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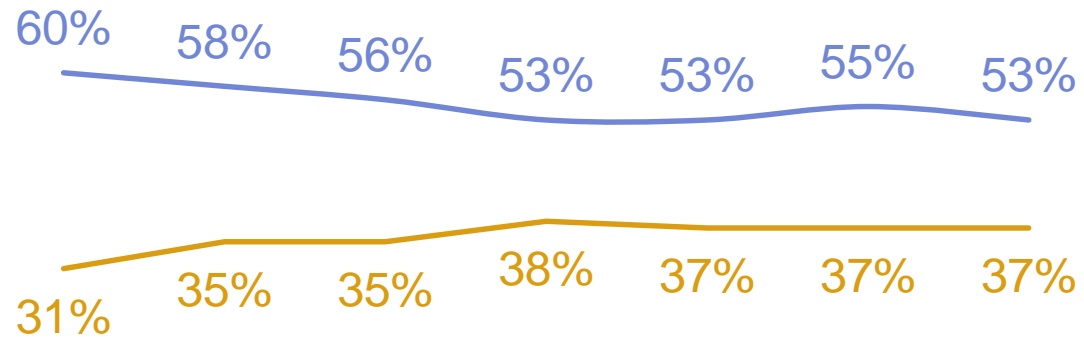
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Biden's approval rating

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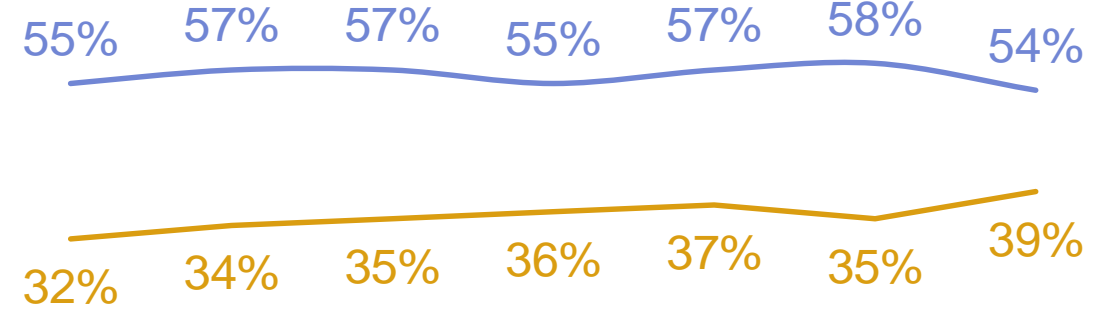
Approve



Disapprove

November 13-17, 2020 November 30-December 1, 2020 December 2-8, 2020 December 11-14, 2020 December 18-22, 2020 January 4-5, 2021 January 8-12, 2021

Biden's inauguration



January 20-21, 2021 February 2-3, 2021 February 9-10, 2021 February 17-18, 2021 February 24-25, 2021 March 3-4, 2021 March 10-11, 2021

Source: Reuters/Ipsos data



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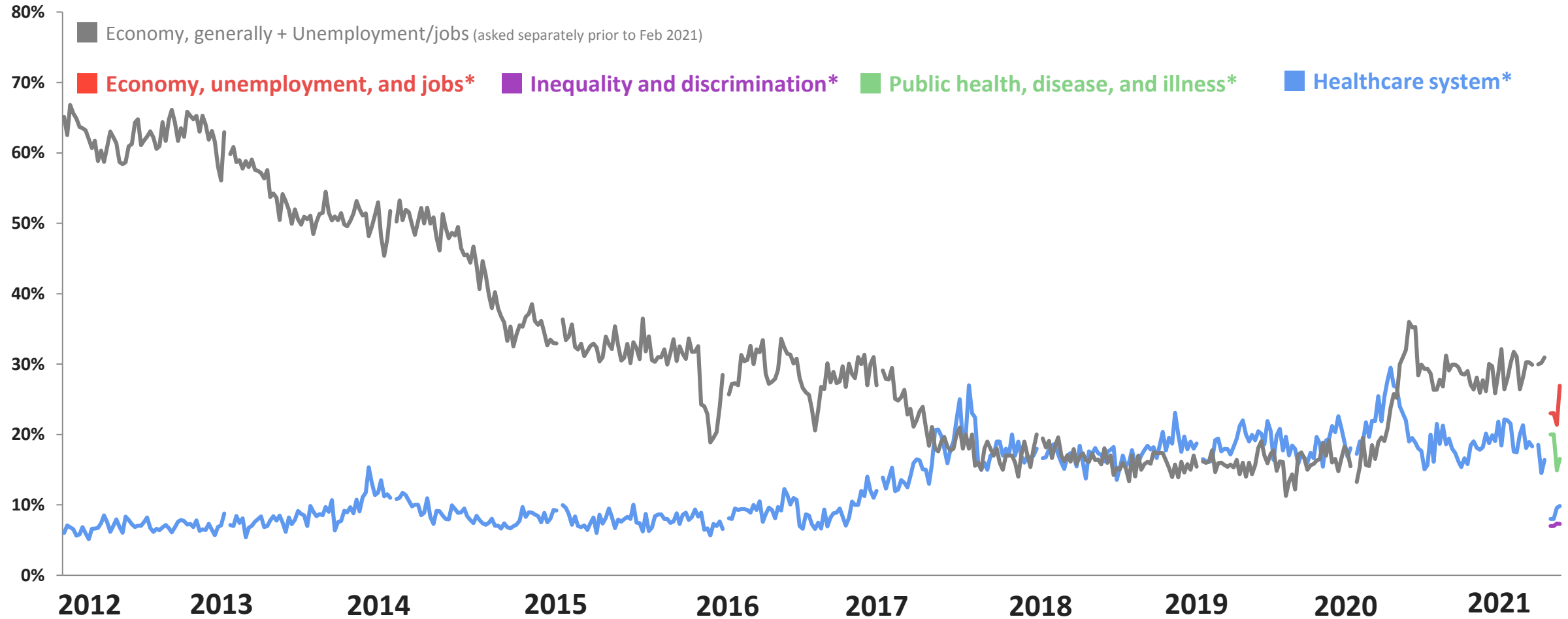


| | All Adults | Democrat | Republican | Independent |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Strongly approve | 25% | 50% | 2% | 15% |
| Somewhat approve | 26% | 36% | 16% | 32% |
| Lean towards approve | 3% | 4% | 1% | 1% |
| Lean towards disapprove | 1% | 0% | 2% | 4% |
| Somewhat disapprove | 12% | 4% | 13% | 24% |
| Strongly disapprove | 26% | 3% | 62% | 16% |
| Not sure | 7% | 2% | 3% | 9% |
| TOTAL APPROVE | 54% | 91% | 20% | 48% |
| TOTAL DISAPPROVE | 39% | 7% | 77% | 44% |

Source: Reuters/Ipsos data

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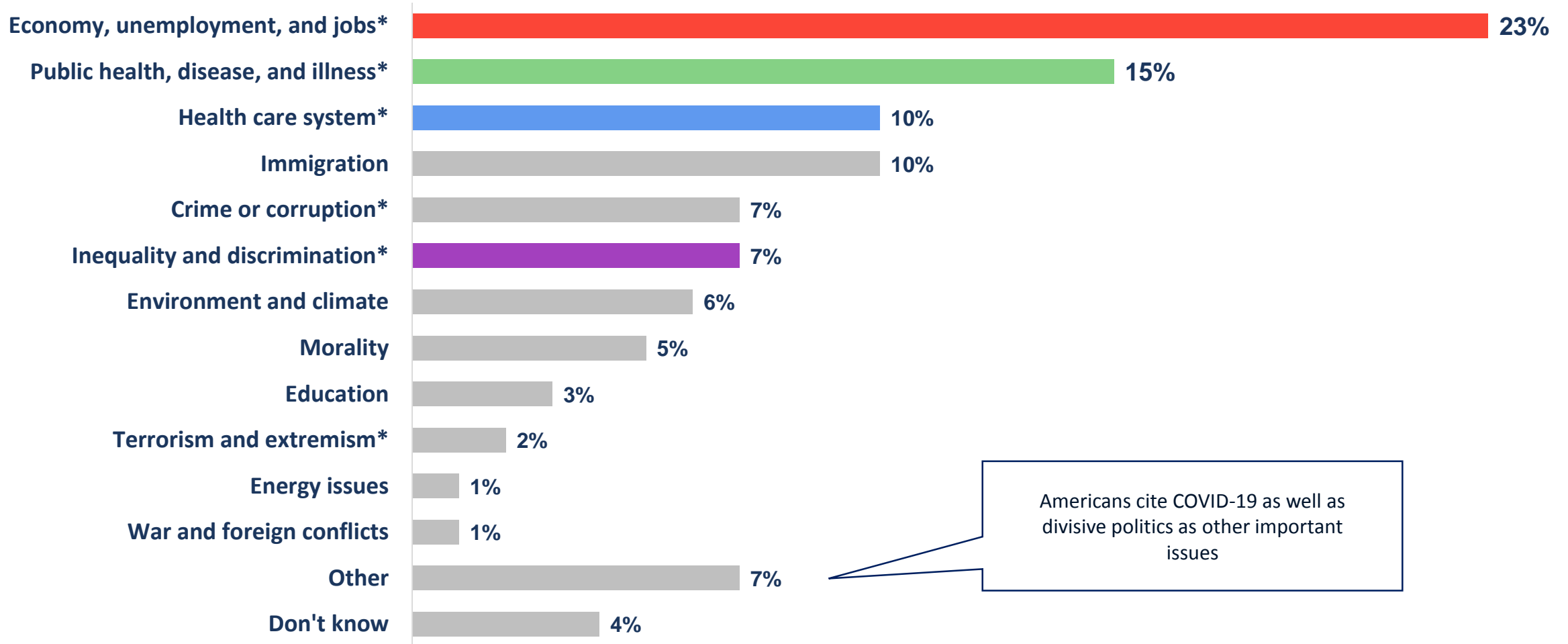


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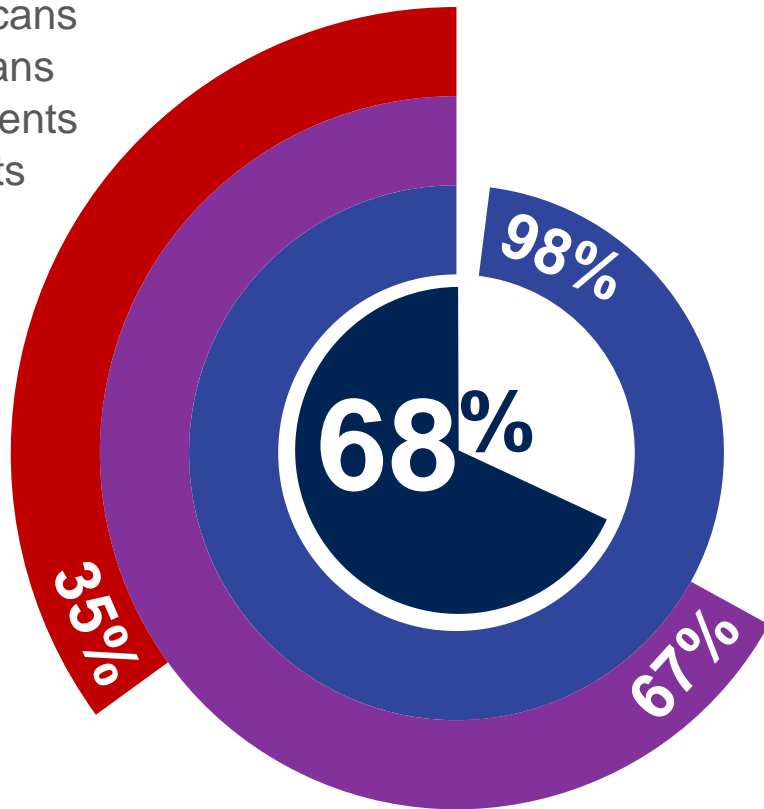
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CORONAVIRUS

Americans continue to approve of Biden's pandemic response

Percentage of Americans who *approve* of the way Joe Biden is handling the response to the coronavirus

- All Americans
- Republicans
- Independents
- Democrats



Do you think each of the following is happening too quickly, too slowly, or at about the right pace?

- Too quickly
- At about the right pace
- Too slowly

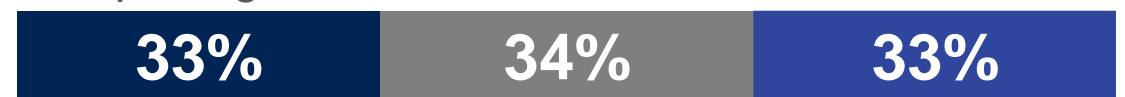
Loosening mask mandates



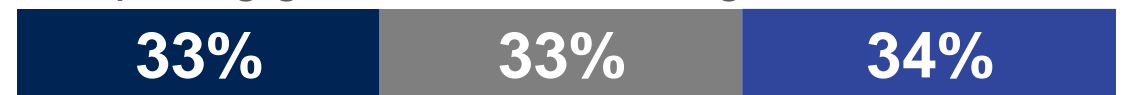
Loosening restrictions on public gatherings



Re-opening businesses



Re-opening grade schools and high schools



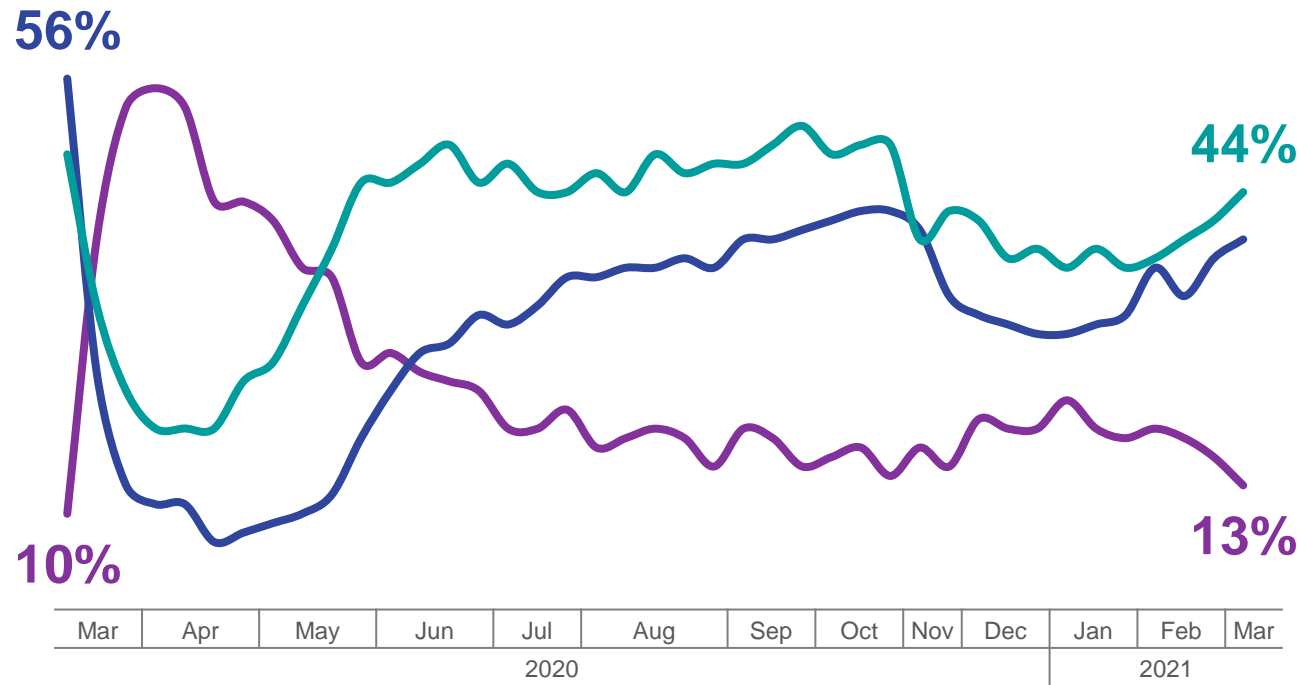
Source: ABC News-Ipsos Poll conducted March 5-6, 2021. Base = All Americans (n=521)

Americans beginning to re-emerge into society

Optimism is on the rise as an increasing number expects to return to normal within six months

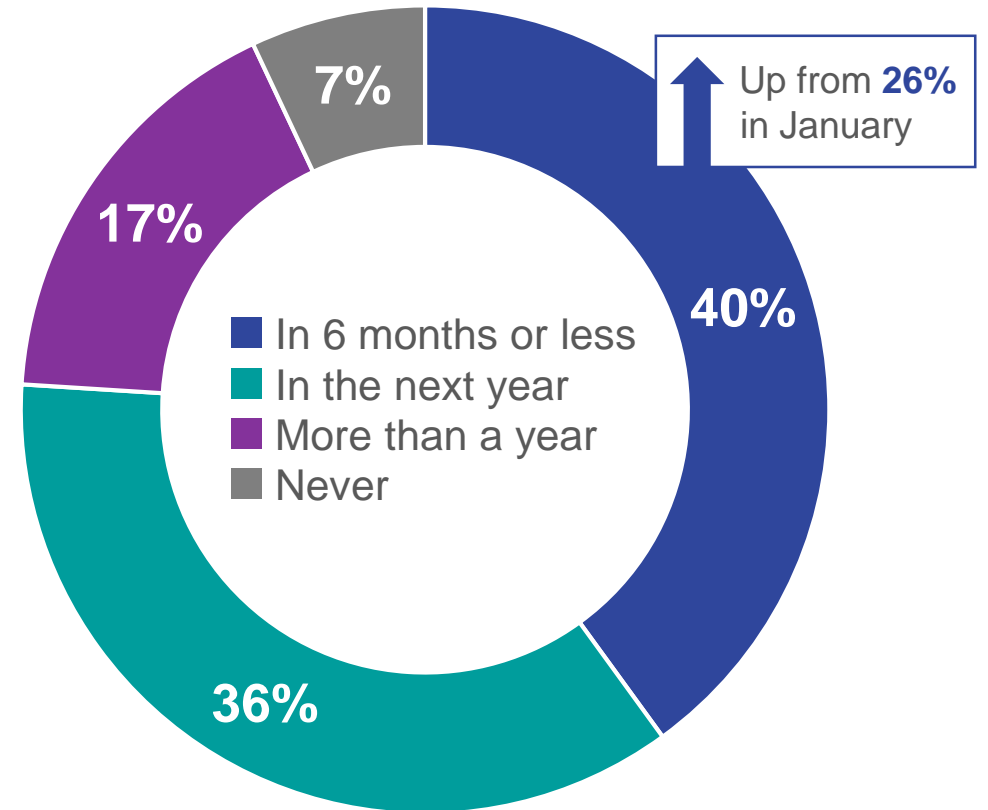
Percentage of Americans who have _____ in the last week

- Gone out to eat
- Visited friends or relatives
- Self-quarantined/Stayed home and avoided contact with others



Source: Axios-Ipsos Coronavirus Index

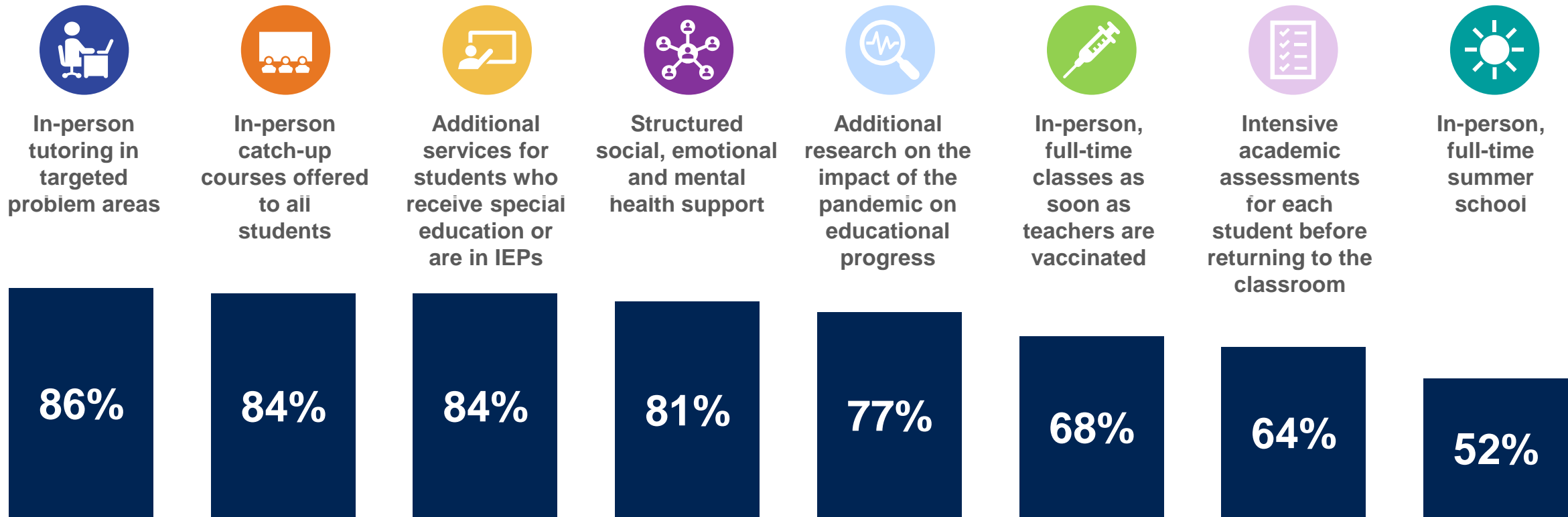
When do you expect to be able to return to something like your normal, pre-COVID life?



There is broad support for returning in-person, in some capacity

Beyond that, parents are looking for additional resources and support for their kid's mental and emotional health

Percentage of American parents with school-aged children who support...



Source: NPR-Ipsos Poll conducted February 3-10, 2021. Base = US parents with at least one child ages 5-18 (n= 1,002)

TRUST

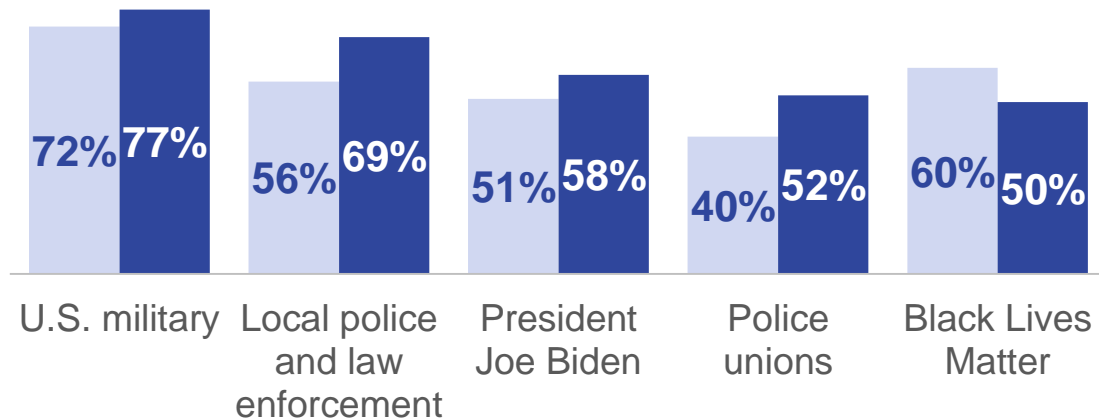
Trust in law enforcement, desire to protect law and order on the rise

Significant differences based on partisanship

How much do you trust the following to promote justice and equal treatment for people of all races?

% Trust a great deal/Trust a little

■ June 2020 ■ March 1-2, 2021

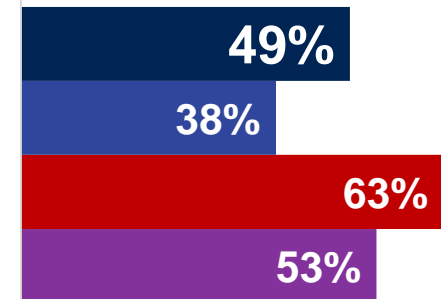


Source: USA Today-Ipsos Poll conducted March 1-2, 2021. Base = All Americans (n= 1,165)

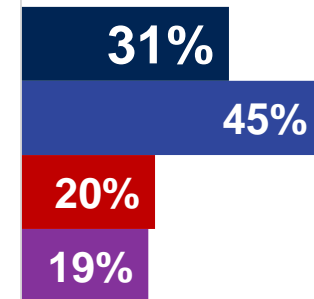
Which of the following statements comes closer to your view, even if neither is exactly right?

■ All Americans ■ Democrats ■ Republicans ■ Independents

Law and order is the most important thing to ensure, even if it means limiting peaceful protests.



The right to protest is the most important thing to ensure, even if it means there are some incidents of violence.

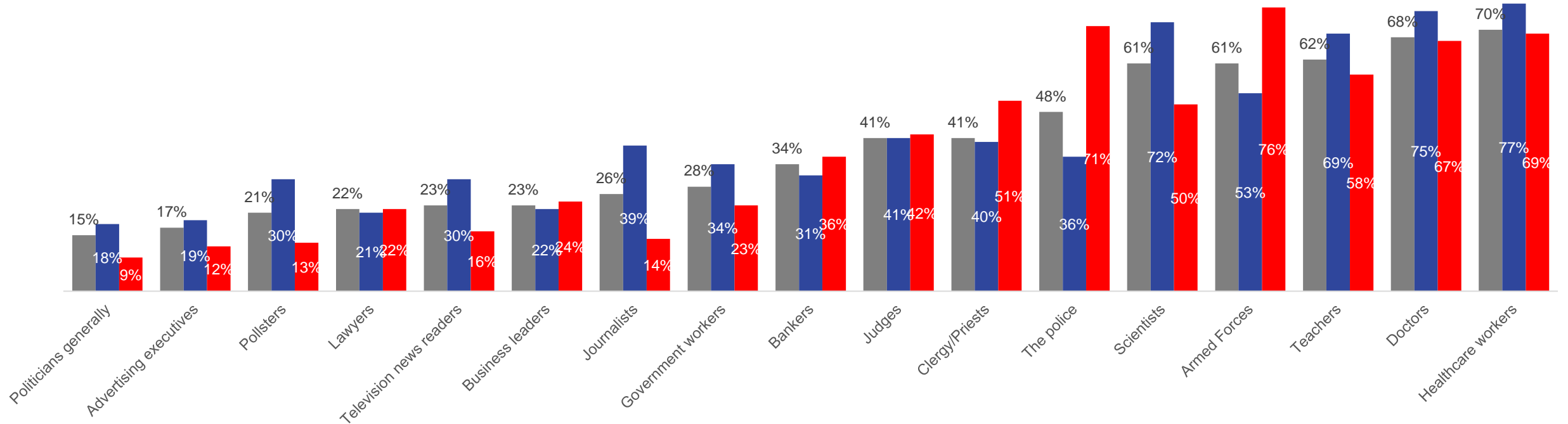


Most trusted professions

Please look at this list of different types of people. In general, do you think each is trustworthy or untrustworthy in the United States? Please use a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is very trustworthy and 5 is very untrustworthy.

Trustworthy 1/2 Summary

■ All Americans ■ Democrats ■ Republicans



Source: Ipsos Poll conducted March 3-4, 2021. Base = All Americans (n=1,005)



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