
Rules about putting their phone into a mobile phone cage (ADDED IN 2023)	232	**	**	**	**	**	**	36	26	33	23	7	16
	15%	**	**	**	**	**	**	18%	12%	14%	9%	4%	10%
								k		k			
Other rules	11	**	**	**	**	**	**	2	2	2	1	-	1
	1%	**	**	**	**	**	**	1%	1%	1%	*%	-%	1%
No, do not have any rules	202	**	**	**	**	**	**	8	10	28	32	60	52
	13%	**	**	**	**	**	**	4%	5%	12%	13%	39%	34%
												ghij	ghij
SUMMARY													
ANY RULES	1357	**	**	**	**	**	**	193	201	213	207	94	100
	87%	**	**	**	**	**	**	96%	95%	88%	87%	61%	66%
								kl	kl	kl	kl		
SUMMARY													
ANY RULES EXCLUDING 'MOBILE PHONE CAGE' TO COMPARE WITH 2022	1338	**	**	**	**	**	**	191	201	211	205	94	95
	86%	**	**	**	**	**	**	95%	95%	88%	86%	61%	63%
								kl	kl	kl	kl		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	1539	862	226	232	219	1539	1318	221	547	348	287	343	895	630	1539
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	778	209	223	206	1037	904	139	367	231	203	238	592	440	1037
Total	1559	1320	118	73	48	1559	1388	171	462	357	350	370	819	720	1559
Rules about who they are in contact with on their phone	820 53%	682 52%	68 58%	39 54%	30 64% ae	820 53%	737 53%	83 49%	263 57%	187 52%	187 53%	174 47%	449 55%	360 50%	820 53%
Rules about downloading apps onto their phone	792 51%	666 50%	66 56%	34 47%	25 53%	792 51%	720 52%	71 42%	239 52%	185 52%	169 48%	190 51%	424 52%	359 50%	792 51%
Rules about how much time they spend using their phone	756 48%	631 48%	63 53%	37 51%	25 52%	756 48%	682 49%	74 43%	250 54% df	187 52%	158 45%	154 42%	437 53% df	313 43%	756 48%
Rules about when they can use their phone	726 47%	613 46%	59 50%	34 46%	21 45%	726 47%	656 47%	70 41%	263 57% cdfg	171 48%	140 40%	145 39%	433 53% cdf	285 40%	726 47%
Rules about how much money they can spend on their phone	708 45%	589 45%	60 51%	37 51%	22 47%	708 45%	632 46%	76 45%	227 49%	163 46%	160 46%	154 42%	389 47%	315 44%	708 45%
Rules about not taking their phone to bed	699 45%	578 44%	60 51%	37 51%	24 50%	699 45%	626 45%	74 43%	229 50% d	162 45%	169 48% d	131 35%	392 48% d	300 42%	699 45% d
Rules about putting their phone into a mobile phone cage (ADDED IN 2023)	232 15%	201 15%	16 14%	8 10%	7 15%	232 15%	221 16% b	11 6%	76 16%	43 12%	61 17%	49 13%	119 14%	110 15%	232 15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	1539	862	226	232	219	1539	1318	221	547	348	287	343	895	630	1539
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	778	209	223	206	1037	904	139	367	231	203	238	592	440	1037
Total	1559	1320	118	73	48	1559	1388	171	462	357	350	370	819	720	1559
Other rules	11 1%	7 1%	2 1%	1 2%	1 2%	11 1%	9 1%	2 1%	4 1%	2 1%	* *%	3 1%	6 1%	3 *%	11 1%
No, do not have any rules	202 13%	174 13%	12 10%	11 15%	5 11%	202 13%	167 12%	35 20%	50 11%	45 13%	51 15%	54 15%	96 12%	105 15%	202 13%
a															
SUMMARY															
ANY RULES	1357 87%	1146 87%	106 90%	62 85%	42 89%	1357 87%	1221 88%	136 80%	412 89%	312 87%	299 85%	316 85%	724 88%	615 85%	1357 87%
b															
SUMMARY															
ANY RULES EXCLUDING 'MOBILE PHONE CAGE' TO COMPARE WITH 2022	1338 86%	1129 85%	105 89%	62 85%	42 88%	1338 86%	1203 87%	135 79%	407 88%	311 87%	294 84%	308 83%	719 88%	602 84%	1338 86%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	1539	352	1132	287	538	492	343	771	369
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	240	762	196	352	339	228	516	250
Total	1559	361	1138	291	541	492	338	779	377
Rules about who they are in contact with on their phone	820 53%	205 57%	589 52%	144 49%	289 53%	269 55%	187 55%	411 53%	186 49%
Rules about downloading apps onto their phone	792 51%	196 54%	570 50%	134 46%	280 52%	252 51%	173 51%	386 50%	195 52%
Rules about how much time they spend using their phone	756 48%	170 47%	558 49%	122 42%	252 47%	256 52%	168 50%	380 49%	171 45%
Rules about when they can use their phone	726 47%	173 48%	527 46%	116 40%	234 43%	265 54% ab	180 53%	343 44%	166 44%
Rules about how much money they can spend on their phone	708 45%	161 45%	523 46%	119 41%	253 47%	236 48%	167 50%	343 44%	165 44%
Rules about not taking their phone to bed	699 45%	153 42%	516 45%	104 36%	244 45%	247 50% a	151 45%	364 47%	160 43%
Rules about putting their phone into a mobile phone cage (ADDED IN 2023)	232 15%	61 17%	154 13%	42 14%	88 16%	67 14%	55 16%	107 14%	52 14%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP59. Do you have any of these rules about the use that your child makes of their mobile phone? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	1539	352	1132	287	538	492	343	771	369
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	240	762	196	352	339	228	516	250
Total	1559	361	1138	291	541	492	338	779	377
Other rules	11	3	9	3	2	4	2	5	3
	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%
No, do not have any rules	202	35	158	42	74	55	37	98	63
	13%	10%	14%	14%	14%	11%	11%	13%	17%
SUMMARY									
ANY RULES	1357	326	980	249	467	436	301	680	314
	87%	90%	86%	86%	86%	89%	89%	87%	83%
SUMMARY									
ANY RULES EXCLUDING 'MOBILE PHONE CAGE' TO COMPARE WITH 2022	1338	315	974	242	462	434	293	676	310
	86%	87%	86%	83%	85%	88%	87%	87%	82%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP60B. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Who they are in contact with using their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		~a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	1539	77	122	172	348	415	405	719	820	755	755	25	473	945
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	55	82	124	240	290	290	485	553	507	513	18	323	642
Total	1559	90	98	145	419	494	314	751	808	764	762	30	449	1010
Very concerned	268 17%	** **	19 20%	50 35% def	81 19% ef	55 11%	32 10%	180 24% b	88 11%	132 17%	132 17%	** **	130 29% c	122 12%
Fairly concerned	426 27%	** **	19 20%	32 22%	128 31%	154 31%	75 24%	197 26%	229 28%	197 26%	218 29%	** **	119 27%	281 28%
Neither/ nor	298 19%	** **	16 16%	22 15%	78 19%	105 21%	60 19%	133 18%	165 20%	147 19%	148 19%	** **	64 14%	210 21%
Not very concerned	400 26%	** **	21 22%	29 20%	102 24%	145 29%	93 29%	162 22%	238 29% a	189 25%	202 26%	** **	76 17%	306 30% b
Not at all concerned	159 10%	** **	18 19% de	10 7%	30 7%	34 7%	52 17% cde	73 10%	86 11%	93 12%	62 8%	** **	54 12%	90 9%
Don't know	8 1%	** **	3 3% de	1 1%	- -%	1 *%	2 1%	5 1%	3 *%	6 1%	2 *%	** **	5 1%	1 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	694 45%	** **	39 40%	82 57% ef	209 50% f	209 42%	107 34%	377 50% b	316 39%	329 43%	349 46%	** **	249 56% c	403 40%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	559 36%	** **	39 40%	39 27%	132 31%	179 36%	145 46% cd	236 31%	324 40% a	282 37%	263 35%	** **	130 29%	396 39% b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	306 20%	** **	19 20%	24 16%	78 19%	106 21%	62 20%	138 18%	168 21%	153 20%	149 20%	** **	69 15%	211 21%

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QP60B. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Who they are in contact with using their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		~a	~b	~c	~d	~e	~f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	1539	44	33	54	64	87	83	166	177	207	199	197	199
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	30	25	36	45	61	62	113	124	147	138	137	146
Total	1559	48	42	48	47	71	72	201	211	241	239	155	152
Very concerned	268 17%	**	**	**	**	**	**	39 20%	41 19%	23 9%	31 13%	17 11%	15 10%
Fairly concerned	426 27%	**	**	**	**	**	**	60 30%	63 30%	72 30%	78 33%	33 21%	40 26%
Neither/ nor	298 19%	**	**	**	**	**	**	34 17%	44 21%	55 23%	49 21%	26 17%	32 21%
Not very concerned	400 26%	**	**	**	**	**	**	52 26%	47 22%	72 30%	68 28%	42 27%	49 32%
Not at all concerned	159 10%	**	**	**	**	**	**	15 7%	15 7%	19 8%	12 5%	35 22%	16 11%
Don't know	8 1%	**	**	**	**	**	**	- -%	- -%	- -%	1 *%	1 1%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	694 45%	**	**	**	**	**	**	100 50% k	104 50% k	94 39%	108 45%	50 32%	55 36%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	559 36%	**	**	**	**	**	**	67 33%	62 30%	91 38%	80 33%	77 50% ghj	65 43%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	306 20%	**	**	**	**	**	**	34 17%	44 21%	55 23%	50 21%	28 18%	32 21%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP60B. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Who they are in contact with using their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						ALL UK	
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f		
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	1539	862	226	232	219	1539	1318	221	547	348	287	343	895	630	1539	
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	778	209	223	206	1037	904	139	367	231	203	238	592	440	1037	
Total	1559	1320	118	73	48	1559	1388	171	462	357	350	370	819	720	1559	
Very concerned	268 17%	229 17%	20 17%	10 14%	9 18%	268 17%	249 18%	19 11%	99 21%	53 15%	54 16%	52 14%	153 19%	106 15%	268 17%	
Fairly concerned	426 27%	365 28%	31 26%	18 25%	12 25%	426 27%	382 28%	44 26%	138 30%	98 27%	103 29%	82 22%	236 29%	186 26%	426 27%	
Neither/ nor	298 19%	244 19%	30 25%	13 18%	11 23%	298 19%	260 19%	38 22%	76 17%	73 20%	71 20%	77 21%	149 18%	147 20%	298 19%	
Not very concerned	400 26%	341 26%	27 23%	20 27%	12 26%	400 26%	341 25%	59 34%	118 25%	100 28%	85 24%	93 25%	218 27%	179 25%	400 26%	
Not at all concerned	159 10%	135 10%	10 9%	10 14%	3 7%	159 10%	148 11%	11 7%	31 7%	31 9%	35 10%	62 17%	61 7%	97 13%	159 10%	
Don't know	8 1%	5 *%	1 1%	1 1%	* 1%	8 1%	8 1%	* *%	- -%	3 1%	1 *%	4 1%	3 *%	5 1%	8 1%	
SUMMARY																
TOTAL CONCERNED	694 45%	594 45%	50 43%	29 40%	21 43%	694 45%	631 45%	63 37%	237 51% df	151 42%	158 45%	134 36%	388 47% d	292 41%	694 45%	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	559 36%	477 36%	37 31%	30 41%	16 33%	559 36%	489 35%	70 41%	148 32%	131 37%	120 34%	155 42%	279 34%	276 38%	559 36%	
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	306 20%	250 19%	31 26%	14 19%	11 24%	306 20%	268 19%	38 22%	76 17%	75 21%	72 21%	80 22%	152 19%	152 21%	306 20%	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP60B. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Who they are in contact with using their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	1539	352	1132	287	538	492	343	771	369
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	240	762	196	352	339	228	516	250
Total	1559	361	1138	291	541	492	338	779	377
Very concerned	268 17%	65 18%	188 17%	55 19%	87 16%	93 19%	73 21%	121 16%	64 17%
Fairly concerned	426 27%	97 27%	308 27%	60 20%	168 31% a	137 28%	93 28%	224 29%	88 23%
Neither/ nor	298 19%	74 20%	212 19%	76 26% b	76 14%	87 18%	58 17%	140 18%	88 23%
Not very concerned	400 26%	70 19%	325 29% a	59 20%	146 27%	133 27%	89 26%	203 26%	97 26%
Not at all concerned	159 10%	52 14%	102 9%	39 13%	62 11%	40 8%	25 7%	88 11%	38 10%
Don't know	8 1%	3 1%	4 *%	3 1%	1 *%	* *%	1 *%	4 1%	2 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	694 45%	162 45%	496 44%	114 39%	255 47%	230 47%	166 49%	345 44%	151 40%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	559 36%	122 34%	426 37%	98 33%	208 38%	173 35%	114 34%	290 37%	135 36%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	306 20%	77 21%	216 19%	80 27% b	77 14%	88 18%	59 17%	144 18%	90 24%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP60D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Being bullied via calls/ texts/ emails/ messages to their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		~a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	1539	77	122	172	348	415	405	719	820	755	755	25	473	945
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	55	82	124	240	290	290	485	553	507	513	18	323	642
Total	1559	90	98	145	419	494	314	751	808	764	762	30	449	1010
Very concerned	405	**	31	51	113	118	62	225	180	185	210	**	148	228
	26%	**	32%	35%	27%	24%	20%	30%	22%	24%	28%	**	33%	23%
				f				b					c	
Fairly concerned	476	**	18	46	169	156	73	247	229	223	244	**	123	338
	31%	**	18%	32%	40%	32%	23%	33%	28%	29%	32%	**	27%	33%
				bf										
Neither/ nor	233	**	11	20	54	79	51	103	130	119	107	**	61	149
	15%	**	12%	14%	13%	16%	16%	14%	16%	16%	14%	**	14%	15%
Not very concerned	271	**	18	17	54	100	74	97	174	138	133	**	63	197
	17%	**	18%	12%	13%	20%	24%	13%	22%	18%	17%	**	14%	20%
							cd		a					
Not at all concerned	162	**	16	9	27	39	51	71	91	92	65	**	48	94
	10%	**	16%	6%	6%	8%	16%	9%	11%	12%	9%	**	11%	9%
							cde							
Don't know	11	**	4	1	2	2	2	8	4	8	3	**	5	5
	1%	**	4%	1%	*%	*%	1%	1%	*%	1%	*%	**	1%	*%
			e											
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	881	**	49	97	282	274	135	472	409	407	454	**	271	565
	57%	**	50%	67%	67%	55%	43%	63%	51%	53%	60%	**	60%	56%
				f	bef	f		b						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	433	**	33	26	81	139	125	168	265	230	198	**	111	291
	28%	**	34%	18%	19%	28%	40%	22%	33%	30%	26%	**	25%	29%
			d				cde		a					
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	245	**	15	21	56	81	53	111	134	127	110	**	66	154
	16%	**	16%	15%	13%	16%	17%	15%	17%	17%	14%	**	15%	15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP60D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Being bullied via calls/ texts/ emails/ messages to their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		~a	~b	~c	~d	~e	~f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	1539	44	33	54	64	87	83	166	177	207	199	197	199
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	30	25	36	45	61	62	113	124	147	138	137	146
Total	1559	48	42	48	47	71	72	201	211	241	239	155	152
Very concerned	405 26%	**	**	**	**	**	**	49 24%	64 30%	47 20%	63 26%	29 18%	32 21%
Fairly concerned	476 31%	**	**	**	**	**	**	81 41% k	84 40% k	70 29%	82 34%	32 21%	39 26%
Neither/ nor	233 15%	**	**	**	**	**	**	26 13%	25 12%	47 20%	31 13%	27 17%	22 15%
Not very concerned	271 17%	**	**	**	**	**	**	32 16%	22 11%	49 20%	51 21%	38 24% h	36 24% h
Not at all concerned	162 10%	**	**	**	**	**	**	13 7%	14 7%	25 11%	12 5%	29 19% ghj	22 14% j
Don't know	11 1%	**	**	**	**	**	**	- -%	2 1%	2 1%	- -%	1 1%	* *%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	881 57%	**	**	**	**	**	**	130 65% ikl	148 70% ikl	117 49%	145 61% k	61 39%	71 47%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	433 28%	**	**	**	**	**	**	45 22%	36 17%	75 31% h	63 26%	66 43% ghj	58 38% gh
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	245 16%	**	**	**	**	**	**	26 13%	27 13%	49 20%	31 13%	28 18%	23 15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP60D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Being bullied via calls/ texts/ emails/ messages to their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	1539	862	226	232	219	1539	1318	221	547	348	287	343	895	630	1539
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	778	209	223	206	1037	904	139	367	231	203	238	592	440	1037
Total	1559	1320	118	73	48	1559	1388	171	462	357	350	370	819	720	1559
Very concerned	405 26%	339 26%	34 29%	18 25%	13 27%	405 26%	373 27%	31 18%	133 29%	97 27%	75 22%	92 25%	231 28%	167 23%	405 26%
Fairly concerned	476 31%	408 31%	28 23%	23 32%	18 38%	476 31%	414 30%	63 37%	150 32%	113 32%	109 31%	100 27%	263 32%	209 29%	476 31%
Neither/ nor	233 15%	192 15%	24 20%	10 14%	6 13%	233 15%	209 15%	24 14%	68 15%	48 13%	73 21%	39 11%	116 14%	112 16%	233 15%
Not very concerned	271 17%	229 17%	21 18%	12 17%	8 18%	271 17%	235 17%	37 21%	84 18%	73 21%	55 16%	59 16%	158 19%	114 16%	271 17%
Not at all concerned	162 10%	145 11%	8 7%	8 11%	1 3%	162 10%	146 11%	16 9%	25 6%	24 7%	36 10%	74 20%	49 6%	111 15%	162 10%
Don't know	11 1%	7 1%	3 2%	1 1%	* 1%	11 1%	11 1%	* *%	2 *%	2 *%	2 1%	6 2%	3 *%	8 1%	11 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	881 57%	747 57%	62 52%	41 57%	31 65%	881 57%	787 57%	94 55%	283 61%	211 59%	184 52%	192 52%	494 60%	376 52%	881 57%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	433 28%	374 28%	29 25%	20 28%	10 20%	433 28%	381 27%	52 31%	110 24%	97 27%	92 26%	133 36%	207 25%	224 31%	433 28%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	245 16%	199 15%	27 23%	11 16%	7 14%	245 16%	220 16%	25 14%	69 15%	50 14%	75 21%	45 12%	119 15%	120 17%	245 16%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP60D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S MOBILE PHONE USE - Being bullied via calls/ texts/ emails/ messages to their mobile phone (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 has their own mobile phone

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	1539	352	1132	287	538	492	343	771	369
Effective Weighted Sample	1037	240	762	196	352	339	228	516	250
Total	1559	361	1138	291	541	492	338	779	377
Very concerned	405 26%	107 30%	278 24%	76 26%	143 27%	123 25%	101 30%	190 24%	103 27%
Fairly concerned	476 31%	103 29%	356 31%	88 30%	168 31%	150 30%	101 30%	242 31%	112 30%
Neither/ nor	233 15%	48 13%	178 16%	40 14%	66 12%	89 18%	51 15%	115 15%	50 13%
Not very concerned	271 17%	51 14%	211 19%	37 13%	94 17%	100 20%	55 16%	139 18%	71 19%
Not at all concerned	162 10%	48 13%	108 9%	44 15%	68 13%	29 6%	27 8%	86 11%	38 10%
Don't know	11 1%	4 1%	7 1%	7 2%	1 *%	1 *%	2 *%	7 1%	3 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	881 57%	210 58%	634 56%	164 56%	312 58%	273 55%	202 60%	432 55%	215 57%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	433 28%	99 27%	319 28%	81 28%	162 30%	129 26%	83 25%	225 29%	109 29%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	245 16%	52 14%	185 16%	47 16%	67 12%	90 18%	53 16%	122 16%	53 14%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox or Nintendo Switch)	1392	106	177	215	348	331	214	846	546	847	523	26	614	700
	56%	22%	54%	63%	68%	65%	67%	51%	66%	68%	44%	14%	53%	67%
			a	a	ab	ab	ab		a	b			a	ab
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1128	116	112	138	298	282	181	665	463	545	562	40	438	616
	45%	25%	34%	40%	58%	56%	57%	40%	56%	44%	47%	21%	38%	59%
				a	abc	abc	abc		a				a	ab
On a tablet	1055	227	204	197	243	132	52	871	184	479	561	70	671	304
	43%	48%	62%	57%	47%	26%	16%	53%	22%	38%	47%	36%	58%	29%
		ef	adef	ef	ef	f		b			a		ac	
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	594	45	51	82	142	166	108	319	274	315	269	6	221	347
	24%	9%	15%	24%	28%	33%	34%	19%	33%	25%	23%	3%	19%	33%
				a	ab	ab	abc		a				a	ab
On a virtual reality gaming headset/device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	236	16	21	31	77	58	32	146	90	159	75	1	99	122
	10%	3%	6%	9%	15%	11%	10%	9%	11%	13%	6%	1%	9%	12%
				a	ab	a	a			b			a	a
Through an app on a smart TV	225	37	28	43	61	31	25	170	55	119	102	7	136	80
	9%	8%	9%	13%	12%	6%	8%	10%	7%	10%	9%	4%	12%	8%
				e									ac	
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	97	13	14	13	20	27	10	60	36	46	48	3	47	44
	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
No, never play games	271	143	33	12	20	36	28	207	64	105	158	87	113	66
	11%	30%	10%	3%	4%	7%	9%	13%	8%	8%	13%	45%	10%	6%
		bcdef	cd				c	b		a		bc		
SUMMARY														
CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2209	330	295	331	492	471	290	1448	761	1143	1032	107	1052	979
	89%	70%	90%	97%	96%	93%	91%	87%	92%	92%	87%	55%	90%	94%
			a	abf	ab	a	a		a	b			a	a

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox or Nintendo Switch)	1392	70	35	111	66	127	87	211	133	195	126	133	77
	56%	29%	16%	66%	42%	74%	52%	83%	53%	78%	52%	84%	50%
		b		abdl	b	abdfhjl	ab	abcdfhjl	ab	abdfhjl	ab	abcdfhjl	ab
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1128	48	68	59	51	75	61	132	161	144	131	87	89
	45%	20%	30%	35%	33%	43%	37%	52%	65%	57%	54%	55%	59%
				a		a	a	abcd	abcdef	abcdf	abcdf	abcdf	abcdef
On a tablet	1055	107	117	99	105	96	99	109	130	52	75	16	35
	43%	44%	52%	59%	67%	56%	59%	43%	52%	21%	31%	10%	23%
		ikl	ijkl	gijkl	agijkl	ijkl	gijkl	ikl	ijkl		k		k
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	594	29	16	30	21	45	36	68	70	82	82	61	44
	24%	12%	7%	18%	13%	26%	22%	27%	28%	33%	34%	38%	29%
				b		abd	b	abd	abd	abcd	abcd	abcdf	abd
On a virtual reality gaming headset/device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	236	13	3	14	7	19	13	52	25	40	18	21	10
	10%	5%	1%	8%	4%	11%	7%	20%	10%	16%	7%	13%	7%
				b		b		abcdfjl	b	abd		bd	
Through an app on a smart TV	225	20	17	20	8	25	17	29	30	14	17	12	12
	9%	8%	8%	12%	5%	14%	10%	11%	12%	6%	7%	8%	8%
						d							
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	97	5	8	8	5	7	7	8	11	13	14	6	4
	4%	2%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%	5%	6%	4%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
No, never play games	271	74	65	13	20	5	7	3	17	7	25	3	24
	11%	31%	29%	7%	13%	3%	4%	1%	7%	3%	10%	2%	16%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl		efgik						gik		efgik
SUMMARY													
CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
	89%	69%	71%	93%	87%	97%	96%	99%	93%	97%	90%	98%	84%
				ab	ab	abdl	abdl	abdj	ab	abdj	ab	abdj	ab

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox or Nintendo Switch)	1392 56%	1171 56%	112 60%	67 60%	42 54%	1392 56%	1229 56%	163 58%	387 55%	332 54%	321 58%	341 59%	719 55%	662 59%	1392 56%
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1128 45%	956 45%	85 46%	54 48%	33 43%	1128 45%	997 45%	130 46%	326 46%	288 47%	256 46%	247 43%	614 47%	503 45%	1128 45%
On a tablet	1055 43%	888 42%	84 45%	50 45%	33 43%	1055 43%	934 43%	121 43%	298 42%	265 43%	234 42%	240 42%	563 43%	474 42%	1055 43%
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	594 24%	518 25% d	39 21%	24 22%	13 17%	594 24% d	535 24%	58 21%	183 26%	158 26%	122 22%	120 21%	341 26%	242 21%	594 24%
On a virtual reality gaming headset/ device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	236 10%	198 9%	17 9%	11 10%	9 11%	236 10%	209 10%	26 9%	62 9%	56 9%	63 11%	53 9%	118 9%	116 10%	236 10%
Through an app on a smart TV	225 9%	197 9%	14 7%	8 8%	5 7%	225 9%	214 10% b	12 4%	71 10%	56 9%	37 7%	56 10%	127 10%	92 8%	225 9%
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	97 4%	80 4%	9 5%	7 6% d	2 2%	97 4%	90 4%	7 2%	39 6%	19 3%	19 3%	16 3%	59 4%	35 3%	97 4%
No, never play games	271 11%	232 11%	17 9%	12 11%	10 13%	271 11%	243 11%	28 10%	82 12%	70 11%	56 10%	56 10%	152 11%	113 10%	271 11%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
SUMMARY															
CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2209	1874	169	99	67	2209	1954	254	619	548	495	520	1167	1015	2209
	89%	89%	91%	89%	87%	89%	89%	90%	88%	89%	90%	90%	89%	90%	89%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox or Nintendo Switch)	1392 56%	309 59%	1037 56%	264 59%	475 58%	428 54%	282 57%	705 56%	351 58%
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1128 45%	262 50%	833 45%	199 44%	408 50%	353 45%	212 43%	587 46%	274 45%
On a tablet	1055 43%	242 46%	778 42%	216 48%	332 41%	329 42%	204 41%	535 42%	267 44%
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	594 24%	149 28%	435 24%	106 24%	198 24%	211 27%	123 25%	307 24%	136 22%
On a virtual reality gaming headset/device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	236 10%	66 13%	156 8%	52 12%	94 11%	65 8%	63 13%	110 9%	54 9%
Through an app on a smart TV	225 9%	44 8%	176 9%	42 9%	85 10%	72 9%	44 9%	109 9%	59 10%
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	97 4%	32 6%	60 3%	20 4%	36 4%	31 4%	27 5%	45 4%	18 3%
No, never play games	271 11%	42 8%	212 11%	27 6%	73 9%	101 13%	47 9%	145 11%	62 10%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
SUMMARY									
CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2209 89%	483 92%	1638 89%	421 94%	746 91%	689 87%	448 91%	1123 89%	546 90%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AGE OF CHILD														
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
Unweighted total	2480	135	135	138	207	204	217	194	133	142	141	143	141	140	204	206
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	91	97	95	149	137	159	131	98	99	95	101	102	95	151	144
Total	2480	154	154	164	164	164	171	171	171	171	169	169	169	169	159	159
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox or Nintendo Switch)	1392 56%	22 14%	26 17%	58 36% ab	84 51% ab	92 56% abc	112 65% abc	103 60% abc	114 66% abc	106 62% abc	128 76% abcde	110 65% abc	108 64% abc	113 67% abc	108 68% abcd	106 67% abcd
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1128 45%	29 19%	42 27%	45 28%	55 33%	58 35% a	66 39% a	71 42% a	82 48% abc	109 64% abcdefg	107 63% abcdefg	107 64% abcdefg	89 52% abcde	86 51% abcd	99 63% abcdefg	81 51% abcde
On a tablet	1055 43%	51 33% o	78 51% klmno	97 59% aklmno	109 67% aijklmno	95 58% aklmno	96 56% aklmno	101 59% aklmno	87 51% klmno	82 48% klmno	74 44% kno	41 24%	45 26%	46 27%	30 19%	22 14%
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	594 24%	3 2%	18 11% a	24 15% a	18 11% a	32 20% a	34 20% a	47 27% abd	35 21% a	52 30% abd	55 32% abcd	65 39% abcdefh	45 27% abd	56 33% abcd	57 36% abcdef	51 32% abcd
On a virtual reality gaming headset/ device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	236 10%	- -%	6 4%	10 6%	10 6%	11 7%	19 11% a	12 7% a	21 12% a	31 18% abd	25 15% a	17 10% a	21 12% a	20 12% a	16 10% a	16 10% a
Through an app on a smart TV	225 9%	5 4%	14 9%	18 11%	19 12%	9 6%	23 13% k	20 12% k	27 16% aek	17 10% aek	18 10% aek	5 3%	14 8%	12 7%	11 7%	14 9%
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	97 4%	2 1%	5 3%	6 4%	8 5%	5 3%	11 6%	3 2%	8 5%	5 3%	7 4%	3 2%	7 4%	17 10% gn	2 1%	7 5%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o

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QP65. Does your child play games at home or elsewhere in any of these ways? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AGE OF CHILD														
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o
Unweighted total	2480	135	135	138	207	204	217	194	133	142	141	143	141	140	204	206
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	91	97	95	149	137	159	131	98	99	95	101	102	95	151	144
Total	2480	154	154	164	164	164	171	171	171	171	169	169	169	169	159	159
No, never play games	271	75	42	25	15	18	4	8	13	1	6	8	10	17	13	15
	11%	49%	28%	15%	9%	11%	2%	4%	8%	1%	4%	5%	6%	10%	8%	9%
		bcdefghijklmno	defghijklmno	fgij	i	fi								fi	i	fi

SUMMARY

CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS

2209	79	112	139	149	146	167	164	159	170	163	161	159	152	146	144
89%	51%	72%	85%	91%	89%	98%	96%	92%	99%	96%	95%	94%	90%	92%	91%
		a	a	ab	ab	abcemo	abc	ab	abcdemno	abc	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m,n,o

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QP67. Do you have any of these rules about the games that your child plays at home or elsewhere? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	2213	286	374	395	399	395	364	1454	759	1140	1042	99	1126	897
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	198	260	276	280	277	263	977	516	765	709	64	765	615
Total	2209	330	295	331	492	471	290	1448	761	1143	1032	107	1052	979
Rules about purchasing or downloading games or apps/ in-app purchasing	1310	179	204	231	328	262	106	942	368	674	616	**	694	536
	59%	54%	69%	70%	67%	56%	37%	65%	48%	59%	60%	**	66%	55%
		f	aef	aef	aef	f		b					c	
Rules about how much time they spend playing games	1225	210	206	227	283	216	83	926	299	667	534	**	704	438
	55%	64%	70%	69%	58%	46%	29%	64%	39%	58%	52%	**	67%	45%
		ef	def	def	ef	f		b		b			c	
Rules about only playing games with an age appropriate rating	1151	198	195	209	290	190	68	892	258	596	534	**	669	398
	52%	60%	66%	63%	59%	40%	24%	62%	34%	52%	52%	**	64%	41%
		ef	ef	ef	ef	f		b					c	
Rules about only playing games with appropriate content (no violence/ nudity/ swearing etc.)	1104	185	181	218	272	177	71	856	248	572	514	**	642	381
	50%	56%	61%	66%	55%	37%	25%	59%	33%	50%	50%	**	61%	39%
		ef	ef	ef	ef	f		b					c	
Rules about when they can play games	1069	192	179	220	259	160	59	850	219	584	468	**	641	345
	48%	58%	60%	66%	53%	34%	20%	59%	29%	51%	45%	**	61%	35%
		ef	ef	def	ef	f		b					c	
Rules about who they can play games with or play against	998	124	154	204	270	189	57	752	246	526	452	**	564	374
	45%	38%	52%	62%	55%	40%	20%	52%	32%	46%	44%	**	54%	38%
		f	aef	aef	aef	f		b					c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP67. Do you have any of these rules about the games that your child plays at home or elsewhere? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	2213	286	374	395	399	395	364	1454	759	1140	1042	99	1126	897
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	198	260	276	280	277	263	977	516	765	709	64	765	615
Total	2209	330	295	331	492	471	290	1448	761	1143	1032	107	1052	979
Rules about whether they can play games online	837	155	158	176	193	114	42	681	155	431	389	**	519	252
	38%	47%	53%	53%	39%	24%	14%	47%	20%	38%	38%	**	49%	26%
		ef	def	def	ef	f		b					c	
Other rules	36	9	9	7	6	5	1	30	6	12	19	**	24	7
	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	**	2%	1%
No, do not have any rules	288	22	10	14	40	85	117	86	202	134	151	**	48	201
	13%	7%	3%	4%	8%	18%	40%	6%	27%	12%	15%	**	5%	20%
						abcd	abcde		a					b
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES	1921	307	285	317	452	387	173	1362	559	1009	881	**	1005	779
	87%	93%	97%	96%	92%	82%	60%	94%	73%	88%	85%	**	95%	80%
		ef	ef	ef	ef	f		b					c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP67. Do you have any of these rules about the games that your child plays at home or elsewhere? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2213	142	142	191	178	199	191	201	192	210	179	197	160
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	97	100	131	127	139	134	140	136	150	124	138	120
Total	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
Rules about purchasing or downloading games or apps/ in-app purchasing	1310	87	89	103	100	114	114	174	150	132	122	64	41
	59%	52%	56%	66%	73%	68%	71%	69%	65%	54%	57%	41%	32%
		l	l	kl	abijkl	kl	aikl	aikl	kl	l	l		
Rules about how much time they spend playing games	1225	108	99	113	91	118	106	161	115	116	93	52	29
	55%	64%	62%	73%	66%	71%	66%	64%	50%	47%	43%	33%	23%
		ijkl	jkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	ijkl	kl	l	l		
Rules about only playing games with an age appropriate rating	1151	99	96	110	84	104	102	153	131	92	91	38	30
	52%	59%	60%	70%	61%	63%	63%	61%	57%	37%	42%	24%	23%
		ikl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ikl		kl		
Rules about only playing games with appropriate content (no violence/ nudity/ swearing etc.)	1104	94	89	92	87	110	104	154	115	83	87	38	32
	50%	56%	56%	59%	64%	66%	65%	62%	50%	34%	40%	25%	25%
		ikl	ikl	ijkl	ijkl	hijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ikl		k		
Rules about when they can play games	1069	108	82	96	81	118	98	142	115	86	70	35	22
	48%	64%	52%	62%	59%	71%	61%	57%	50%	35%	32%	22%	17%
		ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	bhijkl	ijkl	ijkl	jkl	l	l		
Rules about who they can play games with or play against	998	69	53	82	71	107	95	147	117	87	94	34	22
	45%	41%	34%	52%	52%	64%	59%	59%	51%	36%	44%	22%	17%
		kl	l	bikl	bikl	abijkl	abikl	abikl	bkl	l	kl		

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QP67. Do you have any of these rules about the games that your child plays at home or elsewhere? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2213	142	142	191	178	199	191	201	192	210	179	197	160
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	97	100	131	127	139	134	140	136	150	124	138	120
Total	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
Rules about whether they can play games online	837	80	72	82	75	95	78	100	90	55	52	19	23
	38%	48%	45%	52%	54%	57%	48%	40%	39%	23%	24%	12%	18%
		ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ghijkl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl				
Other rules	36	5	5	3	5	2	5	-	4	2	-	1	*
	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	-%	2%	1%	-%	*%	*%
No, do not have any rules	288	12	10	6	4	8	6	6	34	41	43	59	56
	13%	7%	6%	4%	3%	5%	3%	2%	14%	17%	20%	38%	44%
									cdefg	cdefg	abcdefg	abcdefghijkl	abcdefghijkl
SUMMARY													
ANY RULES	1921	156	149	150	134	158	155	244	198	204	173	97	72
	87%	93%	94%	96%	97%	95%	97%	98%	86%	83%	80%	62%	56%
		jkl	jkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	hijkl	kl	kl	kl		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP67. Do you have any of these rules about the games that your child plays at home or elsewhere? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2213	1246	330	322	315	2213	1869	344	775	539	399	479	1314	878	2213
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	1123	306	310	297	1493	1290	212	510	365	288	338	865	623	1493
Total	2209	1874	169	99	67	2209	1954	254	619	548	495	520	1167	1015	2209
Rules about purchasing or downloading games or apps/ in-app purchasing	1310 59%	1094 58%	107 63%	66 66%	43 64%	1310 59%	1151 59%	159 62%	392 63% df	351 64% df	272 55%	280 54%	743 64% cdf	552 54%	1310 59%
Rules about how much time they spend playing games	1225 55%	1032 55%	103 61%	54 54%	37 56%	1225 55%	1091 56%	134 53%	358 58%	334 61% df	254 51%	264 51%	692 59% df	519 51%	1225 55%
Rules about only playing games with an age appropriate rating	1151 52%	975 52%	92 54%	52 52%	32 48%	1151 52%	1021 52%	129 51%	314 51%	299 55%	273 55%	249 48%	613 53%	522 51%	1151 52%
Rules about only playing games with appropriate content (no violence/ nudity/ swearing etc.)	1104 50%	930 50%	86 51%	51 51%	37 55%	1104 50%	984 50%	120 47%	333 54%	277 51%	233 47%	249 48%	610 52%	482 47%	1104 50%
Rules about when they can play games	1069 48%	904 48%	83 49%	49 50%	32 48%	1069 48%	963 49%	105 41%	329 53% df	281 51%	223 45%	224 43%	610 52% df	447 44%	1069 48%
Rules about who they can play games with or play against	998 45%	838 45%	78 46%	50 50%	31 47%	998 45%	900 46%	98 39%	303 49%	250 46%	214 43%	217 42%	553 47%	431 43%	998 45%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP67. Do you have any of these rules about the games that your child plays at home or elsewhere? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2213	1246	330	322	315	2213	1869	344	775	539	399	479	1314	878	2213
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	1123	306	310	297	1493	1290	212	510	365	288	338	865	623	1493
Total	2209	1874	169	99	67	2209	1954	254	619	548	495	520	1167	1015	2209
Rules about whether they can play games online	837 38%	713 38%	61 36%	38 38%	24 36%	837 38%	747 38%	90 35%	248 40%	200 37%	190 38%	187 36%	449 38%	376 37%	837 38%
Other rules	36 2%	31 2%	3 2%	2 2%	1 1%	36 2%	30 2%	6 2%	10 2%	11 2%	7 1%	6 1%	21 2%	14 1%	36 2%
No, do not have any rules	288 13%	253 14%	19 11%	9 9%	7 10%	288 13%	244 12%	44 17%	63 10%	51 9%	85 17%	86 17%	114 10%	171 17%	288 13%
											abe	abe		abe	
SUMMARY															
ANY RULES	1921 87%	1621 86%	151 89%	90 91%	60 90%	1921 87%	1711 88%	210 83%	556 90%	497 91%	410 83%	433 83%	1053 90%	843 83%	1921 87%
									cdf	cdf			cdf		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2213	482	1650	403	745	731	467	1137	529
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	325	1113	275	490	496	311	757	365
Total	2209	483	1638	421	746	689	448	1123	546
Rules about purchasing or downloading games or apps/ in-app purchasing	1310	294	968	228	433	431	269	664	321
	59%	61%	59%	54%	58%	63%	60%	59%	59%
Rules about how much time they spend playing games	1225	245	932	209	397	417	247	622	293
	55%	51%	57%	50%	53%	61%	55%	55%	54%
						a			
Rules about only playing games with an age appropriate rating	1151	240	858	217	377	362	220	595	279
	52%	50%	52%	52%	50%	53%	49%	53%	51%
Rules about only playing games with appropriate content (no violence/ nudity/ swearing etc.)	1104	237	819	211	358	345	214	569	270
	50%	49%	50%	50%	48%	50%	48%	51%	50%
Rules about when they can play games	1069	229	798	181	352	363	220	556	243
	48%	47%	49%	43%	47%	53%	49%	50%	45%
Rules about who they can play games with or play against	998	239	714	173	333	325	198	511	241
	45%	50%	44%	41%	45%	47%	44%	46%	44%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2213	482	1650	403	745	731	467	1137	529
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	325	1113	275	490	496	311	757	365
Total	2209	483	1638	421	746	689	448	1123	546
Rules about whether they can play games online	837	180	624	169	268	263	169	402	224
	38%	37%	38%	40%	36%	38%	38%	36%	41%
Other rules	36	5	30	5	13	13	10	17	7
	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%
No, do not have any rules	288	57	222	54	94	78	54	137	85
	13%	12%	14%	13%	13%	11%	12%	12%	16%
SUMMARY									
ANY RULES	1921	426	1416	368	652	611	394	985	461
	87%	88%	86%	87%	87%	89%	88%	88%	84%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP74A. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The content of the games they are playing, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL ~a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2213	286	374	395	399	395	364	1454	759	1140	1042	99	1126	897
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	198	260	276	280	277	263	977	516	765	709	64	765	615
Total	2209	330	295	331	492	471	290	1448	761	1143	1032	107	1052	979
Very concerned	508 23%	101 31%	98 33%	116 35%	99 20%	53 11%	40 14%	414 29%	94 12%	268 23%	234 23%	**	327 31%	132 14%
		def	def	def	e			b					c	
Fairly concerned	649 29%	86 26%	87 29%	100 30%	165 34%	138 29%	73 25%	438 30%	212 28%	369 32%	271 26%	**	315 30%	291 30%
Neither/ nor	420 19%	49 15%	29 10%	50 15%	111 23%	122 26%	59 20%	239 17%	180 24%	200 17%	216 21%	**	152 14%	238 24%
					b	abc	b		a			**		b
Not very concerned	357 16%	27 8%	44 15%	43 13%	72 15%	100 21%	72 25%	185 13%	172 23%	181 16%	173 17%	**	144 14%	194 20%
						ac	abcd		a			**		b
Not at all concerned	259 12%	66 20%	32 11%	21 6%	45 9%	50 11%	45 16%	163 11%	96 13%	119 10%	131 13%	**	108 10%	117 12%
		bcde					c					**		
Don't know	16 1%	1 *%	5 2%	2 1%	- -%	8 2%	- -%	8 1%	8 1%	6 *%	7 1%	**	8 1%	8 1%
												**		
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1157 52%	187 57%	185 63%	216 65%	264 54%	192 41%	114 39%	852 59%	305 40%	637 56%	505 49%	**	642 61%	423 43%
		ef	ef	def	ef			b		b		**	c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	616 28%	93 28%	76 26%	63 19%	116 24%	150 32%	118 41%	348 24%	268 35%	300 26%	304 29%	**	251 24%	311 32%
					c	abcd		a				**		b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	435 20%	50 15%	35 12%	52 16%	111 23%	130 28%	59 20%	247 17%	188 25%	205 18%	223 22%	**	160 15%	246 25%
					b	abc	b		a			**		b

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP74A. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The content of the games they are playing, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2213	142	142	191	178	199	191	201	192	210	179	197	160
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	97	100	131	127	139	134	140	136	150	124	138	120
Total	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
Very concerned	508 23%	54 32%	47 30%	58 37%	39 28%	63 38%	52 32%	51 20%	48 21%	18 8%	33 15%	24 15%	16 12%
		ijkl	ijkl	ghijkl	il	ghijkl	ijkl	i	i				
Fairly concerned	649 29%	51 30%	35 22%	53 34%	34 25%	50 30%	50 31%	91 36%	68 29%	85 35%	53 25%	39 25%	32 25%
Neither/ nor	420 19%	25 15%	24 15%	10 6%	19 14%	23 14%	27 17%	47 19%	62 27%	65 27%	56 26%	29 19%	27 21%
							c	c	ce	ce	c	c	c
Not very concerned	357 16%	9 5%	18 11%	18 11%	26 19%	20 12%	23 14%	45 18%	27 12%	48 19%	49 23%	42 27%	30 24%
					a			a		a	a	abceh	ac
Not at all concerned	259 12%	29 17%	35 22%	17 11%	14 10%	10 6%	9 6%	17 7%	27 12%	25 10%	24 11%	22 14%	23 18%
		ef	efg										efg
Don't know	16 1%	* *%	* *%	- -%	5 4%	1 1%	* *%	- -%	- -%	4 1%	1 1%	- -%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1157 52%	105 62%	82 52%	111 71%	73 53%	113 68%	101 63%	141 56%	115 50%	104 42%	86 40%	63 40%	48 37%
		ijkl		bdhijkl		hijkl	ijkl	jkl					
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	616 28%	38 22%	53 33%	35 22%	40 29%	29 18%	32 20%	62 25%	54 23%	72 30%	73 34%	64 41%	53 41%
			e								e	acefgh	acefgh
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	435 20%	25 15%	24 15%	10 6%	25 18%	24 14%	27 17%	47 19%	62 27%	69 28%	58 27%	29 19%	27 21%
					c		c	c	c	ce	c	c	c

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	NATION					AREA			SOCIAL GRADE					
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2213	1246	330	322	315	2213	1869	344	775	539	399	479	1314	878	2213
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	1123	306	310	297	1493	1290	212	510	365	288	338	865	623	1493
Total	2209	1874	169	99	67	2209	1954	254	619	548	495	520	1167	1015	2209
Very concerned	508 23%	430 23%	36 21%	24 24%	18 27%	508 23%	459 23%	49 19%	166 27%	113 21%	97 20%	125 24%	278 24%	222 22%	508 23%
Fairly concerned	649 29%	555 30%	47 28%	24 24%	23 35%	649 29%	587 30%	62 24%	177 28%	172 31%	142 29%	153 29%	348 30%	295 29%	649 29%
Neither/ nor	420 19%	353 19%	37 22%	20 20%	10 15%	420 19%	363 19%	57 22%	119 19%	92 17%	112 23%	92 18%	211 18%	204 20%	420 19%
Not very concerned	357 16%	296 16%	31 18%	21 21%	9 14%	357 16%	294 15%	63 25%	98 16%	103 19%	81 16%	70 13%	201 17%	151 15%	357 16%
Not at all concerned	259 12%	225 12%	18 11%	10 10%	6 9%	259 12%	238 12%	21 8%	58 9%	65 12%	63 13%	69 13%	124 11%	131 13%	259 12%
Don't know	16 1%	14 1%	* *%	1 1%	* *%	16 1%	14 1%	1 1%	2 *%	3 1%	- -%	11 2%	5 *%	11 1%	16 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1157 52%	985 53%	83 49%	48 48%	41 62%	1157 52%	1046 54%	111 44%	342 55%	284 52%	239 48%	278 54%	627 54%	518 51%	1157 52%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	616 28%	521 28%	49 29%	31 31%	15 23%	616 28%	532 27%	85 33%	156 25%	168 31%	144 29%	139 27%	324 28%	283 28%	616 28%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	435 20%	368 20%	37 22%	21 21%	10 15%	435 20%	377 19%	58 23%	121 20%	95 17%	112 23%	103 20%	216 19%	214 21%	435 20%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP74A. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The content of the games they are playing, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2213	482	1650	403	745	731	467	1137	529
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	325	1113	275	490	496	311	757	365
Total	2209	483	1638	421	746	689	448	1123	546
Very concerned	508 23%	125 26%	360 22%	104 25%	173 23%	162 24%	113 25%	261 23%	119 22%
Fairly concerned	649 29%	127 26%	494 30%	128 30%	224 30%	205 30%	128 29%	340 30%	155 28%
Neither/ nor	420 19%	96 20%	304 19%	83 20%	122 16%	119 17%	74 17%	202 18%	118 22%
Not very concerned	357 16%	72 15%	279 17%	50 12%	125 17%	131 19%	80 18%	188 17%	81 15%
Not at all concerned	259 12%	55 11%	194 12%	51 12%	98 13%	70 10%	51 11%	124 11%	69 13%
Don't know	16 1%	9 2%	7 *%	5 1%	4 *%	2 *%	2 *%	8 1%	3 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1157 52%	252 52%	854 52%	232 55%	398 53%	367 53%	241 54%	601 54%	274 50%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	616 28%	127 26%	473 29%	101 24%	223 30%	201 29%	131 29%	312 28%	150 27%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	435 20%	104 22%	311 19%	88 21%	125 17%	121 18%	76 17%	210 19%	122 22%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Table 52

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QP74D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The pressure to make in-game purchases, for things like access to upgrades, skins, loot-boxes, in-game currency or other rewards (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	2213	286	374	395	399	395	364	1454	759	1140	1042	99	1126	897
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	198	260	276	280	277	263	977	516	765	709	64	765	615
Total	2209	330	295	331	492	471	290	1448	761	1143	1032	107	1052	979
Very concerned	512	85	95	102	123	64	42	406	106	269	238	**	317	153
	23%	26%	32%	31%	25%	14%	14%	28%	14%	24%	23%	**	30%	16%
		ef	ef	ef	ef			b					c	
Fairly concerned	642	79	90	100	153	143	78	422	220	370	267	**	312	291
	29%	24%	30%	30%	31%	30%	27%	29%	29%	32%	26%	**	30%	30%
								b		b				
Neither/ nor	355	41	36	50	88	99	41	215	141	170	177	**	139	187
	16%	12%	12%	15%	18%	21%	14%	15%	18%	15%	17%	**	13%	19%
						b							b	b
Not very concerned	394	51	38	51	79	99	77	219	175	188	201	**	162	204
	18%	15%	13%	15%	16%	21%	26%	15%	23%	16%	19%	**	15%	21%
							abcd		a				b	b
Not at all concerned	289	69	30	27	48	62	52	174	114	140	142	**	112	139
	13%	21%	10%	8%	10%	13%	18%	12%	15%	12%	14%	**	11%	14%
		bcd					bcd							
Don't know	16	4	6	1	-	5	-	11	5	6	7	**	9	5
	1%	1%	2%	*%	-%	1%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%	**	1%	*%

SUMMARY

TOTAL CONCERNED	1154	165	185	202	276	207	119	828	326	639	505	**	630	444
	52%	50%	63%	61%	56%	44%	41%	57%	43%	56%	49%	**	60%	45%
			aef	ef	ef			b		b			c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	683	120	68	78	127	160	129	393	290	327	343	**	274	343
	31%	36%	23%	24%	26%	34%	45%	27%	38%	29%	33%	**	26%	35%
		bc				bc	bcd		a				b	b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	371	45	42	51	88	104	41	226	145	176	184	**	149	191
	17%	14%	14%	15%	18%	22%	14%	16%	19%	15%	18%	**	14%	20%
													b	b

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP74D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The pressure to make in-game purchases, for things like access to upgrades, skins, loot-boxes, in-game currency or other rewards (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2213	142	142	191	178	199	191	201	192	210	179	197	160
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	97	100	131	127	139	134	140	136	150	124	138	120
Total	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
Very concerned	512 23%	42 25%	43 27%	54 35%	39 29%	53 32%	48 30%	65 26%	58 25%	27 11%	36 17%	27 17%	14 11%
		il	il	ijkl	il	ijkl	il	il	il				
Fairly concerned	642 29%	44 26%	35 22%	47 30%	43 31%	56 33%	44 27%	91 36%	59 26%	86 35%	57 26%	46 29%	29 23%
Neither/ nor	355 16%	19 11%	22 14%	19 12%	17 12%	22 13%	26 16%	42 17%	44 19%	51 21%	44 21%	17 11%	23 18%
Not very concerned	394 18%	26 16%	23 15%	20 13%	18 13%	22 13%	28 17%	27 11%	50 22%	50 21%	48 22%	42 27%	33 26%
												cdeg	cg
Not at all concerned	289 13%	34 20%	33 21%	15 10%	14 10%	12 7%	15 10%	26 10%	20 9%	29 12%	31 14%	24 15%	28 22%
		e	eh										cefn
Don't know	16 1%	2 1%	2 1%	* *%	5 4%	1 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1154 52%	87 52%	78 49%	101 65%	82 60%	109 65%	92 57%	156 62%	117 50%	113 46%	92 43%	73 47%	44 34%
				ijkl	jl	ijkl	l	ijkl	l				
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	683 31%	60 36%	57 36%	35 23%	33 24%	34 21%	43 27%	52 21%	71 30%	79 32%	79 37%	66 42%	61 47%
			e								eg	cdefg	cdefgh
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	371 17%	21 13%	24 15%	19 12%	22 16%	23 14%	26 16%	42 17%	44 19%	53 22%	44 21%	17 11%	23 18%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP74D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The pressure to make in-game purchases, for things like access to upgrades, skins, loot-boxes, in-game currency or other rewards (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2213	1246	330	322	315	2213	1869	344	775	539	399	479	1314	878	2213
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	1123	306	310	297	1493	1290	212	510	365	288	338	865	623	1493
Total	2209	1874	169	99	67	2209	1954	254	619	548	495	520	1167	1015	2209
Very concerned	512	438	31	24	18	512	477	35	149	129	87	143	278	230	512
	23%	23%	19%	25%	27%	23%	24%	14%	24%	24%	18%	27%	24%	23%	23%
							b				c				
Fairly concerned	642	537	56	27	22	642	581	62	200	145	159	131	345	290	642
	29%	29%	33%	27%	33%	29%	30%	24%	32%	26%	32%	25%	30%	29%	29%
Neither/ nor	355	293	33	21	9	355	295	60	93	91	80	88	184	168	355
	16%	16%	19%	21%	14%	16%	15%	24%	15%	17%	16%	17%	16%	17%	16%
							a								
Not very concerned	394	338	30	16	11	394	334	60	124	115	83	68	238	151	394
	18%	18%	18%	16%	16%	18%	17%	24%	20%	21%	17%	13%	20%	15%	18%
									d				df		
Not at all concerned	289	252	19	11	7	289	251	38	54	68	82	78	122	160	289
	13%	13%	11%	11%	10%	13%	13%	15%	9%	12%	17%	15%	10%	16%	13%
											ae	a		ae	a
Don't know	16	15	*	*	-	16	16	-	-	-	4	12	-	16	16
	1%	1%	*%	*%	-%	1%	1%	-%	-%	-%	1%	2%	-%	2%	1%
											e	abeg		ae	
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1154	976	87	52	40	1154	1058	96	349	274	246	274	623	520	1154
	52%	52%	51%	52%	60%	52%	54%	38%	56%	50%	50%	53%	53%	51%	52%
							b								
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	683	590	49	27	17	683	585	98	177	183	165	146	360	311	683
	31%	31%	29%	27%	26%	31%	30%	38%	29%	33%	33%	28%	31%	31%	31%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	371	308	33	21	9	371	311	60	93	91	84	100	184	184	371
	17%	16%	20%	21%	14%	17%	16%	24%	15%	17%	17%	19%	16%	18%	17%
								a							

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP74D. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The pressure to make in-game purchases, for things like access to upgrades, skins, loot-boxes, in-game currency or other rewards (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2213	482	1650	403	745	731	467	1137	529
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	325	1113	275	490	496	311	757	365
Total	2209	483	1638	421	746	689	448	1123	546
Very concerned	512 23%	123 26%	359 22%	96 23%	189 25%	152 22%	111 25%	253 23%	131 24%
Fairly concerned	642 29%	142 29%	472 29%	115 27%	210 28%	219 32%	133 30%	321 29%	163 30%
Neither/ nor	355 16%	79 16%	260 16%	78 19%	101 14%	97 14%	72 16%	168 15%	96 18%
Not very concerned	394 18%	69 14%	320 20%	63 15%	130 17%	147 21%	79 18%	233 21%	67 12%
Not at all concerned	289 13%	59 12%	222 14%	62 15%	112 15%	75 11%	53 12%	140 12%	81 15%
Don't know	16 1%	10 2%	5 *%	7 2%	4 *%	- -%	- -%	8 1%	7 1%
		b		c					
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1154 52%	266 55%	832 51%	211 50%	399 53%	371 54%	244 54%	574 51%	294 54%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	683 31%	128 26%	541 33%	125 30%	242 32%	221 32%	132 29%	372 33%	148 27%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	371 17%	90 19%	266 16%	85 20%	105 14%	97 14%	72 16%	176 16%	104 19%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

OFCOM CHILDREN AND PARENTS MEDIA LITERACY. PARENTS ONLY SURVEY - 1ST OCTOBER TO 25TH NOVEMBER 2024.

Table 53

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QP74E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them being bullied by other players (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL ~a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2213	286	374	395	399	395	364	1454	759	1140	1042	99	1126	897
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	198	260	276	280	277	263	977	516	765	709	64	765	615
Total	2209	330	295	331	492	471	290	1448	761	1143	1032	107	1052	979
Very concerned	571 26%	104 32%	100 34%	115 35%	117 24%	87 18%	48 17%	436 30%	135 18%	302 26%	260 25%	** **	338 32%	188 19%
		ef	ef	def				b					c	
Fairly concerned	618 28%	58 18%	70 24%	108 33%	176 36%	140 30%	65 23%	412 28%	205 27%	341 30%	267 26%	** **	293 28%	292 30%
				af	abf	a								
Neither/ nor	386 17%	49 15%	49 17%	50 15%	85 17%	100 21%	53 18%	232 16%	153 20%	180 16%	199 19%	** **	166 16%	187 19%
Not very concerned	359 16%	35 11%	37 13%	37 11%	84 17%	91 19%	74 26%	194 13%	165 22%	185 16%	172 17%	** **	136 13%	203 21%
						c	abc		a					b
Not at all concerned	260 12%	79 24%	35 12%	18 5%	30 6%	50 11%	48 16%	162 11%	98 13%	124 11%	129 12%	** **	110 10%	105 11%
		bcde	c				cd							
Don't know	15 1%	5 1%	4 1%	3 1%	- -%	3 1%	1 *%	11 1%	4 1%	10 1%	6 1%	** **	9 1%	4 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1189 54%	162 49%	170 58%	223 67%	293 60%	227 48%	113 39%	849 59%	340 45%	644 56%	527 51%	** **	631 60%	481 49%
			f	aef	ef			b					c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	619 28%	114 35%	73 25%	55 17%	114 23%	142 30%	122 42%	355 25%	263 35%	309 27%	301 29%	** **	246 23%	308 31%
		cd			c	bcde		a						b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	401 18%	53 16%	53 18%	53 16%	85 17%	103 22%	55 19%	244 17%	157 21%	190 17%	205 20%	** **	175 17%	191 19%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP74E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them being bullied by other players (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2213	142	142	191	178	199	191	201	192	210	179	197	160
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	97	100	131	127	139	134	140	136	150	124	138	120
Total	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
Very concerned	571 26%	56 33%	48 30%	58 37%	41 30%	63 38%	51 32%	57 23%	61 26%	41 17%	41 19%	28 18%	18 14%
		ikl	l	gijkl	il	gijkl	il						
Fairly concerned	618 28%	35 21%	24 15%	39 25%	31 23%	56 34%	52 32%	107 43%	62 27%	73 30%	67 31%	32 21%	31 24%
						b	b	abcdhkl		b	b		
Neither/ nor	386 17%	22 13%	27 17%	29 18%	20 15%	20 12%	30 19%	37 15%	46 20%	47 19%	49 23%	25 16%	27 21%
Not very concerned	359 16%	16 10%	19 12%	14 9%	23 17%	17 10%	18 11%	38 15%	46 20%	54 22%	38 17%	46 30%	28 22%
										ce		abcefg	c
Not at all concerned	260 12%	37 22%	39 25%	17 11%	18 13%	8 5%	10 6%	12 5%	17 7%	27 11%	21 10%	23 15%	24 19%
		efgh	cefg hij									eg	efgh
Don't know	15 1%	3 2%	2 1%	- -%	4 3%	3 2%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1189 54%	90 54%	72 45%	96 62%	72 53%	119 71%	103 64%	163 65%	123 53%	114 47%	108 50%	61 39%	49 38%
				kl		abdhijkl	bikl	bikl					
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	619 28%	53 32%	58 37%	31 20%	41 30%	25 15%	28 17%	50 20%	63 27%	81 33%	59 27%	69 44%	51 40%
		e	cefg		e					ef		cefg hj	cefg
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	401 18%	25 15%	29 18%	29 18%	24 17%	23 14%	30 19%	37 15%	46 20%	50 21%	49 23%	26 17%	27 21%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP74E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them being bullied by other players (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2213	1246	330	322	315	2213	1869	344	775	539	399	479	1314	878	2213
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	1123	306	310	297	1493	1290	212	510	365	288	338	865	623	1493
Total	2209	1874	169	99	67	2209	1954	254	619	548	495	520	1167	1015	2209
Very concerned	571 26%	483 26%	42 25%	28 28%	19 28%	571 26%	514 26%	57 22%	172 28%	139 25%	112 23%	142 27%	311 27%	254 25%	571 26%
Fairly concerned	618 28%	530 28%	43 25%	23 23%	22 33%	618 28%	552 28%	66 26%	179 29%	146 27%	150 30%	136 26%	325 28%	286 28%	618 28%
Neither/ nor	386 17%	319 17%	36 21%	20 20%	11 16%	386 17%	334 17%	52 20%	101 16%	92 17%	92 19%	99 19%	193 17%	191 19%	386 17%
Not very concerned	359 16%	306 16%	28 17%	16 16%	10 14%	359 16%	313 16%	47 18%	104 17%	100 18%	78 16%	69 13%	204 17%	148 15%	359 16%
Not at all concerned	260 12%	222 12%	19 11%	13 13%	5 8%	260 12%	228 12%	31 12%	61 10%	65 12%	61 12%	68 13%	126 11%	129 13%	260 12%
Don't know	15 1%	14 1%	1 1%	* *%	- -%	15 1%	14 1%	2 1%	2 *%	6 1%	1 *%	6 1%	8 1%	7 1%	15 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1189 54%	1013 54%	84 50%	51 51%	41 62%	1189 54%	1066 55%	123 48%	351 57%	285 52%	262 53%	278 53%	636 55%	540 53%	1189 54%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	619 28%	528 28%	48 28%	29 29%	15 22%	619 28%	541 28%	78 31%	165 27%	165 30%	140 28%	137 26%	330 28%	277 27%	619 28%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	401 18%	333 18%	37 22%	20 20%	11 16%	401 18%	348 18%	53 21%	104 17%	98 18%	93 19%	105 20%	201 17%	198 20%	401 18%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP74E. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them being bullied by other players (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2213	482	1650	403	745	731	467	1137	529
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	325	1113	275	490	496	311	757	365
Total	2209	483	1638	421	746	689	448	1123	546
Very concerned	571 26%	136 28%	418 25%	107 25%	211 28%	168 24%	118 26%	289 26%	147 27%
Fairly concerned	618 28%	135 28%	450 27%	135 32%	183 25%	197 29%	123 27%	323 29%	145 27%
Neither/ nor	386 17%	93 19%	272 17%	72 17%	133 18%	108 16%	78 18%	171 15%	114 21%
Not very concerned	359 16%	60 12%	293 18%	47 11%	130 17%	138 20%	75 17%	197 18%	76 14%
Not at all concerned	260 12%	52 11%	198 12%	53 13%	86 11%	76 11%	51 11%	134 12%	60 11%
Don't know	15 1%	7 1%	8 *%	8 2%	2 *%	1 *%	2 *%	9 1%	3 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1189 54%	271 56%	868 53%	242 57%	395 53%	365 53%	241 54%	611 54%	293 54%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	619 28%	112 23%	491 30%	100 24%	215 29%	214 31%	127 28%	331 30%	136 25%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	401 18%	100 21%	280 17%	79 19%	136 18%	109 16%	80 18%	180 16%	117 21%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP74F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them talking to strangers while gaming, whether within the game or via the chat function (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	2213	286	374	395	399	395	364	1454	759	1140	1042	99	1126	897
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	198	260	276	280	277	263	977	516	765	709	64	765	615
Total	2209	330	295	331	492	471	290	1448	761	1143	1032	107	1052	979
Very concerned	699	101	105	144	164	121	65	513	186	360	332	**	389	256
	32%	31%	36%	43%	33%	26%	22%	35%	24%	32%	32%	**	37%	26%
			f	aef	f			b					c	
Fairly concerned	681	80	87	99	176	171	68	442	239	363	307	**	317	333
	31%	24%	30%	30%	36%	36%	24%	31%	31%	32%	30%	**	30%	34%
				af	af									
Neither/ nor	280	44	26	36	54	79	42	160	121	145	133	**	112	137
	13%	13%	9%	11%	11%	17%	14%	11%	16%	13%	13%	**	11%	14%
					b				a					
Not very concerned	282	19	38	30	59	61	75	146	136	154	125	**	106	158
	13%	6%	13%	9%	12%	13%	26%	10%	18%	14%	12%	**	10%	16%
							abcde		a					b
Not at all concerned	248	79	36	20	39	35	39	174	74	110	129	**	117	89
	11%	24%	12%	6%	8%	7%	13%	12%	10%	10%	12%	**	11%	9%
		bcdef					c							
Don't know	19	7	3	3	-	5	1	13	6	10	6	**	11	6
	1%	2%	1%	1%	-%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	**	1%	1%

SUMMARY

TOTAL CONCERNED	1380	181	193	242	339	292	133	955	425	723	639	**	706	589
	62%	55%	65%	73%	69%	62%	46%	66%	56%	63%	62%	**	67%	60%
			f	aef	af	f		b					c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	529	98	74	50	98	96	114	320	209	264	254	**	223	247
	24%	30%	25%	15%	20%	20%	39%	22%	27%	23%	25%	**	21%	25%
		c	c				bcde							
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	299	51	29	39	54	84	43	173	127	155	139	**	123	143
	14%	15%	10%	12%	11%	18%	15%	12%	17%	14%	14%	**	12%	15%
						b								

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP74F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them talking to strangers while gaming, whether within the game or via the chat function (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2213	142	142	191	178	199	191	201	192	210	179	197	160
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	97	100	131	127	139	134	140	136	150	124	138	120
Total	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
Very concerned	699 32%	55 33%	46 29%	59 38% ikl	45 33%	79 47%	63 39%	84 33% i	80 34% i	49 20%	70 33%	35 22%	28 22%
Fairly concerned	681 31%	50 29%	31 19%	43 28%	44 32%	46 28%	52 32%	90 36% b	78 34%	97 39% bkl	71 33%	37 24%	31 24%
Neither/ nor	280 13%	16 9%	29 18%	16 10%	10 7%	19 12%	16 10%	26 10%	28 12%	48 20% d	31 14%	20 13%	20 16%
Not very concerned	282 13%	10 6%	9 6%	19 12%	19 14%	14 8%	15 9%	35 14%	24 10%	34 14%	27 13%	43 28% abcdeghij	31 24% abefh
Not at all concerned	248 11%	34 20% efgij	42 27% cdefghijk	18 12%	17 13%	7 4%	12 8%	15 6%	22 10%	16 7%	16 8%	19 12%	18 14% e
Don't know	19 1%	5 3%	2 1%	1 1%	2 2%	1 1%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	2 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL CONCERNED	1380 62%	105 62%	76 48%	102 66% bkl	89 65% kl	125 75% bikl	115 72% bkl	174 69% bkl	158 68% bkl	145 59%	142 66% bkl	72 46%	59 46%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	529 24%	43 26%	52 33% ef	37 24%	36 26% e	21 13%	28 17%	50 20%	46 20%	50 20%	44 20%	62 40% ceghij	49 38% efghij

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP74F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them talking to strangers while gaming, whether within the game or via the chat function (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2213	142	142	191	178	199	191	201	192	210	179	197	160
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	97	100	131	127	139	134	140	136	150	124	138	120
Total	2209	168	159	156	137	167	161	251	232	245	216	156	128
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	299	20	31	16	12	21	18	26	28	50	31	22	20
	14%	12%	19%	11%	9%	12%	11%	10%	12%	20%	14%	14%	16%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP74F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them talking to strangers while gaming, whether within the game or via the chat function (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2213	1246	330	322	315	2213	1869	344	775	539	399	479	1314	878	2213
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	1123	306	310	297	1493	1290	212	510	365	288	338	865	623	1493
Total	2209	1874	169	99	67	2209	1954	254	619	548	495	520	1167	1015	2209
Very concerned	699 32%	593 32%	53 31%	30 30%	23 35%	699 32%	632 32%	67 26%	212 34%	182 33%	139 28%	157 30%	394 34%	297 29%	699 32%
Fairly concerned	681 31%	581 31%	48 28%	30 30%	23 35%	681 31%	611 31%	71 28%	203 33%	167 31%	162 33%	140 27%	370 32%	302 30%	681 31%
Neither/ nor	280 13%	234 12%	25 15%	14 14%	6 10%	280 13%	241 12%	39 15%	63 10%	67 12%	59 12%	90 17%	130 11%	149 15%	280 13%
Not very concerned	282 13%	232 12%	27 16%	15 15%	8 13%	282 13%	240 12%	41 16%	85 14%	64 12%	70 14%	59 11%	149 13%	129 13%	282 13%
Not at all concerned	248 11%	217 12%	15 9%	10 10%	6 9%	248 11%	213 11%	35 14%	55 9%	63 11%	64 13%	61 12%	118 10%	126 12%	248 11%
Don't know	19 1%	17 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -%	19 1%	17 1%	2 1%	2 *%	5 1%	- -%	12 2%	6 1%	12 1%	19 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1380 62%	1173 63%	101 60%	60 60%	46 69%	1380 62%	1243 64% b	138 54%	414 67% df	349 64%	301 61%	297 57%	764 65% d	598 59%	1380 62%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	529 24%	449 24%	42 25%	25 25%	14 21%	529 24%	453 23%	76 30%	141 23%	127 23%	134 27%	120 23%	267 23%	254 25%	529 24%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	299 14%	252 13%	26 16%	15 15%	6 10%	299 14%	259 13%	41 16%	64 10%	72 13%	59 12%	103 20% aceg	136 12%	162 16% a	299 14%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP74F. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S GAMES PLAYING - The possibility of them talking to strangers while gaming, whether within the game or via the chat function (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2213	482	1650	403	745	731	467	1137	529
Effective Weighted Sample	1493	325	1113	275	490	496	311	757	365
Total	2209	483	1638	421	746	689	448	1123	546
Very concerned	699 32%	176 36%	496 30%	121 29%	250 33%	220 32%	150 33%	351 31%	171 31%
Fairly concerned	681 31%	128 26%	518 32%	132 31%	221 30%	221 32%	123 27%	377 34%	149 27%
Neither/ nor	280 13%	74 15%	196 12%	80 19% bc	85 11%	72 10%	56 12%	111 10%	99 18% b
Not very concerned	282 13%	51 11%	225 14%	41 10%	96 13%	104 15%	68 15%	134 12%	74 14%
Not at all concerned	248 11%	46 10%	195 12%	42 10%	91 12%	70 10%	49 11%	137 12%	51 9%
Don't know	19 1%	8 2%	9 1%	5 1%	3 *%	2 *%	1 *%	12 1%	2 *%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL CONCERNED	1380 62%	304 63%	1014 62%	253 60%	470 63%	441 64%	273 61%	728 65%	320 59%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	529 24%	97 20%	420 26%	83 20%	187 25%	174 25%	118 26%	271 24%	125 23%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	299 14%	82 17%	205 12%	85 20% bc	89 12%	74 11%	57 13%	123 11%	100 18% b

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP75A. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my child's screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Strongly disagree	584 24%	172 36%	95 29%	84 25%	120 23%	77 15%	36 11%	471 28%	113 14%	284 23%	286 24%	75 39%	342 29%	158 15%
		cdef	ef	ef	f			b				c	c	
Slightly disagree	548 22%	108 23%	76 23%	101 29%	105 20%	98 19%	60 19%	390 24%	158 19%	274 22%	270 23%	43 22%	291 25%	204 20%
				ef										
Neither agree nor disagree	369 15%	74 16%	52 16%	42 12%	65 13%	75 15%	62 19%	233 14%	137 17%	187 15%	175 15%	33 17%	153 13%	159 15%
Slightly agree	658 27%	96 20%	82 25%	90 26%	142 28%	157 31%	90 28%	411 25%	247 30%	342 27%	310 26%	35 18%	284 24%	319 30%
						a								ab
Strongly agree	309 12%	18 4%	21 6%	24 7%	81 16%	99 20%	66 21%	143 9%	166 20%	150 12%	149 13%	8 4%	89 8%	203 19%
					abc	abc	abc		a					ab
Don't know	12 *%	4 1%	3 1%	1 *%	- -%	2 *%	3 1%	8 *%	5 1%	10 1%	* *%	* *%	7 1%	3 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	1131 46%	281 59%	171 52%	185 54%	224 44%	174 34%	97 30%	860 52%	271 33%	558 45%	556 47%	118 61%	633 54%	362 35%
		def	ef	ef	f			b				c	c	
TOTAL AGREE	967 39%	114 24%	103 31%	115 33%	223 43%	256 51%	156 49%	554 33%	413 50%	493 40%	459 39%	42 22%	372 32%	522 50%
					ab	abc	abc		a					ab
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	382 15%	78 16%	54 17%	43 13%	65 13%	76 15%	65 20%	241 15%	141 17%	196 16%	175 15%	34 17%	160 14%	162 15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP75A. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my child's screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	584 24%	86 35%	84 38%	45 27%	49 31%	43 25%	40 24%	58 23%	58 23%	37 15%	35 14%	16 10%	20 13%
		ijkl	ghijkl	kl	ijkl	k	k	k	k				
Slightly disagree	548 22%	48 20%	59 26%	40 24%	36 23%	52 30%	49 29%	60 23%	45 18%	48 19%	49 21%	26 16%	32 21%
					k								
Neither agree nor disagree	369 15%	41 17%	31 14%	23 14%	27 17%	20 12%	21 13%	29 11%	34 14%	38 15%	36 15%	35 22%	25 16%
Slightly agree	658 27%	56 23%	40 18%	49 29%	33 21%	42 25%	47 28%	68 27%	74 30%	81 32%	74 31%	46 29%	42 28%
										b			
Strongly agree	309 12%	8 3%	9 4%	10 6%	11 7%	13 8%	11 7%	40 16%	39 16%	46 18%	46 19%	33 21%	32 21%
								abc	abc	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef
Don't know	12 *%	3 1%	- -%	2 1%	* *%	1 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	2 1%	- -%	2 1%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	1131 46%	134 55%	143 64%	85 50%	85 54%	95 55%	89 53%	117 46%	102 41%	85 34%	84 35%	42 27%	52 34%
		ijkl	ghijkl	ikl	ijkl	ijkl	ijkl	k	k				
TOTAL AGREE	967 39%	65 27%	49 22%	59 35%	44 28%	55 32%	58 34%	108 43%	112 45%	127 50%	120 50%	79 50%	75 49%
								ab	abd	abcdef	abdef	abdef	abde
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	382 15%	44 18%	31 14%	25 15%	28 18%	22 13%	21 13%	29 11%	34 14%	40 16%	36 15%	37 23%	25 16%
												g	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP75A. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my child's screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Strongly disagree	584 24%	499 24%	44 23%	28 25%	14 18%	584 24%	518 24%	66 23%	148 21%	146 24%	134 24%	141 25%	294 22%	275 24%	584 24%
Slightly disagree	548 22%	460 22%	43 23%	26 23%	19 25%	548 22%	488 22%	60 21%	151 22%	150 24%	128 23%	117 20%	301 23%	245 22%	548 22%
Neither agree nor disagree	369 15%	318 15%	27 15%	15 13%	10 13%	369 15%	335 15%	35 12%	80 11%	75 12%	100 18%	106 18%	155 12%	206 18%	369 15%
Slightly agree	658 27%	552 26%	56 30%	28 25%	23 30%	658 27%	584 27%	75 26%	217 31%	159 26%	141 26%	137 24%	376 28%	278 25%	658 27%
Strongly agree	309 12%	267 13%	16 9%	15 13%	11 14%	309 12%	265 12%	44 15%	104 15%	84 14%	46 8%	69 12%	189 14%	115 10%	309 12%
Don't know	12 *%	10 *%	1 *%	1 1%	* 1%	12 *%	8 *%	4 1%	2 *%	2 *%	3 *%	5 1%	4 *%	7 1%	12 *%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	1131 46%	959 46%	86 46%	53 48%	32 42%	1131 46%	1005 46%	126 45%	299 43%	296 48%	262 47%	258 45%	595 45%	520 46%	1131 46%
TOTAL AGREE	967 39%	819 39%	72 39%	42 38%	34 44%	967 39%	849 39%	118 42%	321 46%	243 39%	187 34%	207 36%	564 43%	393 35%	967 39%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	382 15%	327 16%	28 15%	16 14%	10 14%	382 15%	343 16%	39 14%	81 12%	77 13%	103 19%	111 19%	159 12%	214 19%	382 15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP75A. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my child's screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Strongly disagree	584 24%	97 18%	463 25% a	111 25%	199 24%	170 22%	137 28%	282 22%	132 22%
Slightly disagree	548 22%	96 18%	426 23%	87 19%	193 24%	189 24%	101 20%	287 23%	141 23%
Neither agree nor disagree	369 15%	97 19%	247 13%	63 14%	129 16%	86 11%	68 14%	179 14%	97 16%
Slightly agree	658 27%	144 27%	498 27%	131 29%	204 25%	225 28%	132 27%	349 28%	158 26%
Strongly agree	309 12%	86 16%	212 11%	54 12%	89 11%	118 15%	55 11%	167 13%	77 13%
Don't know	12 *%	5 1%	4 *%	2 *%	4 1%	1 *%	1 *%	4 *%	3 *%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	1131 46%	193 37%	889 48% a	198 44%	393 48%	359 46%	238 48%	569 45%	273 45%
TOTAL AGREE	967 39%	230 44%	710 38%	185 41%	293 36%	343 43% b	187 38%	516 41%	235 39%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	382 15%	102 19% b	251 14%	65 15%	133 16%	87 11%	69 14%	183 14%	100 16%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP75B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I think my child has a good balance between screen time and doing other things (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Strongly disagree	133 5%	17 4%	10 3%	17 5%	28 6%	38 8%	23 7%	72 4%	61 7% a	61 5%	64 5%	7 3%	48 4%	71 7%
Slightly disagree	423 17%	41 9%	41 12%	59 17% a	106 21% ab	106 21% ab	71 22% ab	246 15%	177 21% a	233 19%	187 16%	19 10%	157 13%	241 23% ab
Neither agree nor disagree	318 13%	40 8%	44 13%	44 13%	71 14%	78 15%	40 12%	200 12%	118 14%	151 12%	161 13%	18 9%	135 12%	147 14%
Slightly agree	773 31%	148 31%	105 32%	99 29%	173 34%	159 31%	91 29%	524 32%	250 30%	408 33%	353 30%	53 28%	370 32%	326 31%
Strongly agree	811 33%	220 47% cdef	125 38% de	121 35% e	132 26%	120 24%	92 29%	598 36% b	213 26%	380 30%	419 35%	94 49% c	445 38% c	252 24%
Don't know	22 1%	6 1%	4 1%	3 1%	2 *% *	6 1%	2 *% *	15 1%	7 1%	14 1%	6 *% *	3 1%	10 1%	7 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	557 22%	58 12%	51 15%	75 22% a	134 26% ab	144 28% ab	94 29% ab	319 19%	238 29% a	294 24%	251 21%	26 13%	205 18%	312 30% ab
TOTAL AGREE	1584 64%	368 78% cdef	230 70% def	220 64%	304 59%	279 55%	183 58%	1122 68% b	462 56%	788 63%	773 65%	148 76% c	815 70% c	578 55%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	339 14%	46 10%	48 15%	48 14%	73 14%	84 17%	41 13%	214 13%	125 15%	165 13%	166 14%	20 10%	146 12%	155 15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP75B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I think my child has a good balance between screen time and doing other things (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	133 5%	11 5%	6 3%	9 5%	1 1%	8 5%	8 5%	12 5%	15 6%	11 4%	22 9% d	10 6% d	12 8% d
Slightly disagree	423 17%	28 11%	13 6%	21 13%	19 12%	32 18% b	27 16% b	53 21% b	53 21% b	62 25% abcd	42 18% b	37 23% ab	32 21% b
Neither agree nor disagree	318 13%	18 7%	20 9%	29 17%	15 10%	21 12%	23 14%	27 11%	45 18% a	38 15%	40 17%	18 11%	18 12%
Slightly agree	773 31%	84 35%	62 28%	53 32%	50 32%	52 30%	45 27%	92 36%	76 30%	78 31%	78 32%	48 30%	43 28%
Strongly agree	811 33%	96 40% hij	122 54% cefg hijkl	54 32%	70 45% ghijk	57 33%	62 37% i	70 28%	59 24%	57 23%	59 24%	45 29%	47 31%
Don't know	22 1%	5 2%	* *%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	- -%	2 1%	6 2%	- -%	* *%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	557 22%	39 16%	20 9%	30 18%	20 13%	40 23% b	35 21% b	65 26% bd	68 27% bd	73 29% abd	64 27% bd	47 30% abd	45 29% abd
TOTAL AGREE	1584 64%	180 75% hijkl	184 82% cefg hijkl	108 64%	120 76% hijkl	110 64%	107 64%	162 64%	135 54%	135 54%	137 57%	94 59%	90 59%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	339 14%	23 9%	21 9%	31 18%	17 11%	22 13%	25 15%	27 11%	46 19%	44 17%	40 17%	18 12%	18 12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP75B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I think my child has a good balance between screen time and doing other things (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Strongly disagree	133 5%	111 5%	12 6%	7 6%	4 5%	133 5%	121 6%	12 4%	37 5%	34 6%	22 4%	38 7%	71 5%	61 5%	133 5%
Slightly disagree	423 17%	361 17%	31 17%	16 15%	15 19%	423 17%	363 17%	61 21%	151 22% cf	109 18%	68 12%	85 15%	260 20% cf	153 14%	423 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	318 13%	271 13%	21 11%	16 14%	10 13%	318 13%	283 13%	35 12%	59 8%	78 13%	85 15% a	93 16% ae	136 10%	177 16% ae	318 13% a
Slightly agree	773 31%	649 31%	62 33%	34 30%	28 37%	773 31%	692 31%	82 29%	240 34%	174 28%	179 32%	175 30%	413 31%	353 31%	773 31%
Strongly agree	811 33%	694 33%	59 32%	37 33%	20 26%	811 33%	720 33%	91 32%	215 31%	213 35%	195 35%	177 31%	428 32%	372 33%	811 33%
Don't know	22 1%	19 1%	* *%	2 2%	* 1%	22 1%	19 1%	3 1%	1 *%	9 1%	3 *%	8 1%	10 1%	11 1%	22 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	557 22%	472 22%	43 23%	24 21%	18 24%	557 22%	484 22%	73 26%	188 27% cf	144 23%	90 16%	124 21%	331 25% cf	214 19%	557 22%
TOTAL AGREE	1584 64%	1343 64%	122 65%	71 63%	49 63%	1584 64%	1411 64%	173 61%	454 65%	387 63%	374 68%	352 61%	841 64%	725 64%	1584 64%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	339 14%	290 14%	22 12%	17 16%	10 13%	339 14%	302 14%	37 13%	60 9%	86 14% a	87 16% a	101 18% ae	146 11%	188 17% ae	339 14% a

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP75B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I think my child has a good balance between screen time and doing other things (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Strongly disagree	133 5%	43 8% b	85 5%	26 6%	40 5%	42 5%	30 6%	66 5%	35 6%
Slightly disagree	423 17%	109 21%	299 16%	80 18%	110 13%	166 21% b	96 19%	225 18%	86 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	318 13%	93 18% b	199 11%	81 18% c	115 14% c	57 7%	41 8%	164 13%	96 16% a
Slightly agree	773 31%	137 26%	608 33%	122 27%	264 32%	263 33%	144 29%	407 32%	184 30%
Strongly agree	811 33%	131 25%	657 36% a	134 30%	281 34%	261 33%	183 37%	401 32%	195 32%
Don't know	22 1%	11 2% b	3 *%	5 1%	9 1%	* *%	* *%	4 *%	11 2% b
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	557 22%	153 29% b	384 21%	106 24%	150 18%	208 26% b	126 25%	291 23%	121 20%
TOTAL AGREE	1584 64%	268 51%	1265 68% a	256 57%	545 67% a	524 66% a	328 66%	808 64%	380 62%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP75B. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I think my child has a good balance between screen time and doing other things (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	339	104	202	86	124	57	41	168	107
	14%	20%	11%	19%	15%	7%	8%	13%	18%
		b		c	c				a

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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QP75C. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my own screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Strongly disagree	507 20%	79 17%	57 18%	73 21%	109 21%	119 23%	70 22%	318 19%	189 23%	244 20%	250 21%	37 19%	217 19%	238 23%
Slightly disagree	471 19%	75 16%	53 16%	71 21%	111 22%	91 18%	70 22%	310 19%	161 20%	259 21%	206 17%	23 12%	218 19%	215 21%
Neither agree nor disagree	381 15%	71 15%	50 15%	36 10%	78 15%	103 20%	43 13%	235 14%	146 18%	186 15%	191 16%	31 16%	158 14%	172 16%
						c								
Slightly agree	755 30%	159 34%	108 33%	111 32%	146 29%	136 27%	95 30%	524 32%	230 28%	362 29%	383 32%	67 34%	378 32%	296 28%
Strongly agree	351 14%	84 18%	55 17%	51 15%	68 13%	55 11%	39 12%	257 16%	94 11%	186 15%	159 13%	35 18%	186 16%	121 12%
Don't know	15 1%	5 1%	4 1%	2 1%	- -%	3 1%	2 *%	10 1%	5 1%	11 1%	2 *%	1 *%	9 1%	3 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	978 39%	153 32%	111 34%	144 42%	220 43%	210 41%	140 44%	628 38%	350 42%	502 40%	456 38%	60 31%	435 37%	453 43%
					a		ab							
TOTAL AGREE	1106 45%	243 51%	163 50%	162 47%	214 42%	191 38%	134 42%	781 47%	324 39%	548 44%	541 45%	101 52%	563 48%	417 40%
		e	e					b					c	
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	396 16%	76 16%	54 17%	37 11%	78 15%	107 21%	44 14%	245 15%	151 18%	197 16%	193 16%	32 17%	168 14%	176 17%
						c								

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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QP75C. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my own screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	507 20%	37 15%	40 18%	29 17%	28 18%	38 22%	36 21%	56 22%	50 20%	47 19%	64 27%	37 23%	33 21%
Slightly disagree	471 19%	45 18%	30 13%	28 17%	25 16%	33 19%	37 22%	69 27% b	40 16%	50 20%	38 16%	34 21%	36 24%
Neither agree nor disagree	381 15%	38 16%	30 14%	24 14%	27 17%	20 12%	15 9%	29 11%	49 20%	50 20%	53 22% fl	25 16%	16 11%
Slightly agree	755 30%	74 31%	85 38%	58 34%	50 32%	57 33%	52 31%	63 25%	81 33%	72 28%	62 26%	39 24%	52 34%
Strongly agree	351 14%	44 18%	38 17%	28 17%	26 16%	23 13%	28 17%	37 15%	28 11%	30 12%	24 10%	24 15%	15 10%
Don't know	15 1%	4 2%	* *%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	* *%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	* *%	- -%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	978 39%	82 34%	70 31%	57 34%	53 34%	70 41%	72 43%	126 49% abcd	90 36%	97 39%	102 42%	71 45%	69 45%
TOTAL AGREE	1106 45%	118 49%	124 55% gjk	86 51% j	75 48%	80 46%	80 48%	100 39%	109 44%	101 40%	86 36%	63 40%	67 44%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	396 16%	42 17%	31 14%	26 15%	28 18%	22 13%	16 9%	29 11%	49 20%	53 21% f	53 22% fl	25 16%	16 11%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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QP75C. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my own screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Strongly disagree	507 20%	440 21%	32 17%	23 20%	12 16%	507 20%	456 21%	51 18%	127 18%	134 22%	108 20%	128 22%	261 20%	236 21%	507 20%
Slightly disagree	471 19%	400 19%	38 20%	19 17%	14 18%	471 19%	411 19%	60 21%	143 20%	96 16%	117 21%	112 19%	239 18%	230 20%	471 19%
Neither agree nor disagree	381 15%	319 15%	32 17%	16 14%	13 17%	381 15%	332 15%	49 17%	91 13%	80 13%	98 18%	107 19%	171 13%	206 18%	381 15%
Slightly agree	755 30%	642 31%	55 29%	33 29%	25 32%	755 30%	663 30%	92 33%	234 33%	203 33%	161 29%	142 25%	438 33%	302 27%	755 30%
Strongly agree	351 14%	292 14%	28 15%	19 17%	13 16%	351 14%	323 15%	28 10%	105 15%	101 16%	64 12%	78 14%	206 16%	143 13%	351 14%
Don't know	15 1%	12 1%	* *%	2 2%	* 1%	15 1%	13 1%	2 1%	1 *%	2 *%	2 *%	9 1%	4 *%	11 1%	15 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	978 39%	840 40%	71 38%	42 37%	26 34%	978 39%	867 39%	112 39%	270 38%	230 37%	226 41%	240 42%	500 38%	466 41%	978 39%
TOTAL AGREE	1106 45%	934 44%	83 44%	52 46%	37 48%	1106 45%	986 45%	120 42%	339 48%	305 49%	225 41%	220 38%	644 49%	445 39%	1106 45%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	396 16%	331 16%	33 18%	18 16%	14 18%	396 16%	345 16%	51 18%	93 13%	82 13%	100 18%	116 20%	175 13%	216 19%	396 16%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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QP75C. AGREEMENT WITH STATEMENT - I find it hard to control my own screen time (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Strongly disagree	507 20%	98 19%	389 21%	105 23%	183 22%	143 18%	114 23%	233 18%	135 22%
Slightly disagree	471 19%	99 19%	354 19%	91 20%	147 18%	158 20%	89 18%	256 20%	103 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	381 15%	80 15%	276 15%	76 17%	127 16%	92 12%	75 15%	187 15%	96 16%
Slightly agree	755 30%	169 32%	561 30%	119 26%	237 29%	271 34%	162 33%	385 30%	181 30%
Strongly agree	351 14%	72 14%	265 14%	53 12%	119 15%	126 16%	52 11%	202 16%	90 15%
Don't know	15 1%	7 1%	4 *%	3 1%	5 1%	* *%	2 *%	5 *%	2 *%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	978 39%	197 38%	743 40%	196 44%	329 40%	300 38%	204 41%	489 39%	239 39%
TOTAL AGREE	1106 45%	241 46%	827 45%	172 38%	357 44%	397 50% a	214 43%	587 46%	271 45%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	396 16%	87 17%	281 15%	80 18%	133 16%	93 12%	77 16%	191 15%	98 16%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Strongly disagree	99 4%	25 5%	15 5%	10 3%	21 4%	14 3%	13 4%	72 4%	27 3%	49 4%	48 4%	13 7%	49 4%	34 3%
Slightly disagree	352 14%	76 16%	46 14%	71 21% df	56 11%	67 13%	36 11%	249 15%	103 12%	178 14%	170 14%	33 17%	175 15%	139 13%
Neither agree nor disagree	356 14%	77 16%	46 14%	41 12%	84 16%	66 13%	41 13%	248 15%	108 13%	182 15%	168 14%	29 15%	178 15%	128 12%
Slightly agree	861 35%	153 32%	121 37%	115 34%	177 35%	184 36%	111 35%	566 34%	295 36%	435 35%	415 35%	57 29%	400 34%	384 37%
Strongly agree	794 32%	135 29%	95 29%	105 30%	172 34%	174 34%	114 36%	506 31%	287 35%	396 32%	381 32%	59 30%	355 30%	355 34%
Don't know	18 1%	5 1%	4 1%	2 1%	2 *	2 *	3 1%	13 1%	5 1%	8 1%	8 1%	3 1%	9 1%	5 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	451 18%	101 21%	61 19%	81 24% d	77 15%	81 16%	49 15%	321 19%	130 16%	226 18%	217 18%	46 24%	224 19%	173 17%
TOTAL AGREE	1655 67%	288 61%	216 66%	219 64%	349 68%	358 71%	225 71%	1073 65%	582 71%	831 67%	796 67%	116 60%	756 65%	740 71%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	374 15%	82 17%	50 15%	42 12%	86 17%	68 13%	45 14%	261 16%	113 14%	189 15%	177 15%	32 16%	186 16%	133 13%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Strongly disagree	99 4%	15 6%	10 5%	10 6%	5 3%	4 2%	7 4%	7 3%	12 5%	7 3%	7 3%	6 4%	6 4%
Slightly disagree	352 14%	43 18%	33 15%	22 13%	24 15%	34 20%	36 21%	30 12%	24 10%	31 12%	35 15%	17 11%	17 11%
Neither agree nor disagree	356 14%	24 10%	51 23% ajl	28 16%	17 11%	21 12%	19 11%	42 17%	42 17%	42 17%	24 10%	25 15%	15 10%
Slightly agree	861 35%	90 37%	61 27%	56 33%	65 41%	59 34%	56 33%	83 33%	89 36%	97 39%	86 36%	50 31%	58 38%
Strongly agree	794 32%	67 28%	67 30%	51 30%	44 28%	53 31%	51 30%	92 36%	79 32%	73 29%	88 37%	61 38%	53 35%
Don't know	18 1%	2 1%	3 1%	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	2 1%	2 1%	- -%	* *%	2 1%
SUMMARY													
TOTAL DISAGREE	451 18%	58 24%	43 19%	32 19%	29 19%	38 22%	43 25%	37 15%	36 15%	37 15%	42 18%	24 15%	24 16%
TOTAL AGREE	1655 67%	157 65%	128 57%	107 63%	109 69%	111 65%	106 63%	175 69%	169 68%	170 68%	175 73% b	110 70%	111 73% b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	374 15%	26 11%	54 24% ajl	29 17%	19 12%	22 13%	19 11%	42 17%	44 18%	44 17%	24 10%	25 16%	17 11%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Strongly disagree	99 4%	80 4%	12 6%	4 3%	4 5%	99 4%	90 4%	9 3%	27 4%	17 3%	16 3%	36 6%	44 3%	52 5%	99 4%
Slightly disagree	352 14%	289 14%	32 17%	18 16%	13 16%	352 14%	306 14%	46 16%	110 16%	99 16%	66 12%	73 13%	209 16%	139 12%	352 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	356 14%	303 14%	21 11%	20 18%	12 15%	356 14%	327 15%	29 10%	77 11%	87 14%	90 16%	96 17%	164 12%	186 17%	356 14%
Slightly agree	861 35%	733 35%	68 37%	34 30%	27 35%	861 35%	759 35%	102 36%	249 36%	235 38%	196 36%	173 30%	485 37%	369 33%	861 35%
Strongly agree	794 32%	686 33%	52 28%	35 31%	21 27%	794 32%	697 32%	97 34%	237 34%	175 28%	183 33%	186 32%	413 31%	369 33%	794 32%
Don't know	18 1%	15 1%	* *%	2 2%	1 1%	18 1%	18 1%	* *%	1 *%	4 1%	* *%	12 2%	5 *%	12 1%	18 1%
												ae			
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	451 18%	369 18%	44 24%	21 19%	17 22%	451 18%	396 18%	55 19%	137 19%	116 19%	82 15%	108 19%	253 19%	191 17%	451 18%
TOTAL AGREE	1655 67%	1419 67%	120 65%	69 61%	48 62%	1655 67%	1456 66%	199 70%	487 69%	411 67%	379 69%	359 62%	897 68%	738 65%	1655 67%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	374 15%	318 15%	22 12%	22 19%	13 16%	374 15%	345 16%	29 10%	78 11%	91 15%	90 16%	108 19%	168 13%	198 18%	374 15%
				b								ae		ae	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Strongly disagree	99 4%	19 4%	71 4%	22 5%	27 3%	28 4%	12 2%	54 4%	29 5%
Slightly disagree	352 14%	83 16%	258 14%	66 15%	116 14%	133 17%	64 13%	176 14%	104 17%
Neither agree nor disagree	356 14%	90 17%	244 13%	78 17%	124 15%	95 12%	55 11%	175 14%	106 17%
Slightly agree	861 35%	174 33%	654 35%	140 31%	262 32%	301 38%	172 35%	467 37%	186 31%
Strongly agree	794 32%	153 29%	616 33%	136 30%	287 35%	233 30%	190 38%	391 31%	176 29%
Don't know	18 1%	5 1%	7 *%	6 1%	4 *%	* *%	2 *%	4 *%	6 1%
SUMMARY									
TOTAL DISAGREE	451 18%	102 19%	329 18%	88 20%	143 17%	161 20%	76 15%	230 18%	133 22%
TOTAL AGREE	1655 67%	327 62%	1270 69%	276 62%	548 67%	534 68%	362 73%	859 68%	363 60%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	374 15%	96 18%	251 14%	84 19%	127 16%	95 12%	57 11%	179 14%	112 18%
Columns Tested:							c	c	a

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AGREEMENT THAT CHILD AND/ OR PARENT'S SCREEN TIME IS HARD TO CONTROL

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HARD TO CONTROL	237	60	38	44	47	27	20	189	48	126	109	25	139	70
	10%	13%	12%	13%	9%	5%	6%	11%	6%	10%	9%	13%	12%	7%
		e	e	ef				b					c	
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	1063	181	127	124	240	246	145	673	391	551	488	74	450	494
	43%	38%	39%	36%	47%	49%	45%	41%	47%	44%	41%	38%	39%	47%
				c	c			a					b	
CHILD HARD TO CONTROL, PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	311	49	37	57	58	70	40	201	110	148	161	19	152	135
	13%	10%	11%	17%	11%	14%	13%	12%	13%	12%	14%	10%	13%	13%
PARENT HARD TO CONTROL, CHILD NOT HARD TO CONTROL	869	183	125	118	167	163	113	593	276	422	433	77	424	347
	35%	39%	38%	34%	33%	32%	36%	36%	33%	34%	36%	40%	36%	33%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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AGREEMENT THAT CHILD AND/ OR PARENT'S SCREEN TIME IS HARD TO CONTROL

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HARD TO CONTROL	237 10%	30 13%	28 13%	22 13%	17 11%	26 15%	18 10%	21 8%	25 10%	15 6%	12 5%	11 7%	9 6%
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	1063 43%	107 44%	70 31%	64 38%	63 40%	66 39%	57 34%	116 46%	120 48%	118 47%	117 49%	81 51%	62 41%
CHILD HARD TO CONTROL, PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	311 13%	18 7%	31 14%	18 11%	19 12%	26 15%	31 19%	38 15%	20 8%	33 13%	37 16%	15 9%	23 15%
PARENT HARD TO CONTROL, CHILD NOT HARD TO CONTROL	869 35%	87 36%	96 43%	65 38%	59 37%	53 31%	62 37%	79 31%	84 34%	86 34%	74 31%	52 33%	58 38%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HARD TO CONTROL	237 10%	200 10%	17 9%	10 9%	9 12%	237 10%	212 10%	24 9%	63 9%	78 13% d	61 11%	33 6%	141 11% d	94 8%	237 10%
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	1063 43%	911 43%	78 42%	44 40%	30 39%	1063 43%	937 43%	127 45%	274 39%	240 39%	259 47%	272 47% e	515 39%	531 47% abe	1063 43%
CHILD HARD TO CONTROL, PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	311 13%	260 12%	25 14%	16 14%	10 13%	311 13%	275 13%	36 13%	88 13%	72 12%	67 12%	84 15%	160 12%	151 13%	311 13%
PARENT HARD TO CONTROL, CHILD NOT HARD TO CONTROL	869 35%	734 35%	65 35%	42 37%	28 36%	869 35%	773 35%	96 34%	276 39% cf	227 37%	165 30%	187 32%	503 38% cf	351 31%	869 35%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HARD TO CONTROL	237 10%	44 8%	187 10%	24 5%	90 11% a	85 11% a	46 9%	126 10%	57 9%
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	1063 43%	232 44%	784 42%	213 48% c	359 44%	289 37%	226 46%	519 41%	253 42%
CHILD HARD TO CONTROL, PARENT NOT HARD TO CONTROL	311 13%	52 10%	239 13%	63 14%	103 13%	104 13%	55 11%	161 13%	84 14%
PARENT HARD TO CONTROL, CHILD NOT HARD TO CONTROL	869 35%	197 37%	640 35%	148 33%	267 33%	312 39%	168 34%	461 36%	214 35%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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AGREEMENT THAT CHILD AND/ OR PARENT'S HAS A GOOD BALANCE BETWEEN SCREEN TIME AND DOING OTHER THINGS

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	237	18	16	28	66	67	42	128	109	132	103	8	77	148
	10%	4%	5%	8%	13%	13%	13%	8%	13%	11%	9%	4%	7%	14%
					ab	ab	ab		a					ab
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT DO NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	639	160	87	93	124	110	65	464	175	315	310	67	330	213
	26%	34%	27%	27%	24%	22%	20%	28%	21%	25%	26%	35%	28%	20%
		ef						b				c	c	
CHILD HAS GOOD BALANCE, PARENT DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	186	24	25	31	40	39	28	118	68	101	84	11	80	93
	8%	5%	8%	9%	8%	8%	9%	7%	8%	8%	7%	6%	7%	9%
PARENT HAS GOOD BALANCE, CHILD DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	1418	271	200	191	282	291	182	945	473	699	693	108	678	592
	57%	57%	61%	56%	55%	57%	57%	57%	57%	56%	58%	55%	58%	57%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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AGREEMENT THAT CHILD AND/ OR PARENT'S HAS A GOOD BALANCE BETWEEN SCREEN TIME AND DOING OTHER THINGS

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	237	16	2	6	10	16	11	32	34	42	25	19	21
	10%	7%	1%	4%	6%	10%	7%	13%	14%	17%	10%	12%	14%
		b				b	b	bc	bc	abcd	b	bc	bc
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT DO NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	639	73	85	46	39	45	46	59	61	61	49	31	30
	26%	30%	38%	27%	25%	26%	27%	23%	25%	24%	20%	19%	20%
			gkl										
CHILD HAS GOOD BALANCE, PARENT DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	186	12	12	15	9	15	15	21	19	21	17	18	11
	8%	5%	5%	9%	6%	9%	9%	8%	8%	8%	7%	11%	7%
PARENT HAS GOOD BALANCE, CHILD DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	1418	141	126	101	99	95	95	142	135	129	150	91	89
	57%	58%	56%	60%	63%	55%	57%	56%	54%	51%	62%	58%	59%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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AGREEMENT THAT CHILD AND/ OR PARENT'S HAS A GOOD BALANCE BETWEEN SCREEN TIME AND DOING OTHER THINGS

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	237 10%	204 10%	18 10%	8 7%	7 9%	237 10%	201 9%	36 13%	90 13% cdf	68 11%	37 7%	37 6%	158 12% cdf	74 7%	237 10%
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT DO NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	639 26%	530 25%	53 28%	35 31%	21 28%	639 26%	580 26%	59 21%	154 22%	165 27%	141 26%	168 29%	318 24%	310 27%	639 26%
CHILD HAS GOOD BALANCE, PARENT DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	186 8%	157 7%	13 7%	8 8%	8 10%	186 8%	161 7%	25 9%	61 9%	42 7%	31 6%	48 8%	103 8%	79 7%	186 8%
PARENT HAS GOOD BALANCE, CHILD DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	1418 57%	1215 58%	102 55%	61 54%	41 53%	1418 57%	1255 57%	163 58%	397 57%	343 56%	342 62%	322 56%	740 56%	664 59%	1418 57%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	237 10%	63 12%	166 9%	36 8%	55 7%	97 12%	64 13%	128 10%	36 6%
BOTH CHILD AND PARENT DO NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	639 26%	151 29%	447 24%	128 29%	215 26%	187 24%	100 20%	312 25%	194 32% ab
CHILD HAS GOOD BALANCE, PARENT DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	186 8%	46 9%	133 7%	44 10%	55 7%	69 9%	32 7%	97 8%	51 8%
PARENT HAS GOOD BALANCE, CHILD DOES NOT HAVE GOOD BALANCE	1418 57%	264 50%	1104 60% a	240 54%	494 60%	437 55%	298 60%	730 58%	327 54%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
I talk to my child	953	91	99	153	233	239	138	575	377	475	457	35	396	488
	38%	19%	30%	45%	45%	47%	43%	35%	46%	38%	38%	18%	34%	47%
			a	ab	ab	ab	ab		a				a	ab
I directly supervise my child	558	278	110	84	54	22	9	527	31	294	259	120	381	52
	22%	59%	34%	24%	11%	4%	3%	32%	4%	24%	22%	62%	33%	5%
		bcdef	def	def	ef			b				bc	c	
I can trust my child to be sensible	542	32	46	46	112	164	142	236	306	241	294	12	152	351
	22%	7%	14%	13%	22%	32%	45%	14%	37%	19%	25%	6%	13%	34%
			a		ac	abcd	abcde		a		a			ab
I use technical tools or controls	333	48	58	49	102	58	18	257	76	186	140	14	191	123
	13%	10%	18%	14%	20%	11%	6%	16%	9%	15%	12%	7%	16%	12%
			f	f	aef			b					a	
Another approach	29	5	7	3	8	5	-	23	5	14	13	5	16	8
	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
I don't have an approach	46	11	3	5	1	16	9	21	26	23	24	4	16	22
	2%	2%	1%	2%	*%	3%	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%
						d	d		a					
Don't know	20	6	5	3	2	2	2	16	4	14	4	3	13	2
	1%	1%	2%	1%	*%	*%	1%	1%	*%	1%	*%	2%	1%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
I talk to my child	953	42	46	52	47	76	76	112	114	122	109	70	65
	38%	18%	21%	31%	30%	44%	46%	44%	46%	49%	45%	44%	42%
				a		ab	abd	ab	abcd	abcd	abd	ab	ab
I directly supervise my child	558	149	129	53	56	43	40	28	25	15	7	7	2
	22%	61%	58%	32%	35%	25%	24%	11%	10%	6%	3%	4%	1%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	jl	l				
I can trust my child to be sensible	542	12	19	21	24	19	25	52	60	71	92	66	74
	22%	5%	9%	13%	15%	11%	15%	20%	24%	28%	38%	41%	48%
					a		a	ab	abe	abcdef	abcdefg	abcdefgh	abcdefghi
I use technical tools or controls	333	26	21	36	21	30	19	56	46	28	25	11	7
	13%	11%	9%	21%	14%	17%	11%	22%	19%	11%	10%	7%	5%
				bkl	l	kl		bjkl	kl				
Another approach	29	2	3	3	4	1	2	4	2	4	1	-	-
	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	*%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-%	-%
I don't have an approach	46	6	5	2	1	-	5	*	1	10	7	5	4
	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	-%	3%	*%	*%	4%	3%	3%	3%
Don't know	20	4	1	2	3	3	*	2	-	2	-	1	-
	1%	2%	*%	1%	2%	2%	*%	1%	-%	1%	-%	*%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
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Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
I talk to my child	953 38%	806 38%	74 40%	43 39%	30 39%	953 38%	841 38%	112 39%	269 38%	225 36%	224 41%	228 40%	493 37%	452 40%	953 38%
I directly supervise my child	558 22%	476 23%	44 24%	19 17%	17 23%	558 22%	493 22%	64 23%	147 21%	148 24%	129 23%	126 22%	295 22%	255 23%	558 22%
I can trust my child to be sensible	542 22%	470 22%	30 16%	27 24%	15 19%	542 22%	475 22%	68 24%	156 22%	126 20%	123 22%	130 23%	282 21%	254 23%	542 22%
I use technical tools or controls	333 13%	275 13%	31 16%	16 15%	11 15%	333 13%	302 14%	31 11%	116 17% cf	94 15%	55 10%	63 11%	210 16% cf	118 10%	333 13%
Another approach	29 1%	24 1%	3 2%	1 1%	1 1%	29 1%	25 1%	3 1%	6 1%	9 1%	8 2%	2 *%	15 1%	11 1%	29 1%
I don't have an approach	46 2%	39 2%	3 1%	3 2%	2 3%	46 2%	42 2%	4 2%	7 1%	12 2%	10 2%	16 3%	19 1%	26 2%	46 2%
Don't know	20 1%	16 1%	* *%	2 2%	1 1%	20 1%	19 1%	* *%	* *%	4 1%	2 *%	10 2% ae	5 *%	12 1%	20 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
I talk to my child	953 38%	195 37%	718 39%	196 44%	301 37%	294 37%	179 36%	486 38%	248 41%
I directly supervise my child	558 22%	123 23%	412 22%	93 21%	188 23%	172 22%	129 26%	282 22%	122 20%
I can trust my child to be sensible	542 22%	93 18%	434 23%	99 22%	191 23%	164 21%	117 24%	268 21%	141 23%
I use technical tools or controls	333 13%	91 17%	229 12%	42 9%	114 14%	133 17%	62 12%	181 14%	73 12%
Another approach	29 1%	8 2%	20 1%	6 1%	7 1%	13 2%	5 1%	14 1%	7 1%
I don't have an approach	46 2%	9 2%	29 2%	10 2%	13 2%	12 1%	3 1%	30 2%	10 2%
Don't know	20 1%	6 1%	8 *%	2 *%	6 1%	2 *%	* *%	5 *%	6 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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SUMMARY OF SCHOOL YEARS

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
PRE-SCHOOL	194	194	-	-	-	-	-	194	-	100	91	194	-	-
	8%	41%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	12%	-%	8%	8%	100%	-%	-%
		bcdef						b				bc		
PRIMARY	1166	275	328	343	220	-	-	1166	-	592	564	-	1166	-
	47%	58%	100%	100%	43%	-%	-%	70%	-%	47%	47%	-%	100%	-%
		def	ade	ade	ef			b					ac	
SECONDARY	1045	-	-	-	285	507	254	285	760	514	507	-	-	1045
	42%	-%	-%	-%	56%	100%	80%	17%	92%	41%	43%	-%	-%	100%
					abc	abcd	abcd		a					ab
POST-SCHOOL	41	-	-	-	-	-	41	-	41	27	14	-	-	-
	2%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	13%	-%	5%	2%	1%	-%	-%	-%
							abcde		a					
UNKNOWN	34	3	-	-	7	-	24	11	24	14	15	-	-	-
	1%	1%	-%	-%	1%	-%	7%	1%	3%	1%	1%	-%	-%	-%
							abcde		a					

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
PRE-SCHOOL	194	100	91	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	8%	41%	40%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%
		cdefghijkl	cdefghijkl										
PRIMARY	1166	142	132	168	157	172	168	111	107	-	-	-	-
	47%	58%	59%	100%	100%	100%	100%	43%	43%	-%	-%	-%	-%
		hijkl	hijkl	abghijkl	abghijkl	abghijkl	abghijkl	ijkl	ijkl				
SECONDARY	1045	-	-	-	-	-	-	138	140	252	241	124	127
	42%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	54%	56%	100%	100%	78%	83%
							abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefghkl	abcdefghkl	abcdefgh	abcdefgh
POST-SCHOOL	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	14
	2%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	17%	9%
												abcdefghij	abcdefghij
UNKNOWN	34	*	2	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	-	8	11
	1%	*%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	2%	1%	-%	-%	5%	7%
												acdefij	acdefhij

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
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Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
PRE-SCHOOL	194	153	25	8	7	194	176	18	46	58	39	47	104	86	194
	8%	7%	13%	7%	9%	8%	8%	6%	6%	9%	7%	8%	8%	8%	8%
			ace												
PRIMARY	1166	987	90	54	35	1166	1041	125	319	295	266	269	615	534	1166
	47%	47%	48%	49%	45%	47%	47%	44%	46%	48%	48%	47%	47%	47%	47%
SECONDARY	1045	910	60	43	32	1045	915	130	322	254	222	235	576	457	1045
	42%	43%	32%	38%	42%	42%	42%	46%	46%	41%	40%	41%	44%	41%	42%
		b			b	b									
POST-SCHOOL	41	30	6	3	2	41	37	4	8	3	14	16	11	30	41
	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%
												e		e	
UNKNOWN	34	25	5	3	1	34	28	6	7	5	10	9	12	20	34
	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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PRE-SCHOOL	194 8%	30 6%	152 8%	26 6%	73 9%	57 7%	39 8%	100 8%	49 8%
PRIMARY	1166 47%	223 43%	885 48%	227 51%	367 45%	379 48%	240 48%	585 46%	288 47%
SECONDARY	1045 42%	252 48%	764 41%	178 40%	355 43%	348 44%	205 42%	553 44%	245 40%
POST-SCHOOL	41 2%	9 2%	28 2%	12 3% c	18 2% c	3 *%	5 1%	21 2%	14 2%
UNKNOWN	34 1%	10 2%	21 1%	5 1%	6 1%	2 *%	6 1%	8 1%	11 2%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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C11. Is English your child's first or main language? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Yes	2213	410	297	291	463	466	286	1461	752	1114	1073	161	1029	961
	89%	87%	91%	85%	90%	92%	90%	88%	91%	89%	90%	83%	88%	92%
						c								a
No	78	15	10	20	14	13	7	59	20	41	37	6	50	21
	3%	3%	3%	6%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%
Child is bilingual/ trilingual – using English equally with one or more other languages	167	41	17	29	32	27	21	119	48	87	75	22	77	59
	7%	9%	5%	8%	6%	5%	7%	7%	6%	7%	6%	12%	7%	6%
Prefer not to say	21	6	4	3	3	1	4	16	5	5	5	4	9	4
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	*%	*%	2%	1%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C11. Is English your child's first or main language? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Yes	2213	209	198	150	145	149	139	231	227	228	228	147	136
	89%	86%	89%	89%	92%	87%	83%	91%	91%	90%	95%	93%	89%
No	78	7	7	7	3	8	12	8	7	10	3	2	5
	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	7%	3%	3%	4%	1%	1%	3%
Child is bilingual/ trilingual – using English equally with one or more other languages	167	24	17	8	9	15	13	15	15	14	10	10	11
	7%	10%	8%	5%	6%	9%	8%	6%	6%	6%	4%	6%	7%
Prefer not to say	21	2	2	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	*	-
	1%	1%	1%	2%	-%	-%	2%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Yes	2213	1881	168	94	71	2213	1950	263	648	553	483	504	1201	987	2213
	89%	89%	90%	84%	92%	89%	89%	93%	92%	90%	88%	87%	91%	88%	89%
		c		c	c				f						
No	78	64	6	5	2	78	70	8	15	14	27	21	29	48	78
	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	5%	4%	2%	4%	3%
											e				
Child is bilingual/ trilingual – using English equally with one or more other languages	167	142	11	11	3	167	158	9	36	45	40	42	80	82	167
	7%	7%	6%	10%	4%	7%	7%	3%	5%	7%	7%	7%	6%	7%	7%
				d											
Prefer not to say	21	19	1	1	*	21	19	2	3	5	1	10	8	10	21
	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	*%	2%	1%	1%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Yes	2213	490	1650	412	731	728	436	1141	560
	89%	93%	89%	92%	89%	92%	88%	90%	92%
No	78	6	57	11	25	16	17	46	9
	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	1%
Child is bilingual/ trilingual – using English equally with one or more other languages	167	23	141	24	60	44	40	80	36
	7%	4%	8%	5%	7%	6%	8%	6%	6%
Prefer not to say	21	7	3	1	2	2	2	1	2
	1%	1%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
WHITE														
English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	1842 74%	323 68%	225 68%	231 67%	407 80%	418 82%	240 75%	1185 72%	657 80%	948 76%	879 74%	133 69%	812 70%	834 80%
					abc	abc			a					ab
Irish	22 1%	5 1%	3 1%	5 2%	3 1%	3 1%	3 1%	16 1%	6 1%	11 1%	11 1%	2 1%	12 1%	7 1%
Gypsy, Traveller or Irish Traveller	2 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	2 *%	- -%	- -%	2 *%	- -%	- -%	2 *%	- -%	2 *%	- -%
Any other white background	117 5%	31 7%	23 7%	12 3%	25 5%	13 2%	14 4%	91 5%	27 3%	61 5%	56 5%	9 5%	73 6%	35 3%
			e										c	
MIXED OR MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS														
White and Black Caribbean	31 1%	3 1%	4 1%	8 2%	6 1%	3 1%	6 2%	22 1%	9 1%	18 1%	13 1%	- -%	20 2%	10 1%
White and Black African	38 2%	13 3%	3 1%	5 1%	6 1%	5 1%	6 2%	27 2%	11 1%	19 2%	18 2%	10 5%	12 1%	14 1%
												bc		
White and Asian	45 2%	6 1%	9 3%	10 3%	8 2%	9 2%	3 1%	33 2%	12 1%	16 1%	29 2%	2 1%	27 2%	15 1%
Any other mixed/ multiple ethnic background	35 1%	15 3%	6 2%	3 1%	4 1%	7 1%	1 *%	27 2%	8 1%	14 1%	21 2%	9 5%	16 1%	10 1%
		f										bc		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
ASIAN AND BRITISH ASIAN														
Indian	54 2%	13 3%	10 3%	9 3%	9 2%	8 2%	5 2%	41 2%	13 2%	25 2%	26 2%	5 3%	29 2%	20 2%
Pakistani	54 2%	14 3%	9 3%	6 2%	10 2%	4 1%	12 4%	39 2%	16 2%	30 2%	24 2%	1 1%	36 3%	17 2%
Bangladeshi	23 1%	6 1%	2 1%	6 2%	2 *%	6 1%	* *%	16 1%	7 1%	8 1%	14 1%	3 1%	12 1%	9 1%
Chinese	8 *%	3 1%	3 1%	1 *%	* *%	- -%	* *%	8 *%	* *%	3 *%	5 *%	3 1%	5 *%	1 *%
Any other Asian background	27 1%	6 1%	2 1%	6 2%	6 1%	5 1%	2 1%	20 1%	7 1%	10 1%	17 1%	4 2%	12 1%	10 1%
BLACK AND BLACK BRITISH														
Caribbean	25 1%	3 1%	10 3% f	2 1%	5 1%	5 1%	* *%	20 1%	5 1%	9 1%	11 1%	2 1%	14 1%	9 1%
African	98 4%	22 5%	10 3%	27 8% de	15 3%	13 3%	12 4%	73 4%	25 3%	53 4%	45 4%	4 2%	57 5%	35 3%
Any other black/ African/ Caribbean background	11 *%	- -%	4 1%	6 2%	- -%	- -%	* *%	11 1%	* *%	9 1%	2 *%	- -%	11 1%	* *%
OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS														
Arab	4 *%	* *%	- -%	1 *%	1 *%	* *%	1 *%	2 *%	2 *%	2 *%	2 *%	- -%	2 *%	2 *%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Any other ethnic background	10 *%	- -%	1 *%	4 1%	- -%	3 1%	2 1%	5 *%	5 1%	4 *%	4 *%	- -%	5 *%	5 *%
Prefer not to say	32 1%	10 2%	4 1%	- -%	4 1%	4 1%	10 3%	18 1%	14 2%	9 1%	11 1%	5 3%	9 1%	13 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
WHITE													
English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	1842	177	143	117	106	113	115	203	200	212	204	126	110
	74%	73%	64%	70%	67%	66%	69%	80%	80%	84%	85%	79%	73%
								be	be	bcdef	bcdef	b	
Irish	22	1	3	1	2	3	2	2	1	2	1	1	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Gypsy, Traveller or Irish Traveller	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%
Any other white background	117	16	16	10	12	5	7	14	11	8	4	7	7
	5%	6%	7%	6%	8%	3%	4%	6%	4%	3%	2%	4%	5%
MIXED OR MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS													
White and Black Caribbean	31	-	3	2	3	7	1	2	4	3	-	4	2
	1%	-%	1%	1%	2%	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-%	2%	1%
White and Black African	38	4	9	*	2	3	1	4	2	4	1	3	2
	2%	2%	4%	*%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	*%	2%	2%
White and Asian	45	2	3	3	6	6	4	*	8	1	8	3	*
	2%	1%	1%	2%	4%	3%	2%	*%	3%	*%	3%	2%	*%
Any other mixed/ multiple ethnic background	35	5	9	3	3	-	3	2	3	4	3	*	-
	1%	2%	4%	2%	2%	-%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
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Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
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Indian	54 2%	6 2%	7 3%	7 4%	3 2%	5 3%	4 2%	3 1%	6 2%	3 1%	2 1%	2 1%	4 2%
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Bangladeshi	23 1%	2 1%	4 2%	2 1%	- -%	2 1%	3 2%	- -%	2 1%	2 1%	5 2%	* *%	- -%
Chinese	8 *%	* *%	3 1%	2 1%	1 1%	* *%	1 1%	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%
Any other Asian background	27 1%	5 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	4 2%	2 1%	4 1%	- -%	5 2%	- -%	2 1%
BLACK AND BLACK BRITISH													
Caribbean	25 1%	- -%	3 1%	3 2%	7 4%	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	- -%	2 1%	- -%	* *%	- -%
African	98 4%	14 6%	8 4%	5 3%	5 3%	12 7%	15 9%	11 4%	3 1%	7 3%	7 3%	4 3%	8 5%
Any other black/ African/ Caribbean background	11 *%	- -%	- -%	3 2%	1 *%	5 3%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%
OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS													
Arab	4 *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	1 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Any other ethnic background	10	-	-	-	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	2	-
*%		-%	-%	-%	1%	1%	2%	-%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%
Prefer not to say	32	2	4	4	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	6
	1%	1%	2%	2%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	1%	4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
WHITE															
English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	1842 74%	1540 73%	154 83%	99 88%	50 65%	1842 74%	1582 72%	260 92%	524 75%	449 73%	424 77%	430 75%	973 74%	855 76%	1842 74%
		d	ade	ade	d			a							
Irish	22 1%	5 *%	* *%	* *%	17 22%	22 1%	16 1%	6 2%	8 1%	7 1%	3 1%	4 1%	15 1%	7 1%	22 1%
					abce										
Gypsy, Traveller or Irish Traveller	2 *%	2 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	2 *%	- -%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	2 *%	- -%	2 *%	2 *%
								a							
Any other white background	117 5%	104 5%	9 5%	2 2%	3 4%	117 5%	110 5%	8 3%	24 3%	20 3%	47 9%	22 4%	44 3%	69 6%	117 5%
		c				c					abdeg			e	
MIXED OR MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS															
White and Black Caribbean	31 1%	30 1%	* *%	1 1%	- -%	31 1%	30 1%	1 *%	7 1%	7 1%	3 1%	12 2%	14 1%	16 1%	31 1%
White and Black African	38 2%	33 2%	3 2%	1 1%	1 2%	38 2%	35 2%	3 1%	11 2%	7 1%	7 1%	11 2%	18 1%	18 2%	38 2%
White and Asian	45 2%	42 2%	2 1%	* *%	1 1%	45 2%	43 2%	2 1%	13 2%	18 3%	5 1%	9 2%	31 2%	14 1%	45 2%

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	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Any other mixed/ multiple ethnic background	35 1%	29 1%	4 2%	2 2%	* 1%	35 1%	33 2%	2 1%	13 2%	9 1%	6 1%	7 1%	22 2%	13 1%	35 1%
ASIAN AND BRITISH ASIAN															
Indian	54 2%	51 2%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	54 2%	54 2%	- -%	20 3%	19 3%	4 1%	9 2%	39 3%	14 1%	54 2%
Pakistani	54 2%	50 2%	3 2%	* *%	* *%	54 2%	54 2%	* *%	12 2%	5 1%	14 2%	21 4%	16 1%	34 3%	54 2%
Bangladeshi	23 1%	22 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	23 1%	23 1%	- -%	8 1%	5 1%	2 *%	7 1%	13 1%	10 1%	23 1%
Chinese	8 *%	6 *%	1 1%	* *%	1 1%	8 *%	8 *%	- -%	5 1%	1 *%	* *%	2 *%	5 *%	3 *%	8 *%
Any other Asian background	27 1%	26 1%	1 *%	- -%	1 1%	27 1%	27 1%	- -%	5 1%	12 2%	5 1%	5 1%	17 1%	10 1%	27 1%
BLACK AND BLACK BRITISH															
Caribbean	25 1%	23 1%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	25 1%	25 1%	- -%	11 2%	3 1%	1 *%	10 2%	14 1%	11 1%	25 1%
African	98 4%	90 4%	4 2%	3 3%	1 2%	98 4%	98 4%	* *%	29 4%	43 7%	12 2%	14 2%	73 6%	26 2%	98 4%
Any other black/ African/ Caribbean background	11 *%	10 *%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	11 *%	11 *%	- -%	5 1%	- -%	2 *%	3 1%	5 *%	6 *%	11 *%

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Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS															
Arab	4 *%	3 *%	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	4 *%	4 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	1 *%	1 *%	3 *%	4 *%
Any other ethnic background	10 *%	10 *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	10 *%	10 *%	- -%	- -%	5 1%	6 1%	- -%	5 *%	6 1%	10 *%
Prefer not to say	32 1%	30 1%	- -%	* *%	1 2%	32 1%	32 1%	- -%	6 1%	7 1%	7 1%	5 1%	13 1%	13 1%	32 1%

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	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
WHITE									
English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	1842	417	1360	321	629	618	351	951	473
	74%	79%	73%	72%	77%	78%	71%	75%	78%
Irish	22	4	16	5	7	7	6	10	6
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Gypsy, Traveller or Irish Traveller	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%
Any other white background	117	15	93	17	45	40	35	54	21
	5%	3%	5%	4%	5%	5%	7%	4%	3%
MIXED OR MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS									
White and Black Caribbean	31	13	18	13	11	2	1	13	17
	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	*%	*%	1%	3%
				c					a
White and Black African	38	5	30	6	13	9	14	16	7
	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%
White and Asian	45	7	34	5	17	16	14	22	8
	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%
Any other mixed/ multiple ethnic background	35	15	19	7	12	8	9	18	5
	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
		b							

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Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
ASIAN AND BRITISH ASIAN									
Indian	54 2%	3 1%	50 3%	6 1%	15 2%	16 2%	17 3%	22 2%	13 2%
Pakistani	54 2%	4 1%	48 3%	20 4% bc	4 1%	5 1%	2 *%	30 2%	21 3% a
Bangladeshi	23 1%	5 1%	16 1%	10 2%	3 *%	3 *%	3 1%	13 1%	4 1%
Chinese	8 *%	1 *%	8 *%	1 *%	3 *%	3 *%	* *%	4 *%	2 *%
Any other Asian background	27 1%	1 *%	25 1%	6 1%	11 1%	3 *%	1 *%	19 2%	5 1%
BLACK AND BLACK BRITISH									
Caribbean	25 1%	6 1%	18 1%	5 1%	6 1%	9 1%	5 1%	15 1%	5 1%
African	98 4%	16 3%	81 4%	18 4%	33 4%	41 5%	20 4%	61 5%	14 2%
Any other black/ African/ Caribbean background	11 *%	6 1%	5 *%	2 *%	4 *%	5 1%	6 1%	4 *%	1 *%
OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS									
Arab	4 *%	2 *%	2 *%	1 *%	1 *%	1 *%	2 *%	2 *%	* *%

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Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Any other ethnic background	10 *%	* *%	10 1%	2 *%	4 1%	- -%	3 1%	5 *%	2 *%
Prefer not to say	32 1%	3 1%	17 1%	4 1%	2 *%	2 *%	5 1%	6 *%	4 1%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Hearing? Poor hearing, partial hearing, or are d/Deaf	50 2%	4 1%	4 1%	13 4%	8 2%	15 3%	7 2%	29 2%	22 3%	33 3%	17 1%	2 1%	20 2%	25 2%
Eyesight? Poor vision, colour blindness, partial sight, or are blind	91 4%	13 3%	13 4%	11 3%	23 4%	23 5%	7 2%	60 4%	30 4%	49 4%	42 4%	7 4%	41 4%	42 4%
Mobility? Cannot walk at all/ use a wheelchair or mobility scooter etc., or cannot walk very far or manage stairs or can only do so with difficulty	42 2%	7 2%	2 1%	6 2%	9 2%	11 2%	7 2%	24 1%	19 2%	28 2%	13 1%	4 2%	12 1%	24 2%
Dexterity? Limited ability to reach/ difficulty opening things with their hands/ difficulty using a telephone handset/ television remote control/ computer keyboard etc.	30 1%	11 2%	2 1%	3 1%	4 1%	8 2%	2 1%	20 1%	10 1%	23 2%	7 1%	3 2%	13 1%	14 1%
Breathing? Breathlessness or chest pains	39 2%	9 2%	3 1%	9 3%	8 2%	4 1%	6 2%	29 2%	10 1%	22 2%	16 1%	2 1%	21 2%	15 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Mental abilities? Such as learning, understanding, concentration, memory, communicating, cognitive loss or deterioration.	160 6%	21 5%	16 5%	16 5%	45 9%	41 8%	21 7%	98 6%	62 8%	105 8% b	55 5%	15 8%	52 5%	87 8% b
Difficulty with speech? E.g. due to a stroke, stutter or stammer	40 2%	15 3%	5 2%	5 1%	7 1%	6 1%	2 *%	33 2%	7 1%	28 2%	11 1%	10 5% bc	19 2%	11 1%
Social/ behavioural? Conditions associated with this such as autism, attention deficit disorder, etc.	278 11%	45 9%	33 10%	43 13%	62 12%	62 12%	33 10%	184 11%	94 11%	176 14% b	97 8%	22 11%	126 11%	122 12%
Their mental health? Anxiety, depression, or trauma-related conditions, for example	148 6%	3 1%	8 3%	20 6% a	35 7% a	44 9% ab	38 12% abc	66 4%	83 10% a	52 4%	92 8% a	* *%	39 3%	99 9% ab
Other illnesses/ conditions which impact or limit their daily activities	42 2%	6 1%	4 1%	8 2%	8 2%	7 1%	9 3%	26 2%	16 2%	22 2%	20 2%	3 2%	19 2%	18 2%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Nothing – no impairments or conditions that impact or limit their daily activities	1850	377	250	248	378	363	235	1253	598	890	935	152	885	764
	75%	80%	76%	72%	74%	72%	74%	76%	72%	71%	79%	78%	76%	73%
Don't know	39	8	6	8	4	6	6	27	12	23	16	5	21	11
	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%
Prefer not to say	65	13	9	12	17	9	6	51	14	24	32	7	36	18
	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%
SUMMARY														
ANY IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	525	73	63	75	113	129	72	324	201	310	208	30	223	252
	21%	16%	19%	22%	22%	25%	23%	20%	24%	25%	17%	16%	19%	24%
						a				b				
MULTIPLE IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	227	32	20	33	53	51	38	137	89	134	89	18	82	119
	9%	7%	6%	10%	10%	10%	12%	8%	11%	11%	8%	10%	7%	11%
														b

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5 a	FEMALE 3-5 b	MALE 6-7 c	FEMALE 6-7 d	MALE 8-9 e	FEMALE 8-9 f	MALE 10-12 g	FEMALE 10-12 h	MALE 13-15 i	FEMALE 13-15 j	MALE 16-17 k	FEMALE 16-17 l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Hearing? Poor hearing, partial hearing, or are d/Deaf	50 2%	3 1%	1 *%	1 1%	3 2%	10 6% b	3 2%	5 2%	3 1%	11 4%	4 2%	3 2%	3 2%
Eyesight? Poor vision, colour blindness, partial sight, or are blind	91 4%	7 3%	6 3%	7 4%	6 4%	6 3%	5 3%	10 4%	12 5%	14 5%	10 4%	5 3%	2 2%
Mobility? Cannot walk at all/ use a wheelchair or mobility scooter etc., or cannot walk very far or manage stairs or can only do so with difficulty	42 2%	2 1%	5 2%	2 1%	* *%	4 2%	1 1%	7 3%	2 1%	8 3%	3 1%	5 3%	1 1%
Dexterity? Limited ability to reach/ difficulty opening things with their hands/ difficulty using a telephone handset/ television remote control/ computer keyboard etc.	30 1%	9 4%	1 1%	1 1%	1 *%	1 1%	2 1%	3 1%	1 *%	8 3%	* *%	* *%	1 1%
Breathing? Breathlessness or chest pains	39 2%	5 2%	4 2%	1 1%	1 1%	6 3%	3 2%	4 2%	4 2%	4 1%	- -%	2 1%	4 3%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Mental abilities? Such as learning, understanding, concentration, memory, communicating, cognitive loss or deterioration.	160 6%	18 7%	4 2%	9 5%	7 5%	12 7%	4 3%	23 9% b	21 9% b	30 12% bf	11 4%	13 8%	8 5%
Difficulty with speech? E.g. due to a stroke, stutter or stammer	40 2%	15 6% bdk	1 *% *	5 3%	1 *% *	2 1%	2 1%	4 2%	4 1%	3 1%	3 1%	* *% *	1 1%
Social/ behavioural? Conditions associated with this such as autism, attention deficit disorder, etc.	278 11%	30 12%	15 7%	22 13%	10 7%	30 18% bdfj	12 7%	33 13%	29 12%	43 17% bdj	16 6%	17 11%	15 10%
Their mental health? Anxiety, depression, or trauma-related conditions, for example	148 6%	- -%	3 1%	5 3%	4 2%	11 7% a	9 5% a	13 5% a	22 9% ab	13 5% a	28 12% abcd	10 6% a	26 17% abcdefgik

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Other illnesses/ conditions which impact or limit their daily activities	42 2%	3 1%	3 1%	1 1%	3 2%	7 4%	1 1%	4 2%	4 2%	3 1%	3 1%	3 2%	6 4%
Nothing – no impairments or conditions that impact or limit their daily activities	1850 75%	185 76%	189 84% ei	123 73%	126 80% ei	114 67%	132 79% i	184 72%	187 75%	162 64%	189 79% i	121 76%	111 73%
Don't know	39 2%	4 1%	5 2%	6 4%	* *% ei	4 2%	4 2%	2 1%	3 1%	5 2%	1 1%	3 2%	3 2%
Prefer not to say	65 3%	7 3%	4 2%	5 3%	4 3%	3 1%	8 4% i	8 3%	6 2%	- -%	9 4%	2 1%	2 1%
SUMMARY													
ANY IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	525 21%	47 19%	27 12%	35 21%	26 17%	50 29% bf	24 14%	61 24%	53 21%	84 34% abdfj	41 17%	33 21%	36 24%
MULTIPLE IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	227 9%	24 10%	8 4%	13 8%	7 4%	25 14% bdf	8 5%	26 10%	27 11%	29 11%	19 8%	18 11%	20 13% bdf

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Hearing? Poor hearing, partial hearing, or are d/Deaf	50 2%	42 2%	5 3%	2 2%	1 1%	50 2%	47 2%	4 1%	17 2%	9 1%	6 1%	13 2%	26 2%	19 2%	50 2%
Eyesight? Poor vision, colour blindness, partial sight, or are blind	91 4%	78 4%	5 3%	5 4%	2 3%	91 4%	88 4%	3 1%	27 4%	24 4%	19 3%	20 3%	50 4%	39 3%	91 4%
Mobility? Cannot walk at all/ use a wheelchair or mobility scooter etc., or cannot walk very far or manage stairs or can only do so with difficulty	42 2%	36 2%	3 1%	3 3%	1 1%	42 2%	41 2%	2 1%	9 1%	10 2%	10 2%	12 2%	19 1%	22 2%	42 2%
Dexterity? Limited ability to reach/ difficulty opening things with their hands/ difficulty using a telephone handset/ television remote control/ computer keyboard etc.	30 1%	23 1%	3 2%	2 2%	1 2%	30 1%	24 1%	6 2%	8 1%	8 1%	8 1%	6 1%	16 1%	14 1%	30 1%
Breathing? Breathlessness or chest pains	39 2%	33 2%	3 1%	2 2%	1 1%	39 2%	36 2%	3 1%	11 2%	9 1%	7 1%	12 2%	19 1%	19 2%	39 2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Mental abilities? Such as learning, understanding, concentration, memory, communicating, cognitive loss or deterioration.	160 6%	139 7%	10 5%	7 6%	5 6%	160 6%	147 7%	13 5%	30 4%	41 7%	18 3%	69 12% aceg	71 5%	87 8% c	160 6%
Difficulty with speech? E.g. due to a stroke, stutter or stammer	40 2%	32 2%	3 2%	2 2%	2 3%	40 2%	34 2%	5 2%	12 2%	6 1%	10 2%	9 2%	18 1%	20 2%	40 2%
Social/ behavioural? Conditions associated with this such as autism, attention deficit disorder, etc.	278 11%	236 11%	22 12%	12 11%	8 10%	278 11%	239 11%	39 14%	39 6%	64 10% a	61 11% a	111 19% abceg	103 8%	173 15% aeg	278 11% ae
Their mental health? Anxiety, depression, or trauma-related conditions, for example	148 6%	126 6%	11 6%	7 6%	4 5%	148 6%	121 6%	27 10%	25 4%	30 5%	25 5%	66 11% abceg	55 4%	91 8% ae	148 6%
Other illnesses/ conditions which impact or limit their daily activities	42 2%	34 2%	2 1%	4 3%	1 2%	42 2%	39 2%	3 1%	8 1%	9 1%	10 2%	15 3%	17 1%	25 2%	42 2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Nothing – no impairments or conditions that impact or limit their daily activities	1850 75%	1572 75%	142 76%	79 70%	58 76%	1850 75%	1639 75%	211 75%	570 81% dfg	475 77% df	415 75% d	370 64%	1045 79% dfg	785 70%	1850 75% d
Don't know	39 2%	33 2%	3 2%	2 2%	1 1%	39 2%	39 2%	- -%	7 1%	6 1%	13 2%	14 2%	13 1%	26 2%	39 2%
Prefer not to say	65 3%	56 3%	4 2%	3 3%	2 2%	65 3%	60 3%	5 2%	12 2%	12 2%	12 2%	24 4%	24 2%	36 3%	65 3%

SUMMARY

ANY IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	525 21%	445 21%	37 20%	27 25%	16 21%	525 21%	459 21%	66 23%	112 16%	124 20%	111 20%	169 29% abceg	236 18%	280 25% ae	525 21% a
MULTIPLE IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	227 9%	191 9%	19 10%	11 10%	6 7%	227 9%	206 9%	21 7%	37 5%	52 8%	39 7%	94 16% abceg	90 7%	133 12% ae	227 9% a

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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C3. Which of these – if any – impact or limit your child's daily activities? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Hearing? Poor hearing, partial hearing, or are d/Deaf	50 2%	50 10% b	- -%	14 3%	13 2%	13 2%	16 3% b	13 1%	18 3% b
Eyesight? Poor vision, colour blindness, partial sight, or are blind	91 4%	91 17% b	- -%	20 4%	35 4%	21 3%	22 5%	39 3%	26 4%
Mobility? Cannot walk at all/ use a wheelchair or mobility scooter etc., or cannot walk very far or manage stairs or can only do so with difficulty	42 2%	42 8% b	- -%	12 3%	12 1%	7 1%	7 1%	14 1%	14 2%
Dexterity? Limited ability to reach/ difficulty opening things with their hands/ difficulty using a telephone handset/ television remote control/ computer keyboard etc.	30 1%	30 6% b	- -%	11 3%	8 1%	8 1%	6 1%	10 1%	14 2%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Breathing? Breathlessness or chest pains	39 2%	39 7% b	- -%	12 3%	16 2%	7 1%	9 2%	11 1%	16 3%
Mental abilities? Such as learning, understanding, concentration, memory, communicating, cognitive loss or deterioration.	160 6%	160 30% b	- -%	49 11% c	51 6%	30 4%	23 5%	76 6%	56 9%
Difficulty with speech? E.g. due to a stroke, stutter or stammer	40 2%	40 8% b	- -%	10 2%	10 1%	10 1%	5 1%	26 2%	6 1%
Social/ behavioural? Conditions associated with this such as autism, attention deficit disorder, etc.	278 11%	278 53% b	- -%	64 14% c	121 15% c	48 6%	33 7%	145 11%	97 16% a

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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C3. Which of these – if any – impact or limit your child's daily activities? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Their mental health? Anxiety, depression, or trauma-related conditions, for example	148 6%	148 28% b	- -%	48 11% c	50 6% c	18 2%	20 4%	60 5%	64 11% ab
Other illnesses/ conditions which impact or limit their daily activities	42 2%	42 8% b	- -%	7 2%	17 2%	6 1%	5 1%	21 2%	14 2%
Nothing – no impairments or conditions that impact or limit their daily activities	1850 75%	- -%	1850 100% a	296 66%	600 73%	664 84% ab	399 81% c	983 78% c	396 65%
Don't know	39 2%	- -%	- -%	11 2%	13 2%	5 1%	5 1%	24 2%	10 2%
Prefer not to say	65 3%	- -%	- -%	4 1%	11 1%	9 1%	9 2%	19 1%	17 3%
SUMMARY									
ANY IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	525 21%	525 100% b	- -%	137 31% c	194 24% c	112 14%	82 17%	242 19%	186 31% ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
MULTIPLE IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	227	227	-	64	83	35	29	102	89
	9%	43% b	-%	14% c	10% c	4%	6%	8%	15% ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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C4. AGE OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
16 TO 24	22 1%	19 4%	3 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	22 1%	- -%	12 1%	10 1%	14 7%	8 1%	- -%
		cdef						b				bc		
25 TO 34	563 23%	232 49%	116 35%	92 27%	80 16%	41 8%	3 1%	519 31%	44 5%	279 22%	278 23%	102 53%	375 32%	86 8%
		bcdef	def	def	ef	f		b				bc	c	
35 TO 44	1019 41%	170 36%	153 47%	181 53%	236 46%	180 35%	100 31%	740 45%	280 34%	533 43%	481 40%	60 31%	560 48%	371 35%
			aef	aef	ef			b					ac	
45 TO 54	608 25%	24 5%	38 11%	47 14%	154 30%	190 37%	156 49%	262 16%	346 42%	300 24%	303 25%	6 3%	144 12%	430 41%
			a	a	abc	abc	abcde		a				a	ab
55 TO 64	119 5%	1 *%	7 2%	7 2%	21 4%	49 10%	35 11%	36 2%	83 10%	53 4%	65 5%	- -%	27 2%	86 8%
					a	abcd	abcd		a					ab
65 TO 74	8 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	8 1%	- -%	- -%	8 1%	3 *%	5 *%	- -%	- -%	8 1%
									a					
Refused	140 6%	27 6%	12 4%	16 5%	22 4%	40 8%	24 8%	76 5%	64 8%	67 5%	48 4%	12 6%	51 4%	64 6%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C4. AGE OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
16 TO 24	22 1%	10 4%	10 4%	2 1%	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%
25 TO 34	563 23%	116 48%	114 51%	61 36%	54 34%	46 27%	46 27%	36 14%	41 17%	17 7%	24 10%	3 2%	- -%
		efghijkl	defghijkl	ghijkl	ghijkl	gijkl	gijkl	kl	ikl	l	kl		
35 TO 44	1019 41%	91 38%	79 35%	74 44%	78 50%	88 51%	90 54%	129 51%	105 42%	96 38%	83 35%	54 34%	46 30%
					jkl	bjkl	abijkl	bjkl					
45 TO 54	608 25%	14 6%	10 5%	21 13%	16 10%	31 18%	17 10%	68 27%	86 34%	90 36%	97 40%	77 49%	77 51%
						ab		abcdf	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefg	abcdefgh
55 TO 64	119 5%	* *%	1 *%	3 2%	4 3%	1 *%	7 4%	9 3%	12 5%	27 11%	21 9%	14 9%	20 13%
									a	abcde	abce	abce	abcdefg
65 TO 74	8 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	5 2%	- -%	- -%
Refused	140 6%	12 5%	11 5%	7 4%	4 3%	7 4%	8 5%	13 5%	5 2%	19 8%	10 4%	10 6%	10 6%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
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25 TO 34	563 23%	491 23%	33 18%	25 22%	14 18%	563 23%	519 24% b	44 16%	116 16%	144 23% a	123 22%	175 30% aeg	259 20%	299 27% ae	563 23% a
35 TO 44	1019 41%	845 40%	93 50% ae	49 44%	32 42%	1019 41%	904 41%	115 41%	287 41%	261 42%	235 43%	227 39%	548 42%	462 41%	1019 41%
45 TO 54	608 25%	529 25%	35 19%	23 21%	21 27% b	608 25%	520 24%	88 31%	218 31% cdfg	151 24%	124 22%	107 18%	369 28% df	230 20%	608 25%
55 TO 64	119 5%	97 5%	12 6%	6 5%	5 6%	119 5%	102 5%	17 6%	38 5%	30 5%	32 6%	20 3%	68 5%	51 5%	119 5%
65 TO 74	8 *%	5 *%	1 1%	1 1%	- -%	8 *%	7 *%	* *%	3 *%	- -%	4 1%	* *%	3 *%	4 *%	8 *%
Refused	140 6%	120 6%	10 5%	7 6%	3 4%	140 6%	122 6%	18 6%	40 6%	29 5%	29 5%	33 6%	69 5%	61 5%	140 6%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
16 TO 24	22 1%	10 2%	11 1%	1 *%	13 2% c	- -%	- -%	14 1%	8 1%
25 TO 34	563 23%	133 25%	407 22%	129 29% c	215 26% c	143 18%	98 20%	298 24%	156 26%
35 TO 44	1019 41%	202 38%	784 42%	214 48%	316 39%	359 45%	226 46%	519 41%	251 41%
45 TO 54	608 25%	135 26%	453 24%	85 19%	195 24%	228 29% a	130 26%	302 24%	150 25%
55 TO 64	119 5%	23 4%	96 5%	9 2%	52 6% a	42 5%	21 4%	70 6%	24 4%
65 TO 74	8 *%	* *%	7 *%	- -%	5 1%	2 *%	* *%	5 *%	2 *%
Refused	140 6%	22 4%	92 5%	11 3%	23 3%	17 2%	20 4%	60 5%	16 3%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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C5. GENDER OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Man	754 30%	115 24%	106 32%	109 32%	173 34%	167 33%	84 26%	503 30%	251 30%	380 31%	369 31%	38 19%	367 32% a	326 31% a
Woman	1692 68%	351 74%	220 67%	231 67%	331 65%	331 65%	228 72%	1133 68%	559 68%	858 69%	815 68%	151 78%	790 68%	705 67%
Non-binary	3 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	2 *%	1 *%	1 *%	2 *%	- -%	1 *%	2 *%
Prefer to use another term (please specify)	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%
Prefer not to say	31 1%	7 1%	1 *%	3 1%	7 1%	7 1%	6 2%	17 1%	13 2%	7 1%	4 *%	6 3%	7 1%	13 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C5. GENDER OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Man	754	61	53	48	58	48	59	88	85	97	71	39	43
	30%	25%	24%	28%	37%	28%	35%	35%	34%	38%	29%	24%	29%
Woman	1692	179	169	120	99	123	107	164	163	153	169	119	108
	68%	74%	76%	71%	63%	72%	64%	64%	66%	61%	70%	75%	71%
Non-binary	3	-	-	*	-	-	-	*	*	-	1	-	-
	*%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	*%	*%	-%	1%	-%	-%
Prefer to use another term (please specify)	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	*
	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%
Prefer not to say	31	2	2	-	-	1	2	2	*	2	-	1	*
	1%	1%	1%	-%	-%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	-%	1%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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C5. GENDER OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Man	754	632	65	32	24	754	679	75	262	182	205	99	444	304	754
	30%	30%	35%	29%	32%	30%	31%	26%	37%	29%	37%	17%	34%	27%	30%
									bdfg	d	df		df	d	d
Woman	1692	1445	119	77	52	1692	1486	206	429	426	345	471	855	816	1692
	68%	69%	64%	69%	67%	68%	68%	73%	61%	69%	63%	82%	65%	72%	68%
												abcefg		ace	a
Non-binary	3	1	1	1	-	3	3	-	2	*	1	*	2	1	3
	*%	*%	1%	1%	-%	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%
Prefer to use another term (please specify)	*	-	-	*	-	*	*	-	*	-	-	-	*	-	*
	*%	-%	-%	*%	-%	*%	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	*%
Prefer not to say	31	27	1	2	1	31	29	2	8	9	-	6	18	6	31
	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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C5. GENDER OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Man	754 30%	135 26%	580 31%	99 22%	248 30%	322 41% ab	198 40% bc	373 29%	153 25%
Woman	1692 68%	388 74%	1253 68%	346 77% c	569 70% c	467 59%	296 60%	888 70% a	452 74% a
Non-binary	3 *% *	* *% *	3 *% *	2 *% *	* *% *	1 *% *	- -% *	2 *% *	1 *% *
Prefer to use another term (please specify)	* *% *	* *% *	- -% *	- -% *	- -% *	* *% *	* *% *	- -% *	- -% *
Prefer not to say	31 1%	2 *% *	14 1% *	1 *% *	2 *% *	- -% *	* *% *	5 *% *	2 *% *

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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C6. What is your working status? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
In full time employment	1380	241	172	198	291	295	184	901	479	684	678	98	643	598
	56%	51%	52%	58%	57%	58%	58%	54%	58%	55%	57%	51%	55%	57%
In part time employment	525	109	77	79	97	100	63	361	164	257	266	45	259	212
	21%	23%	23%	23%	19%	20%	20%	22%	20%	21%	22%	23%	22%	20%
Unemployed	150	33	23	22	33	26	13	111	39	84	63	11	78	54
	6%	7%	7%	7%	6%	5%	4%	7%	5%	7%	5%	6%	7%	5%
A student	22	11	3	1	3	2	2	18	4	13	9	3	15	2
	1%	2%	1%	*%	1%	*%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	2%	1%	*%
Full-time responsibility for home/ family	297	60	44	36	67	56	34	208	90	158	133	28	135	130
	12%	13%	13%	11%	13%	11%	11%	13%	11%	13%	11%	15%	12%	12%
Retired	11	*	*	*	2	6	2	3	8	7	5	-	3	7
	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	*%	-%	*%	1%
Other	49	7	4	4	11	10	14	26	23	25	24	4	18	23
	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Prefer not to say	46	11	6	2	7	13	6	26	19	20	12	4	15	20
	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C6. What is your working status? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
In full time employment	1380 56%	122 51%	115 51%	84 50%	87 55%	95 56%	100 60%	144 57%	143 57%	145 57%	146 60%	94 59%	88 58%
In part time employment	525 21%	51 21%	58 26%	41 24%	36 23%	40 23%	38 22%	46 18%	51 21%	50 20%	50 21%	30 19%	34 22%
Unemployed	150 6%	20 8%	13 6%	13 8%	11 7%	13 8%	9 6%	20 8%	10 4%	13 5%	13 5%	5 3%	8 5%
A student	22 1%	7 3%	4 2%	* *%	2 1%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	2 1%	2 1%	- -%	2 1%	- -%
Full-time responsibility for home/ family	297 12%	36 15%	25 11%	23 14%	19 12%	19 11%	18 11%	31 12%	34 14%	30 12%	23 9%	18 11%	15 10%
Retired	11 *%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	* *%	- -%	1 *%	1 1%	4 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%
Other	49 2%	* *%	6 3%	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	3 2%	7 3%	4 2%	6 2%	4 2%	8 5% a	5 3%
Prefer not to say	46 2%	5 2%	3 2%	6 3%	* *%	1 1%	* *%	4 1%	3 1%	3 1%	4 2%	1 1%	1 1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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C6. What is your working status? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
In full time employment	1380 56%	1174 56%	105 56%	60 54%	41 53%	1380 56%	1231 56%	150 53%	520 74% cdfg	417 68% cdfg	321 58% df	110 19%	937 71% cdfg	431 38% d	1380 56% df
In part time employment	525 21%	444 21%	40 21%	23 20%	19 25%	525 21%	454 21%	70 25%	109 15%	129 21%	140 25% ae	146 25% ae	237 18%	286 25% ae	525 21% a
Unemployed	150 6%	128 6%	11 6%	6 6%	5 6%	150 6%	142 6%	8 3%	6 1%	12 2%	9 2%	119 21% abcefg	18 1% abcefg	128 11% abcefg	150 6% abce
A student	22 1%	18 1%	2 1%	1 1%	* *% a	22 1%	22 1%	- -%	3 *% acdfg	17 3% acdfg	1 *% acdfg	2 *% acdfg	19 1% abcefg	3 *% abcefg	22 1% abcefg
Full-time responsibility for home/ family	297 12%	254 12%	20 10%	16 14%	8 11%	297 12%	266 12%	32 11%	48 7%	26 4%	64 12% be	152 26% abcefg	75 6% abcefg	216 19% abcefg	297 12% abe
Retired	11 *% ae	4 *% ae	5 3% ae	1 1%	1 1% a	11 *% ae	7 *% ae	5 2% a	6 1%	* *% ae	2 *% ae	2 *% ae	6 *% ae	5 *% ae	11 *% ae
Other	49 2%	42 2%	2 1%	3 3%	2 2%	49 2%	38 2%	11 4%	5 1%	8 1%	9 2%	26 5% abeg	13 1% abeg	35 3% ae	49 2% abeg
Prefer not to say	46 2%	41 2%	1 1%	1 1%	1 2%	46 2%	38 2%	8 3%	5 1%	8 1%	6 1%	18 3% ae	13 1% ae	23 2% ae	46 2% ae

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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C6. What is your working status? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
In full time employment	1380 56%	234 45%	1092 59% a	124 28%	489 60% a	611 77% ab	355 72% bc	744 59% c	229 38%
In part time employment	525 21%	114 22%	395 21%	138 31% c	190 23% c	121 15%	78 16%	284 22%	156 26% a
Unemployed	150 6%	51 10% b	85 5%	58 13% bc	38 5% c	7 1%	11 2%	55 4%	74 12% ab
A student	22 1%	10 2%	12 1%	8 2% c	2 *% c	* *% c	1 *% c	7 1%	9 2%
Full-time responsibility for home/ family	297 12%	93 18% b	194 10%	102 23% bc	83 10% c	38 5%	36 7%	146 12%	105 17% ab
Retired	11 *%	1 *%	10 1%	2 *% c	3 *% c	5 1%	2 *% c	6 *% c	3 1%
Other	49 2%	17 3%	33 2%	15 3% c	12 2% c	6 1%	8 2%	21 2%	20 3%
Prefer not to say	46 2%	6 1%	31 2%	3 1%	* *% c	2 *% c	3 1%	5 *% c	10 2%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Income Support	43 2%	8 2%	13 4%	5 1%	* *%	15 3%	2 1%	26 2%	17 2%	27 2%	16 1%	3 2%	22 2%	17 2%
Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance	20 1%	8 2%	2 *%	3 1%	4 1%	2 *%	1 *%	17 1%	3 *%	10 1%	10 1%	- -%	16 1%	4 *%
Pensions Credit (Guaranteed Credit)	27 1%	6 1%	2 1%	5 1%	1 *%	11 2%	2 1%	14 1%	14 2%	12 1%	15 1%	2 1%	12 1%	13 1%
Pensions Credit (no Guaranteed Credit)	14 1%	1 *%	2 1%	- -%	3 1%	7 1%	1 *%	6 *%	8 1%	6 *%	8 1%	* *%	6 1%	8 1%
Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)	57 2%	11 2%	9 3%	7 2%	12 2%	10 2%	9 3%	39 2%	18 2%	34 3%	23 2%	* *%	31 3%	25 2%
Universal Credit (and household has other earnings)	469 19%	98 21%	64 20%	68 20%	97 19%	78 15%	64 20%	327 20%	142 17%	231 19%	235 20%	38 20%	233 20%	178 17%
Universal Credit (and household has no other earnings)	217 9%	45 10%	23 7%	29 8%	58 11%	40 8%	22 7%	155 9%	62 8%	108 9%	110 9%	17 9%	105 9%	89 8%
Personal Independence Payment (PIP)	165 7%	25 5%	21 6%	12 3%	47 9%	33 6%	29 9%	104 6%	61 7%	77 6%	87 7%	8 4%	73 6%	74 7%
Carer's allowance	118 5%	13 3%	20 6%	9 3%	30 6%	28 6%	17 5%	73 4%	46 6%	59 5%	60 5%	3 2%	54 5%	59 6%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	146	22	22	25	32	33	12	101	45	83	62	10	73	63
	6%	5%	7%	7%	6%	7%	4%	6%	5%	7%	5%	5%	6%	6%
Other	24	4	1	2	8	2	7	14	10	14	10	1	10	10
	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	*%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%
None of these - Do not receive any of these benefits	1438	269	192	200	282	309	187	942	496	726	691	110	671	627
	58%	57%	58%	58%	55%	61%	59%	57%	60%	58%	58%	57%	58%	60%
Don't know	16	6	1	1	4	2	2	12	4	3	12	2	7	7
	1%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	1%	1%	*%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Prefer not to say	146	20	26	16	35	32	17	97	49	71	57	11	58	65
	6%	4%	8%	5%	7%	6%	5%	6%	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%
SUMMARY														
ANY BENEFITS	880	178	109	126	191	164	112	604	277	447	430	71	430	346
	36%	38%	33%	37%	37%	32%	35%	36%	34%	36%	36%	36%	37%	33%

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Income Support	43 2%	5 2%	3 1%	10 6% ghl	3 2%	2 1%	2 1%	- -%	* *%	8 3%	7 3%	2 1%	1 *%
Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance	20 1%	5 2%	4 2%	- -%	2 1%	3 1%	* *%	- -%	4 2%	2 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%
Pensions Credit (Guaranteed Credit)	27 1%	3 1%	3 1%	1 1%	1 1%	1 *%	4 2%	1 *%	* *%	6 2%	5 2%	1 1%	1 1%
Pensions Credit (no Guaranteed Credit)	14 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	6 2%	1 *%	- -%	1 1%
Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)	57 2%	6 2%	5 2%	7 4%	2 1%	6 3%	1 1%	7 3%	5 2%	4 1%	6 2%	5 3%	4 3%
Universal Credit (and household has other earnings)	469 19%	47 19%	51 23%	27 16%	36 23%	31 18%	37 22%	52 20%	43 17%	43 17%	35 14%	30 19%	34 22%
Universal Credit (and household has no other earnings)	217 9%	27 11%	18 8%	9 6%	13 9%	14 8%	15 9%	31 12%	28 11%	16 6%	24 10%	11 7%	11 7%
Personal Independence Payment (PIP)	165 7%	12 5%	12 6%	10 6%	11 7%	8 5%	3 2%	17 7%	30 12% f	16 6%	16 7%	14 9%	15 10% f
Carer's allowance	118 5%	5 2%	8 4%	8 5%	12 8%	4 3%	5 3%	14 6%	16 6%	16 6%	12 5%	11 7%	6 4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	146	9	12	10	11	21	5	13	19	22	11	9	3
	6%	4%	5%	6%	7%	12%	3%	5%	8%	9%	5%	5%	2%
Other	24	1	3	1	-	2	*	6	2	2	-	3	5
	1%	*%	1%	1%	-%	1%	*%	2%	1%	1%	-%	2%	3%
None of these - Do not receive any of these benefits	1438	139	127	103	88	96	102	143	135	153	150	93	90
	58%	57%	57%	61%	56%	56%	61%	56%	54%	61%	62%	58%	59%
Don't know	16	1	5	-	1	1	-	-	4	1	1	1	1
	1%	*%	2%	-%	1%	*%	-%	-%	2%	*%	*%	*%	1%
Prefer not to say	146	12	5	16	10	6	9	16	16	12	11	9	5
	6%	5%	2%	9%	6%	3%	6%	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	4%
SUMMARY													
ANY BENEFITS	880	90	87	50	58	70	57	95	94	86	78	57	56
	36%	37%	39%	30%	37%	41%	34%	37%	38%	34%	32%	36%	37%

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	ALL UK e	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ALL UK g
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Income Support	43 2%	35 2%	5 3%	2 1%	1 2%	43 2%	40 2%	3 1%	18 3% b	3 *%	8 1%	14 3%	21 2%	22 2%	43 2%
Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance	20 1%	19 1%	1 *%	- -%	1 1%	20 1%	18 1%	2 1%	8 1%	2 *%	3 1%	7 1%	9 1%	10 1%	20 1%
Pensions Credit (Guaranteed Credit)	27 1%	26 1%	- -%	1 1%	1 1%	27 1%	26 1%	2 1%	14 2% b	* *%	4 1%	7 1%	15 1%	11 1%	27 1%
Pensions Credit (no Guaranteed Credit)	14 1%	14 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	14 1%	14 1%	* *%	8 1%	1 *%	3 1%	3 1%	9 1%	6 1%	14 1%
Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)	57 2%	43 2%	7 4%	3 3%	4 5% ae	57 2%	53 2%	4 1%	23 3% b	2 *%	9 2%	23 4% b	25 2%	31 3% b	57 2%
Universal Credit (and household has other earnings)	469 19%	404 19%	26 14%	26 23% b	14 18%	469 19%	423 19%	46 16%	37 5%	107 17% ae	118 21% ae	205 36% abcefg	144 11% a	323 29% abeg	469 19% ae
Universal Credit (and household has no other earnings)	217 9%	187 9%	14 7%	9 8%	8 10%	217 9%	199 9%	19 7%	10 1%	27 4% a	19 4%	158 27% abcefg	37 3%	178 16% abcefg	217 9% abce
Personal Independence Payment (PIP)	165 7%	133 6%	13 7%	13 11% ae	6 8%	165 7%	146 7%	19 7%	15 2%	25 4%	29 5%	97 17% abcefg	39 3%	126 11% abcefg	165 7% ae

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Carer's allowance	118	94	10	8	5	118	106	12	14	9	25	69	23	95	118
	5%	4%	6%	8%	7%	5%	5%	4%	2%	1%	5%	12%	2%	8%	5%
											e	abceg		abeg	abe
Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	146	118	13	9	6	146	126	20	20	22	38	64	42	102	146
	6%	6%	7%	8%	8%	6%	6%	7%	3%	4%	7%	11%	3%	9%	6%
											ae	abeg		abeg	ae
Other	24	21	2	1	*	24	19	5	1	10	7	6	11	13	24
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
None of these - Do not receive any of these benefits	1438	1224	117	58	39	1438	1259	179	567	423	324	110	990	434	1438
	58%	58%	63%	52%	51%	58%	57%	63%	81%	69%	59%	19%	75%	38%	58%
			cd						bcddefg	cdfg	df		cdfg	d	df
Don't know	16	10	3	1	2	16	14	2	4	5	1	5	10	6	16
	1%	*%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%
					ae										
Prefer not to say	146	126	6	8	6	146	126	19	22	21	35	56	43	91	146
	6%	6%	3%	7%	8%	6%	6%	7%	3%	3%	6%	10%	3%	8%	6%
					b							abeg		abe	e
SUMMARY															
ANY BENEFITS	880	746	60	45	29	880	798	82	108	168	191	406	276	597	880
	36%	35%	32%	40%	38%	36%	36%	29%	15%	27%	35%	70%	21%	53%	36%
										a	ae	abcefg	a	abceg	abe

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (MULTI CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST	DOING WELL	GETTING BY	STRUGGLING
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Income Support	43	23	16	8	18	13	21	19	3
	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	1%
		b					bc		
Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance	20	8	9	6	9	5	6	10	3
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Pensions Credit (Guaranteed Credit)	27	11	15	8	5	10	10	10	4
	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Pensions Credit (no Guaranteed Credit)	14	7	4	1	5	7	5	6	3
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
		b							
Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)	57	24	33	15	24	17	20	23	14
	2%	5%	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%	2%	2%
		b							
Universal Credit (and household has other earnings)	469	155	298	161	204	31	38	229	192
	19%	30%	16%	36%	25%	4%	8%	18%	32%
		b		bc	c			a	ab
Universal Credit (and household has no other earnings)	217	84	121	102	53	9	15	76	122
	9%	16%	7%	23%	6%	1%	3%	6%	20%
		b		bc	c				ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Personal Independence Payment (PIP)	165 7%	73 14% b	85 5%	68 15% bc	55 7% c	17 2%	17 3%	71 6%	75 12% ab
Carer's allowance	118 5%	67 13% b	51 3%	49 11% bc	41 5% c	9 1%	13 3%	59 5%	43 7% a
Disability Living Allowance (DLA)	146 6%	96 18% b	47 3%	42 9% c	54 7% c	21 3%	11 2%	90 7% a	40 7% a
Other	24 1%	1 *%	23 1%	6 1%	6 1%	7 1%	5 1%	14 1%	5 1%
None of these - Do not receive any of these benefits	1438 58%	173 33%	1231 67% a	120 27%	463 57% a	678 86% ab	380 77% bc	793 63% c	225 37%
Don't know	16 1%	5 1%	8 *%	2 *%	3 *%	5 1%	3 1%	8 1%	3 *%
Prefer not to say	146 6%	28 5%	81 4%	19 4% c	22 3%	7 1%	11 2%	50 4%	38 6% a
SUMMARY									
ANY BENEFITS	880 36%	320 61% b	531 29%	308 69% bc	331 40% c	100 13%	100 20%	416 33% a	342 56% ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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C9. Which one of these bands describes your total household income before tax or any other deductions are made? Please include any benefits or credits that you or anyone else in your household receives, including housing benefit, as well as any income from employment. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5	6-7	8-9	10-12	13-15	16-17	3-12	13-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Up to £199 per week / Up to £10,399 per year	102 4%	23 5%	9 3%	12 3%	19 4%	26 5%	13 4%	63 4%	39 5%	42 3%	60 5%	7 4%	49 4%	42 4%
From £200 to £299 per week / From £10,400 to £15,599 per year	165 7%	34 7%	24 7%	28 8%	34 7%	22 4%	24 7%	119 7%	46 6%	86 7%	77 6%	15 8%	84 7%	58 6%
From £300 to £499 per week / From £15,600 to £25,999 per year	320 13%	70 15%	29 9%	48 14%	67 13%	58 11%	49 15%	214 13%	107 13%	167 13%	154 13%	36 18%	134 12%	139 13%
From £500 to £699 per week / From £26,000 to £36,399 per year	321 13%	48 10%	52 16%	54 16%	66 13%	62 12%	39 12%	220 13%	101 12%	154 12%	166 14%	23 12%	156 13%	133 13%
From £700 to £999 per week / From £36,400 to £51,999 per year	381 15%	57 12%	47 14%	55 16%	92 18%	79 16%	51 16%	251 15%	130 16%	206 17%	174 15%	19 10%	181 16%	173 17%
From £1,000 to £1,499 per week/ From £52,000 to £77,999 per year	376 15%	80 17%	47 14%	57 16%	80 16%	80 16%	32 10%	263 16%	112 14%	197 16%	179 15%	31 16%	187 16%	154 15%
£1,500 and above per week / £78,000 and above per year	392 16%	71 15%	61 19%	41 12%	80 16%	95 19%	44 14%	254 15%	138 17%	203 16%	185 16%	25 13%	182 16%	183 17%
Don't know	101 4%	20 4%	17 5%	18 5%	22 4%	17 3%	8 3%	76 5%	26 3%	50 4%	51 4%	11 5%	52 4%	37 3%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C9. Which one of these bands describes your total household income before tax or any other deductions are made? Please include any benefits or credits that you or anyone else in your household receives, including housing benefit, as well as any income from employment. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Prefer not to say	322	68	44	32	52	68	58	196	125	142	145	27	141	127
	13%	14%	13%	9%	10%	13%	18%	12%	15%	11%	12%	14%	12%	12%

cd

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C9. Which one of these bands describes your total household income before tax or any other deductions are made? Please include any benefits or credits that you or anyone else in your household receives, including housing benefit, as well as any income from employment. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5 a	FEMALE 3-5 b	MALE 6-7 c	FEMALE 6-7 d	MALE 8-9 e	FEMALE 8-9 f	MALE 10-12 g	FEMALE 10-12 h	MALE 13-15 i	FEMALE 13-15 j	MALE 16-17 k	FEMALE 16-17 l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Up to £199 per week / Up to £10,399 per year	102 4%	10 4%	13 6%	2 1%	7 4%	5 3%	7 4%	11 4%	9 3%	8 3%	18 8% c	7 4%	6 4%
From £200 to £299 per week / From £10,400 to £15,599 per year	165 7%	20 8%	13 6%	9 5%	15 9%	15 9%	13 8%	13 5%	19 8%	12 5%	9 4%	17 10%	7 5%
From £300 to £499 per week / From £15,600 to £25,999 per year	320 13%	43 18%	27 12%	14 8%	15 10%	21 12%	26 16%	33 13%	34 13%	31 12%	27 11%	24 15%	25 16%
From £500 to £699 per week / From £26,000 to £36,399 per year	321 13%	23 10%	24 11%	29 17%	23 15%	27 16%	27 16%	34 13%	32 13%	24 10%	37 16%	17 11%	22 15%
From £700 to £999 per week / From £36,400 to £51,999 per year	381 15%	32 13%	25 11%	21 13%	25 16%	28 16%	26 16%	53 21%	40 16%	43 17%	37 15%	29 18%	21 14%
From £1,000 to £1,499 per week/ From £52,000 to £77,999 per year	376 15%	33 14%	47 21%	26 15%	21 13%	32 18%	25 15%	40 16%	40 16%	50 20%	30 13%	17 11%	15 10%
£1,500 and above per week / £78,000 and above per year	392 16%	41 17%	30 13%	37 22% e	23 15%	18 10%	24 14%	41 16%	37 15%	43 17%	52 22% e	24 15%	19 12%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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C9. Which one of these bands describes your total household income before tax or any other deductions are made? Please include any benefits or credits that you or anyone else in your household receives, including housing benefit, as well as any income from employment. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5 a	FEMALE 3-5 b	MALE 6-7 c	FEMALE 6-7 d	MALE 8-9 e	FEMALE 8-9 f	MALE 10-12 g	FEMALE 10-12 h	MALE 13-15 i	FEMALE 13-15 j	MALE 16-17 k	FEMALE 16-17 l
Significance Level: 99%													
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Don't know	101 4%	9 4%	10 5%	7 4%	10 6%	14 8%	4 2%	3 1%	18 7%	13 5%	4 2%	3 2%	5 3%
Prefer not to say	322 13%	29 12%	34 15%	24 14%	19 12%	12 7%	16 10%	27 11%	20 8%	28 11%	26 11%	21 13%	31 21% eh

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Up to £199 per week / Up to £10,399 per year	102 4%	80 4%	11 6%	5 5%	6 8% ae	102 4%	98 4%	5 2%	7 1%	11 2%	20 4% a	64 11% abceg	18 1%	83 7% abeg	102 4% ae
From £200 to £299 per week / From £10,400 to £15,599 per year	165 7%	139 7%	11 6%	7 7%	6 8%	165 7%	152 7%	13 4%	8 1%	23 4% a	36 7% ae	98 17% abceg	31 2%	134 12% abceg	165 7% ae
From £300 to £499 per week / From £15,600 to £25,999 per year	320 13%	276 13%	19 10%	16 14%	10 13%	320 13%	299 14%	22 8%	28 4%	86 14% ae	87 16% ae	115 20% aeg	114 9% a	201 18% aeg	320 13% ae
From £500 to £699 per week / From £26,000 to £36,399 per year	321 13%	264 13%	25 13%	20 18% a	12 16%	321 13%	285 13%	36 13%	37 5%	100 16% ae	89 16% ae	95 16% ae	137 10% a	184 16% ae	321 13% a
From £700 to £999 per week / From £36,400 to £51,999 per year	381 15%	311 15%	39 21% a	21 18%	10 14%	381 15%	336 15%	45 16%	86 12%	119 19% ad	131 24% adefg	44 8%	205 16% d	175 15% d	381 15% d
From £1,000 to £1,499 per week/ From £52,000 to £77,999 per year	376 15%	317 15%	33 18%	13 12%	13 16%	376 15%	325 15%	51 18%	155 22% dfg	117 19% df	83 15% df	15 3%	272 21% dfg	99 9% d	376 15% df

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
£1,500 and above per week / £78,000 and above per year	392 16%	345 16%	27 15%	13 11%	7 9%	392 16%	329 15%	63 22%	285 41%	78 13%	22 4%	7 1%	362 27%	29 3%	392 16%
		d				d		a	bcdefg	cdf			bcdfg		cdf
Don't know	101 4%	91 4%	4 2%	3 3%	3 4%	101 4%	91 4%	10 4%	14 2%	14 2%	20 4%	48 8%	28 2%	69 6%	101 4%
											abeg		abe		e
Prefer not to say	322 13%	282 13%	16 9%	13 12%	10 13%	322 13%	283 13%	38 14%	81 12%	69 11%	62 11%	91 16%	150 11%	153 14%	322 13%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Up to £199 per week / Up to £10,399 per year	102 4%	33 6%	66 4%	102 23% bc	- -%	- -%	10 2%	40 3%	50 8% ab
From £200 to £299 per week / From £10,400 to £15,599 per year	165 7%	54 10% b	106 6%	105 23% bc	60 7% c	- -%	5 1%	72 6% a	85 14% ab
From £300 to £499 per week / From £15,600 to £25,999 per year	320 13%	98 19% b	209 11%	152 34% bc	169 21% c	- -%	24 5%	175 14% a	119 20% ab
From £500 to £699 per week / From £26,000 to £36,399 per year	321 13%	81 15%	227 12%	68 15% c	253 31% ac	- -%	29 6%	175 14% a	112 18% a
From £700 to £999 per week / From £36,400 to £51,999 per year	381 15%	66 13%	310 17%	21 5%	337 41% ac	22 3%	61 12%	245 19% ac	69 11%
From £1,000 to £1,499 per week/ From £52,000 to £77,999 per year	376 15%	59 11%	313 17% a	- -%	- -%	376 48% ab	99 20% c	229 18% c	48 8%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST	DOING WELL	GETTING BY	STRUGGLING
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
£1,500 and above per week / £78,000 and above per year	392	53	330	-	-	392	207	153	29
	16%	10%	18%	-%	-%	50%	42%	12%	5%
			a			ab	bc	c	
Don't know	101	32	58	-	-	-	8	52	37
	4%	6%	3%	-%	-%	-%	2%	4%	6%
									a
Prefer not to say	322	51	232	-	-	-	51	127	58
	13%	10%	13%	-%	-%	-%	10%	10%	10%

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C10. How well would you say your household is managing financially at the moment? Would you say you are... (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2480	408	411	411	416	424	410	1646	834	1230	1209	177	1232	970
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	282	286	287	292	298	294	1108	564	831	818	119	835	663
Total	2480	472	328	343	512	507	318	1655	825	1247	1190	194	1166	1045
Doing well	495 20%	106 22%	70 21%	69 20%	87 17%	103 20%	59 19%	332 20%	163 20%	237 19%	251 21%	39 20%	240 21%	205 20%
Getting by	1267 51%	234 50%	168 51%	174 51%	277 54%	263 52%	152 48%	853 52%	415 50%	632 51%	623 52%	100 52%	585 50%	553 53%
Struggling	608 24%	112 24%	75 23%	89 26%	124 24%	117 23%	91 29%	400 24%	208 25%	325 26%	277 23%	49 25%	288 25%	245 23%
Don't know	4 *%	* *%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	2 *%	* *%	2 *%	2 *%	3 *%	1 *%	- -%	2 *%	2 *%
Prefer not to say	107 4%	20 4%	13 4%	11 3%	24 5%	23 4%	15 5%	69 4%	38 5%	50 4%	38 3%	6 3%	51 4%	40 4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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C10. How well would you say your household is managing financially at the moment? Would you say you are... (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2480	205	197	203	202	203	203	204	206	214	201	201	200
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	142	137	140	143	143	141	142	146	153	140	141	147
Total	2480	242	224	168	157	172	168	254	249	252	241	159	152
Doing well	495 20%	52 21%	53 24%	39 23%	31 20%	32 19%	36 21%	42 16%	45 18%	43 17%	58 24%	30 19%	29 19%
Getting by	1267 51%	125 52%	109 49%	86 51%	81 52%	86 50%	87 52%	121 48%	151 61%	137 55%	122 51%	78 49%	72 47%
Struggling	608 24%	58 24%	54 24%	37 22%	38 24%	48 28%	39 24%	78 31%	46 19%	60 24%	54 23%	45 28%	46 31%
Don't know	4 *% *% *% *%	* *% *% *%	- -% -% -%	* *% *% *%	1 1% 1% 1%	- -% -% -%	- -% -% -%	- -% -% -%	- -% -% -%	2 1% 1% 1%	- -% -% -%	* *% *% *%	- -% -% -%
Prefer not to say	107 4%	8 3%	9 4%	6 4%	6 4%	6 4%	5 3%	13 5%	6 2%	11 4%	7 3%	7 4%	5 3%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2480	1395	361	360	364	2480	2097	383	869	603	451	531	1472	982	2480
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	1259	335	346	343	1672	1447	233	573	408	321	372	971	692	1672
Total	2480	2106	186	112	77	2480	2197	283	701	617	551	576	1319	1127	2480
Doing well	495 20%	426 20%	35 19%	17 15%	16 20%	495 20%	440 20%	54 19%	269 38%	96 15%	81 15%	44 8%	365 28%	125 11%	495 20%
									bcd	d	d		bcd	fg	d
Getting by	1267 51%	1067 51%	104 56%	57 51%	39 51%	1267 51%	1130 51%	138 49%	327 47%	376 61%	304 55%	245 42%	703 53%	549 49%	1267 51%
									ade	d			d		d
Struggling	608 24%	512 24%	42 23%	33 30%	20 26%	608 24%	534 24%	74 26%	81 12%	122 20%	147 27%	255 44%	204 15%	402 36%	608 24%
										a	ae	abce		abce	ae
Don't know	4 *%	3 *%	* *%	- -%	* 1%	4 *%	4 *%	- -%	- -%	1 *%	2 *%	1 *%	1 *%	3 *%	4 *%
Prefer not to say	107 4%	97 5%	4 2%	4 4%	1 2%	107 4%	90 4%	17 6%	24 3%	22 4%	17 3%	32 5%	46 4%	48 4%	107 4%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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C10. How well would you say your household is managing financially at the moment? Would you say you are... (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2480	522	1861	436	824	825	519	1269	596
Effective Weighted Sample	1672	352	1254	295	541	565	343	851	407
Total	2480	525	1850	448	819	790	495	1267	608
Doing well	495 20%	82 16%	399 22%	35 8%	92 11%	308 39% ab	495 100% bc	- -%	- -%
Getting by	1267 51%	242 46%	983 53%	213 48%	480 59% ac	396 50%	- -%	1267 100% ac	- -%
Struggling	608 24%	186 35% b	396 21%	192 43% bc	237 29% c	83 10%	- -%	- -%	608 100% ab
Don't know	4 *%	2 *%	* *%	2 *%	2 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%
Prefer not to say	107 4%	14 3%	73 4%	6 1%	8 1%	3 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c

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FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY

Base : Those where it is possible to calculate the Financial Vulnerability Index

	Total	CHILD'S AGE						CHILD'S AGE		CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-5 a	6-7 b	8-9 c	10-12 d	13-15 e	16-17 f	3-12 a	13-17 b	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2085	345	339	349	360	362	330	1393	692	1047	1027	148	1042	829
Effective Weighted Sample	1399	235	238	246	251	252	236	935	465	704	689	99	705	561
Total	2056	384	267	294	438	422	251	1383	673	1055	994	156	973	881
Most Financially Vulnerable	448 22%	74 19%	62 23%	81 28%	90 20%	78 19%	64 25%	306 22%	142 21%	223 21%	225 23%	26 17%	227 23%	178 20%
Potentially Financially Vulnerable	819 40%	158 41%	94 35%	111 38%	181 41%	165 39%	110 44%	545 39%	274 41%	419 40%	396 40%	73 47%	367 38%	355 40%
Least Financially Vulnerable	790 38%	152 40%	111 42%	101 35%	168 38%	179 42%	78 31%	532 38%	257 38%	413 39%	372 37%	57 37%	379 39%	348 39%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - a,b - a,b,c

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FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY

Base : Those where it is possible to calculate the Financial Vulnerability Index

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											
		MALE 3-5	FEMALE 3-5	MALE 6-7	FEMALE 6-7	MALE 8-9	FEMALE 8-9	MALE 10-12	FEMALE 10-12	MALE 13-15	FEMALE 13-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
Unweighted total	2085	176	167	170	168	169	178	179	179	183	178	170	157
Effective Weighted Sample	1399	120	114	117	120	120	125	124	125	129	122	120	114
Total	2056	203	180	138	129	145	148	224	210	211	211	133	116
Most Financially Vulnerable	448	41	33	26	35	40	41	48	42	35	43	33	31
	22%	20%	18%	19%	27%	28%	28%	21%	20%	16%	21%	25%	27%
Potentially Financially Vulnerable	819	87	70	47	47	54	57	90	89	82	83	59	50
	40%	43%	39%	34%	37%	37%	38%	40%	42%	39%	39%	44%	43%
Least Financially Vulnerable	790	75	77	64	46	51	50	86	79	95	85	42	35
	38%	37%	43%	47%	36%	35%	34%	39%	38%	45%	40%	31%	30%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l

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FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY

Base : Those where it is possible to calculate the Financial Vulnerability Index

	Total	NATION					AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						
		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	ALL UK	URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ALL UK
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Unweighted total	2085	1152	320	307	306	2085	1760	325	757	527	381	411	1284	792	2085
Effective Weighted Sample	1399	1039	297	295	288	1399	1211	196	493	357	275	287	842	560	1399
Total	2056	1731	166	95	64	2056	1823	234	605	534	469	437	1139	906	2056
Most Financially Vulnerable	448	377	34	21	17	448	416	32	41	79	109	214	120	323	448
	22%	22%	20%	22%	26%	22%	23%	14%	7%	15%	23%	49%	11%	36%	22%
							b			a	abe	abcefg		abcefg	abe
Potentially Financially Vulnerable	819	674	69	48	28	819	732	86	114	251	252	201	365	453	819
	40%	39%	42%	50%	44%	40%	40%	37%	19%	47%	54%	46%	32%	50%	40%
				ae						ae	aeg	ae	a	aeg	ae
Least Financially Vulnerable	790	680	63	27	19	790	674	115	451	204	108	22	655	131	790
	38%	39%	38%	28%	30%	38%	37%	49%	74%	38%	23%	5%	57%	14%	38%
		cd	c			cd		a	bcdefg	cdf	df		bcdfg	d	cdf

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Interviewing conducted using a mix of post-to-online and online panels. Any break column with a base size lower than 100 has been removed as margins of error become too great. Data is tested at the 99% confidence level.

FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY

Base : Those where it is possible to calculate the Financial Vulnerability Index

	Total	IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			FINANCIAL WELLBEING		
		ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c	DOING WELL a	GETTING BY b	STRUGGLING c
Significance Level: 99%									
Unweighted total	2085	438	1595	436	824	825	465	1093	510
Effective Weighted Sample	1399	296	1070	295	541	565	309	730	348
Total	2056	443	1560	448	819	790	435	1089	512
Most Financially Vulnerable	448	137	296	448	-	-	35	213	192
	22%	31%	19%	100%	-%	-%	8%	20%	38%
		b		bc				a	ab
Potentially Financially Vulnerable	819	194	600	-	819	-	92	480	237
	40%	44%	38%	-%	100%	-%	21%	44%	46%
					ac			a	a
Least Financially Vulnerable	790	112	664	-	-	790	308	396	83
	38%	25%	43%	-%	-%	100%	71%	36%	16%
			a			ab	bc	c	

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c - a,b,c