

National Latino Poll/English for the Children

Zogby International, Latino Minds Poll, May 1-10, 2001: 1188 Hispanic adults.

“There is federal legislation proposed which would require all public school instruction to be conducted in English and for students not fluent in English to be placed in an intensive one-year English immersion program. Do you strongly support, somewhat support, somewhat oppose, or strongly oppose such a law?”

Percent of Total	100	42	28	13	7	7	52	15	7	4	22
	ALL	Imm	1stG	2ndG	3rdG	4thG	Mex	PR	Cubn	Dmnc	Other
Strongly Support	58	65	52	51	43	59	55	60	66	59	59
Somewhat Support	18	14	22	20	27	13	20	17	17	14	15
Total Support	76	79	74	71	70	72	75	77	83	73	74
Not Sure	2	3	1	3	---	6	3	1	5	---	2
Total Oppose	22	18	25	26	30	23	23	22	12	27	24
Somewhat Oppose	9	8	11	10	12	11	10	8	6	8	12
Strongly Oppose	13	10	14	16	19	11	13	14	6	18	12

Percent of Total	22	28	18	32	10	21	24	26	3	2	14
	East	South	Cnt/Lk	West	V/Lib	Lib	Mod	Cons	V/Cns	Librt	N/S
Strongly Support	59	62	58	52	57	53	50	64	77	43	65
Somewhat Support	14	18	19	21	18	18	24	15	3	22	14
Total Support	73	80	77	73	75	72	74	79	80	65	79
Not Sure	2	3	1	2	2	---	3	2	---	4	4
Total Oppose	25	17	22	25	23	28	23	19	20	30	17
Somewhat Oppose	11	7	11	10	10	11	10	8	13	17	5
Strongly Oppose	14	10	11	15	14	17	12	11	7	13	12

Percent of Total	32	14	15	6	4
	NChld	1Chld	2Chld	3Chld	4Chld
Strongly Support	50	58	64	67	67
Somewhat Support	21	18	16	10	12
Total Support	71	76	80	78	80
Not Sure	2	2	1	4	---
Total Oppose	26	22	19	18	20
Somewhat Oppose	13	6	7	8	8
Strongly Oppose	14	15	13	10	12