



**Associated Press/AOL Poll**

**Democrats First 100 hours Study**

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1. Do you favor or oppose an increase in the minimum wage?

Favor	80%
Oppose	18%
(DK/NS)	2%

2. Should the government ease the restrictions on use of federal money to research embryonic stem cells, or not?

Yes (Should ease the restrictions)	56%
No	41%
(DK/NS)	3%

3. Do you favor or oppose the federal government making it easier for people to buy prescription drugs from other countries?

Favor	69%
Oppose	28%
(DK/NS)	3%

4. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of incoming House Speaker Nancy Pelosi, or haven't you heard enough about Nancy Pelosi yet to have an opinion?

Very favorable	12%
Somewhat Favorable	10%
Somewhat Unfavorable	5%
Very Unfavorable	17%
Haven't heard enough yet	55%
(DK/NS)	1%

**Summary**

Total Favorable	22%
Total Unfavorable	22%

***Registered Voter/Party Affiliation Study***

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1. Are you currently registered to vote at this address, or not?

Yes	78%
No	21%
(DK/NS)	1%

2a. Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent or none of these?

Initial Party Identification	
	<u>Registered Voters</u>
Republican	27%
Democrat	33%
Independent	27%
None of these	11%
(DK/NS)	2%

**(IF "DEMOCRAT" TO Q.2a, Q.2b ASKED. IF "REPUBLICAN" TO Q.2a, Q.2c ASKED. IF "INDEPENDENT" or "NONE OF THESE" TO Q.2a, Q.2d ASKED. RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)**

- 2b. Do you lean strongly or only moderately toward the Democratic Party?  
2c. Do you lean strongly or only moderately toward the Republican Party?  
2d. Do your beliefs tend to lean more toward the Democrats or the Republicans?

	<u>Registered Voters</u>
Strongly Democrat	22%
Moderately Democrat	11%
Lean Democrat	14%
Strongly Republican	16%
Moderately Republican	11%
Lean Republican	13%
Independent	11%
(DK/REF)	2%
Summary	
Total Republican	40%
Total Democrat	47%

## ***Demographics***

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*NOTE: Results for demographic questions represent all adults unless otherwise indicated.*

D1a. In what year were you born?

D1b. Have you already had a birthday this year?

(IF RESPONDENT REFUSES Q.D1a OR Q.D1b, Q.D1c ASKED. RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

D1c. Are you:

18-34	30%
35-49	26%
50-64	25%
65+	16%
(DK/NS)	3%

D2. Are you employed:

<b>TOTAL EMPLOYED</b>	<b>62%</b>
- Full time	50%
- Part time	12%
Not employed	14%
Retired	22%
(DK/NS)	2%

D3. What is the last year of school you completed?

Grade school or some high school	6%
Completed high school	23%
Some community college or university, did not finish	22%
Completed technical school or a community college	9%
Completed a university or Bachelor's degree	21%
Completed a post-graduate degree such as a Master's or Ph.D.	16%
(DK/NS)	3%

D4. Are you currently married or not?

Yes	55%
No	42%
(DK/NS)	3%

D5. Including yourself and any children, how many people are currently living in your household?

1	19%
2	30%
3	19%
4	15%
5	8%
6+	5%
(DK/NS)	4%

(Q.D6a-c ASKED ONLY OF THOSE WHO SAY MORE THAN ONE PERSON IN HOUSEHOLD IN Q.D5.)

D6a. How many children under 6 years are currently living in your household?

D6b. How many children ages 6 to 12 are currently living in your household?

D6c. How many children ages 13 to 17 are currently living in your household?

ANY CHILDREN (NET)	37%
Under 6	17%
6-12	19%
13-17	13%
NO CHILDREN	59%
(DK/NS)	4%

Evangelical/born-again

Yes	37%
No	58%
(DK/NS)	5%

Religion

Protestant	44%
Catholic	22%
Mormon	1%
Jewish	2%
Muslim	-
Some other religion	5%
None	21%
(DK/NS)	5%

D9. Are you of Hispanic ethnicity?

(Q.D10 ASKED ONLY OF THOSE WHO DO NOT SAY THEY ARE HISPANIC IN Q.D9)

D10. Are you white, black, Asian, or some other race?

(RESULTS SHOWN IN SUMMARY BELOW.)

White	67%
Black	11%
Hispanic	12%
Asian	3%
(NOT READ) American Indian	1%
(NOT READ) Other	2%
(DK/NS)	4%

D11. Could you please tell me your household income from all sources in 2005?

Under \$15,000	12%
\$15,000 to less than \$20,000	4%
\$20,000 to less than \$25,000	6%
\$25,000 to less than \$30,000	4%
\$30,000 to less than \$40,000	8%
\$40,000 to less than \$50,000	9%
\$50,000 to less than \$75,000	15%
\$75,000 to less than \$100,000	8%
\$100,000 or more	13%
(DK/NS)	21%

REGION

Northeast	19%
Midwest	22%
South	37%
West	22%

METROPOLITAN STATUS

Urban	30%
Suburban	50%
Rural	20%

GENDER

Male	49%
Female	51%