

Detailed Tables

Vast Majority (77%) want Independent Third Party to Resolve Ontario Government/Teachers Union Dispute

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T1. As you likely know, the Ontario government and both the Ontario elementary and secondary public school teachers. unions have been in a dispute for the past few months. Without getting into any particulars, and just based on what you have seen, read, heard, or personally experienced, please indicate which side in the dispute you believe... Has my support for whatever they are trying to do													
			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
BASE: Ontario Residents	593	593	279	314	147	185	261	167	202	150	198	164	231
BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
The Ontario Government	130	130	89	42	19	45	66	37	46	34	59	41	30
	23%	23%	32%	14%	11%	22%	32%	21%	24%	25%	25%	25%	18%
			K			L	LM						
The Teachers Unions	211	211	87	125	71	72	68	67	72	51	79	59	74
	37%	37%	31%	42%	43%	36%	33%	38%	37%	37%	33%	35%	44%
				J									R
Neither	199	199	94	106	64	72	63	63	61	46	85	59	55
	35%	35%	34%	36%	39%	36%	31%	36%	32%	34%	36%	35%	32%
Both	32	32	9	23	11	11	9	10	14	4	13	9	10
	6%	6%	3%	8%	7%	6%	4%	5%	7%	3%	5%	5%	6%
				J									



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			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
BASE: Ontario Residents	593	593	279	314	147	185	261	167	202	150	198	164	231
BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
The Ontario Government	220	220	93	127	73	71	77	67	74	55	83	60	76
	38%	38%	33%	43%	44%	35%	37%	38%	38%	40%	35%	36%	45%
				J									R
The Teachers Unions	153	153	94	59	29	61	64	45	51	39	73	46	34
	27%	27%	34%	20%	17%	30%	31%	25%	26%	29%	31%	28%	20%
			K			L	L				T		
Neither	80	80	34	46	38	26	16	38	23	12	37	19	24
	14%	14%	12%	16%	23%	13%	8%	22%	12%	9%	16%	12%	14%
					MN			PQ					
Both	119	119	57	62	26	43	50	27	45	30	43	42	35
	21%	21%	20%	21%	16%	22%	24%	15%	23%	22%	18%	25%	21%

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T2. What do you believe is the central issue that the public secondary teachers unions and the government are fighting over right now?													
	Total	ON	Gender		Age			Income			Education		
			Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
BASE: Ontario Residents	593	593	279	314	147	185	261	167	202	150	198	164	231
BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
An increase in teacher compensation	220	220	130	90	70	76	74	68	73	54	99	64	58
	38%	38%	47%	31%	42%	38%	36%	38%	38%	40%	42%	38%	34%
			K										
Expanded class sizes and mandatory student online credits	352	352	147	205	96	124	132	108	120	81	137	104	111
	62%	62%	53%	69%	58%	62%	64%	62%	62%	60%	58%	62%	66%
			J										

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T3. As you likely know, at the behest of their union, the secondary public school teachers took a single strike day to demonstrate their resolve to 'defend public education'. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements... If the secondary public school teachers want to strike for a week, I support them and their resolve to protest the Ford government

			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
BASE: Ontario Residents	593	593	279	314	147	185	261	167	202	150	198	164	231
BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
Top 2 Box (Net)	289	289	128	162	106	103	80	87	100	66	101	85	103
	51%	51%	46%	55%	64%	51%	39%	49%	52%	49%	43%	51%	61%
				J	MN	N							R
(4) Agree very much	155	155	55	100	64	55	37	49	47	41	47	52	57
	27%	27%	20%	34%	38%	27%	18%	28%	24%	30%	20%	31%	34%
				J	MN	N						R	R
(3) Agree somewhat	134	134	72	62	43	48	43	38	53	25	54	33	46
	23%	23%	26%	21%	26%	24%	21%	21%	28%	19%	23%	20%	27%
(2) Disagree somewhat	136	136	59	77	41	44	50	40	49	32	62	35	39
	24%	24%	21%	26%	25%	22%	24%	23%	25%	24%	26%	21%	23%
(1) Very much disagree	148	148	91	56	18	53	76	49	45	37	73	48	27
	26%	26%	33%	19%	11%	26%	37%	28%	23%	27%	31%	28%	16%
			K			L	LM				T	T	
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	283	283	150	133	59	97	127	89	93	69	135	83	66
	49%	49%	54%	45%	36%	49%	61%	51%	48%	51%	57%	49%	39%
			K			L	LM				T		
Mean	2.52	2.52	2.33	2.7	2.92	2.52	2.2	2.5	2.53	2.51	2.32	2.53	2.79
				J	MN	N							RS
S.D.	1.14	1.14	1.13	1.13	1.04	1.15	1.12	1.17	1.1	1.19	1.11	1.2	1.08
S.E.	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.08	0.1	0.08	0.09	0.07



T3. As you likely know, at the behest of their union, the secondary public school teachers took a single strike day to demonstrate their resolve to 'defend public education'. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements... If either the elementary or secondary school teachers go out on a full blown strike, the government should move quickly to rule them back to work

			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
BASE: Ontario Residents	593	593	279	314	147	185	261	167	202	150	198	164	231
BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
Top 2 Box (Net)	357	357	167	190	92	126	139	106	112	94	141	108	109
	62%	62%	60%	64%	56%	63%	68%	60%	58%	69%	60%	64%	65%
							L			P			
(4) Agree very much	187	187	99	88	36	69	82	56	58	55	71	60	56
	33%	33%	36%	30%	22%	34%	40%	32%	30%	41%	30%	36%	33%
						L	L						
(3) Agree somewhat	171	171	69	102	56	57	58	51	53	39	70	48	53
	30%	30%	25%	35%	34%	29%	28%	29%	28%	29%	30%	29%	31%
			J										
(2) Disagree somewhat	123	123	65	57	47	37	39	43	48	22	58	34	30
	21%	21%	24%	19%	28%	18%	19%	24%	25%	16%	25%	20%	18%
					M								
(1) Very much disagree	92	92	45	47	27	38	28	27	33	19	37	26	29
	16%	16%	16%	16%	16%	19%	13%	16%	17%	14%	16%	16%	17%
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	215	215	110	105	73	75	67	70	82	42	95	60	60
	38%	38%	40%	36%	44%	37%	32%	40%	42%	31%	40%	36%	35%
					N				Q				
Mean	2.79	2.79	2.8	2.78	2.61	2.78	2.94	2.76	2.71	2.96	2.74	2.84	2.8
							L			P			
S.D.	1.07	1.07	1.1	1.04	1	1.11	1.06	1.06	1.08	1.07	1.05	1.08	1.09
S.E.	0.04	0.04	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.07

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T3. As you likely know, at the behest of their union, the secondary public school teachers took a single strike day to demonstrate their resolve to 'defend public education'. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements... This is nonsense-the only reason teachers are going on strike is to protect their jobs and advance their wages, using students as pawns to get their way

			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
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BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
Top 2 Box (Net)	299	299	168	131	69	112	118	88	103	73	124	95	80
	52%	52%	61%	44%	42%	56%	57%	50%	53%	54%	53%	56%	47%
			K			L	L						
(4) Agree very much	162	162	100	62	28	61	73	56	49	40	78	51	33
	28%	28%	36%	21%	17%	30%	35%	32%	25%	29%	33%	30%	20%
			K			L	L				T	T	
(3) Agree somewhat	137	137	68	69	40	51	46	32	54	33	46	44	47
	24%	24%	24%	23%	24%	25%	22%	18%	28%	24%	20%	26%	28%
									O				
(2) Disagree somewhat	129	129	53	76	49	38	43	50	33	31	62	33	34
	23%	23%	19%	26%	29%	19%	21%	28%	17%	23%	26%	19%	20%
					M			P					
(1) Very much disagree	144	144	57	88	48	51	46	38	57	31	49	40	55
	25%	25%	20%	30%	29%	25%	22%	22%	29%	23%	21%	24%	32%
				J									R
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	274	274	109	164	97	89	88	88	90	63	111	73	89
	48%	48%	39%	56%	58%	44%	43%	50%	47%	46%	47%	44%	53%
					J	MN							
Mean	2.55	2.55	2.76	2.36	2.3	2.61	2.7	2.6	2.49	2.6	2.65	2.63	2.35
			K			L	L				T	T	
S.D.	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.12	1.07	1.17	1.17	1.15	1.16	1.14	1.15	1.15	1.13
S.E.	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.09	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.07

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T3. As you likely know, at the behest of their union, the secondary public school teachers took a single strike day to demonstrate their resolve to 'defend public education'. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements... Whatever the dispute is about it should be resolved by appointing an 'independent third party' to determine a solution like the CUPE negotiations earlier this year

			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
BASE: Ontario Residents	593	593	279	314	147	185	261	167	202	150	198	164	231
BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
Top 2 Box (Net)	439	439	214	225	120	155	165	129	156	108	171	134	134
	77%	77%	77%	76%	72%	77%	80%	73%	81%	80%	72%	80%	80%
(4) Agree very much	134	134	72	62	26	48	61	40	51	33	44	56	33
	23%	23%	26%	21%	15%	24%	29%	23%	26%	25%	19%	34%	20%
							L					RT	
(3) Agree somewhat	306	306	142	164	94	108	104	89	105	75	127	78	101
	53%	53%	51%	56%	57%	54%	50%	50%	54%	55%	54%	46%	60%
													S
(2) Disagree somewhat	111	111	52	59	43	38	31	43	32	20	54	29	27
	19%	19%	19%	20%	26%	19%	15%	25%	16%	15%	23%	18%	16%
					N			Q					
(1) Very much disagree	22	22	11	11	3	8	11	4	6	7	11	4	7
	4%	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	5%	2%	3%	5%	5%	2%	4%
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	133	133	64	69	46	45	42	47	37	27	65	34	35
	23%	23%	23%	24%	28%	23%	20%	27%	19%	20%	28%	20%	20%
Mean	2.96	2.96	2.99	2.94	2.86	2.97	3.04	2.94	3.04	3	2.87	3.11	2.95
							L					RT	
S.D.	0.76	0.76	0.78	0.74	0.68	0.76	0.81	0.75	0.74	0.77	0.76	0.78	0.73
S.E.	0.03	0.03	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05

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T3. As you likely know, at the behest of their union, the secondary public school teachers took a single strike day to demonstrate to their resolve to 'defend public education'. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements... The Ontario government should permanently ban the right of teachers to strike

			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
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BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
Top 2 Box (Net)	233	233	124	109	43	94	96	70	77	62	107	68	57
	41%	41%	45%	37%	26%	47%	46%	40%	40%	46%	45%	41%	34%
						L	L				T		
(4) Agree very much	114	114	67	46	11	46	57	37	37	30	53	39	21
	20%	20%	24%	16%	6%	23%	27%	21%	19%	22%	23%	23%	13%
			K			L	L				T	T	
(3) Agree somewhat	119	119	56	63	33	47	39	33	41	33	54	29	36
	21%	21%	20%	21%	20%	24%	19%	19%	21%	24%	23%	17%	21%
(2) Disagree somewhat	139	139	60	79	42	46	51	44	50	28	54	40	45
	24%	24%	22%	27%	25%	23%	25%	25%	26%	21%	23%	24%	26%
(1) Very much disagree	201	201	94	107	81	61	59	62	65	45	75	59	67
	35%	35%	34%	36%	49%	30%	29%	35%	34%	33%	32%	35%	40%
					MN								
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	340	340	154	186	122	107	111	106	116	73	129	99	112
	59%	59%	55%	63%	74%	53%	54%	60%	60%	54%	55%	59%	66%
					MN								R
Mean	2.25	2.25	2.35	2.16	1.84	2.4	2.45	2.25	2.25	2.34	2.36	2.29	2.07
						L	L				T		
S.D.	1.14	1.14	1.18	1.09	0.96	1.15	1.17	1.15	1.12	1.16	1.15	1.18	1.06
S.E.	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.07

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T3. As you likely know, at the behest of their union, the secondary public school teachers took a single strike day to demonstrate to their resolve to 'defend public education'. Please indicate if you agree or disagree with the following statements... I am sick and tired of every few years the teacher's unions going on strike and disrupting so many lives

			Gender		Age			Income			Education		
	Total	ON	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	<\$50K	\$50-99K	\$100K+	HS or less	College/ Tech school	Univ+
	A	G	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
BASE: Ontario Residents	593	593	279	314	147	185	261	167	202	150	198	164	231
BASE: WEIGHTED	572	572	278	295	165	201	206	176	193	135	236	168	169
Top 2 Box (Net)	367	367	195	172	96	122	148	107	124	91	149	112	106
	64%	64%	70%	58%	58%	61%	72%	61%	64%	67%	63%	67%	62%
			K				LM						
(4) Agree very much	217	217	127	90	46	78	93	63	68	59	95	68	54
	38%	38%	46%	31%	28%	39%	45%	36%	35%	43%	40%	41%	32%
			K				L						
(3) Agree somewhat	150	150	68	82	50	44	56	44	56	33	55	43	52
	26%	26%	24%	28%	30%	22%	27%	25%	29%	24%	23%	26%	31%
(2) Disagree somewhat	112	112	42	70	37	43	32	39	36	25	58	24	29
	20%	20%	15%	24%	22%	22%	15%	22%	19%	18%	25%	15%	17%
			J								S		
(1) Very much disagree	94	94	41	52	32	35	27	30	33	19	28	31	34
	16%	16%	15%	18%	19%	17%	13%	17%	17%	14%	12%	19%	20%
													R
Bottom 2 Box (Net)	206	206	83	123	69	78	58	69	69	44	86	56	63
	36%	36%	30%	42%	42%	39%	28%	39%	36%	33%	37%	33%	38%
			J		N	N							
Mean	2.86	2.86	3.01	2.71	2.67	2.82	3.04	2.8	2.83	2.97	2.92	2.89	2.74
			K				L						
S.D.	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.08	1.08	1.13	1.06	1.11	1.09	1.09	1.06	1.14	1.11
S.E.	0.05	0.05	0.07	0.06	0.09	0.08	0.07	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.07



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