

OFCOM CHILDREN AND PARENTS MEDIA LITERACY. PARENTS ONLY SURVEY - 21ST OCTOBER TO 7TH DECEMBER 2021.

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
England	2009	269	401	535	537	267	1000	1008	151	918	836
	82%	83%	82%	82%	82%	82%	82%	83%	76%	83%	83%
Wales	121	14	24	31	33	18	62	59	10	51	54
	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
Scotland	218	28	43	61	57	28	111	107	29	93	73
	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	14%	8%	7%
									c		
Northern Ireland	97	14	20	24	26	13	49	48	10	43	39
	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%

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	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
England	2009	134	135	201	201	266	269	268	269	132	135	2009	-	-	-
	82%	83%	83%	82%	82%	82%	83%	82%	83%	81%	83%	100%	-%	-%	-%
												bcd			
Wales	121	7	7	12	12	16	16	17	16	10	8	-	-	121	-
	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%	-%	-%	100%	-%
														abd	
Scotland	218	14	14	22	21	32	29	29	28	14	14	-	218	-	-
	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	10%	9%	9%	9%	8%	9%	-%	100%	-%	-%
													acd		
Northern Ireland	97	7	7	10	10	12	12	13	13	7	5	-	-	-	97
	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	-%	-%	-%	100%
															abc

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
England	2009	1745	235	583	471	407	523	1054	930	385	1507	513	601	464
	82%	83%	74%	85%	81%	79%	82%	83%	81%	82%	82%	82%	80%	84%
Wales	121	102	19	27	30	30	34	57	64	23	91	36	42	19
	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%	3%
Scotland	218	180	36	53	57	54	51	110	105	40	169	52	76	55
	9%	9%	11%	8%	10%	10%	8%	9%	9%	9%	9%	8%	10%	10%
Northern Ireland	97	68	28	22	24	23	28	46	51	19	74	25	35	15
	4%	3%	9%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
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Yorkshire and Humberside	196 8%	33 10%	34 7%	51 8%	57 9%	21 7%	110 9%	86 7%	16 8%	85 8%	83 8%
North West	261 11%	30 9%	55 11%	70 11%	54 8%	53 16% ad	116 9%	145 12%	19 9%	123 11%	101 10%
West Midlands	218 9%	34 10%	28 6%	62 9%	65 10%	29 9%	124 10%	93 8%	21 11%	88 8%	92 9%
East Midlands	169 7%	30 9%	39 8%	41 6%	43 7%	17 5%	84 7%	85 7%	11 5%	80 7%	66 7%
East of England	225 9%	24 7%	51 10%	57 9%	64 10%	29 9%	102 8%	122 10%	18 9%	105 9%	89 9%
South West	186 8%	22 7%	39 8%	52 8%	49 8%	23 7%	90 7%	96 8%	14 7%	93 8%	76 8%
South East	331 14%	44 13%	71 14%	95 15%	80 12%	41 13%	172 14%	159 13%	27 14%	154 14%	133 13%
London	334 14%	47 14%	68 14%	89 14%	89 14%	41 13%	165 14%	168 14%	22 11%	156 14%	147 15%
SUMMARY											
England	2009 82%	269 83%	401 82%	535 82%	537 82%	267 82%	1000 82%	1008 83%	151 76%	918 83%	836 83%
Wales	121 5%	14 4%	24 5%	31 5%	33 5%	18 6%	62 5%	59 5%	10 5%	51 5%	54 5%

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	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
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North East	89 4%	4 2%	3 2%	6 2%	11 5%	8 3%	10 3%	14 4%	22 7%	4 3%	7 5%	89 4%	- -%	- -%	- -%
Yorkshire and Humberside	196 8%	15 9%	18 11%	26 11%	8 3%	26 8%	24 8%	32 10%	26 8%	11 7%	10 6%	196 10%	- -%	- -%	- -%
North West	261 11%	15 9%	15 9%	22 9%	33 14%	27 8%	43 13%	23 7%	31 9%	29 18%	24 15%	261 13%	- -%	- -%	- -%
West Midlands	218 9%	13 8%	21 13%	14 6%	14 6%	48 15%	14 4%	34 11%	31 9%	15 9%	14 8%	218 11%	- -%	- -%	- -%
East Midlands	169 7%	15 9%	15 9%	19 8%	20 8%	21 6%	20 6%	21 7%	21 7%	8 5%	8 5%	169 8%	- -%	- -%	- -%
East of England	225 9%	13 8%	11 7%	25 10%	26 10%	22 7%	36 11%	35 11%	29 9%	8 5%	21 13%	225 11%	- -%	- -%	- -%
South West	186 8%	10 6%	12 8%	23 9%	16 7%	25 8%	27 8%	23 7%	27 8%	10 6%	13 8%	186 9%	- -%	- -%	- -%
South East	331 14%	22 13%	22 14%	41 17%	30 12%	50 15%	46 14%	33 10%	47 14%	27 17%	14 9%	331 16%	- -%	- -%	- -%
London	334 14%	28 17%	19 11%	27 11%	42 17%	40 12%	48 15%	52 16%	37 11%	18 11%	23 14%	334 17%	- -%	- -%	- -%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
SUMMARY															
England	2009	134	135	201	201	266	269	268	269	132	135	2009	-	-	-
	82%	83%	83%	82%	82%	82%	83%	82%	83%	81%	83%	100%	-%	-%	-%
												bcd			
Wales	121	7	7	12	12	16	16	17	16	10	8	-	-	121	-
	5%	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%	-%	-%	100%	-%
														abd	
Scotland	218	14	14	22	21	32	29	29	28	14	14	-	218	-	-
	9%	9%	9%	9%	9%	10%	9%	9%	9%	8%	9%	-%	100%	-%	-%
													acd		
Northern Ireland	97	7	7	10	10	12	12	13	13	7	5	-	-	-	97
	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	-%	-%	-%	100%
															abc

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

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Table 2

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
North East	89 4%	79 4%	11 3%	13 2%	25 4%	24 5%	28 4%	38 3%	51 4%	25 5%	59 3%	24 4%	35 5%	16 3%
Yorkshire and Humberside	196 8%	174 8%	19 6%	43 6%	50 9%	44 8%	57 9%	93 7%	101 9%	41 9%	133 7%	48 8%	66 9%	52 9%
North West	261 11%	235 11%	18 6%	56 8%	51 9%	65 13%	89 14%	107 8%	154 13%	39 8%	205 11%	76 12%	91 12%	40 7%
West Midlands	218 9%	187 9%	25 8%	43 6%	46 8%	55 11%	70 11%	89 7%	125 11%	51 11%	153 8%	71 11%	69 9%	26 5%
East Midlands	169 7%	146 7%	23 7%	47 7%	37 6%	35 7%	50 8%	84 7%	85 7%	31 7%	135 7%	50 8%	56 7%	28 5%
East of England	225 9%	177 8%	47 15% a	68 10%	64 11%	40 8%	50 8%	132 10%	90 8%	47 10%	171 9%	50 8%	51 7%	62 11%
South West	186 8%	133 6%	51 16% a	60 9%	37 6%	30 6%	56 9%	97 8%	86 7%	38 8%	137 7%	53 8%	45 6%	45 8%
South East	331 14%	282 13%	40 13%	126 18% cdf	91 16%	49 10%	65 10%	217 17% cdf	114 10%	56 12%	269 15%	59 9%	84 11%	118 21% ab
London	334 14%	332 16% b	1 *%	126 18% df	70 12%	65 13%	58 9%	196 15% d	123 11%	57 12%	247 13%	81 13%	104 14%	80 14%

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

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QD1/ QD2. NATION/ REGION

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
SUMMARY														
England	2009	1745	235	583	471	407	523	1054	930	385	1507	513	601	464
	82%	83%	74%	85%	81%	79%	82%	83%	81%	82%	82%	82%	80%	84%
		b												
Wales	121	102	19	27	30	30	34	57	64	23	91	36	42	19
	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%	3%
Scotland	218	180	36	53	57	54	51	110	105	40	169	52	76	55
	9%	9%	11%	8%	10%	10%	8%	9%	9%	9%	9%	8%	10%	10%
Northern Ireland	97	68	28	22	24	23	28	46	51	19	74	25	35	15
	4%	3%	9%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%
			a											

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

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Table 3

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QF. URBANITY

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Large city	456	67	83	116	125	64	236	220	37	197	203
	19%	21%	17%	18%	19%	20%	19%	18%	19%	18%	20%
Smaller city or large town	428	71	79	80	140	59	217	211	45	161	191
	18%	22%	16%	12%	21%	18%	18%	17%	23%	15%	19%
		c			c						
Medium town	748	85	159	216	209	78	384	364	52	359	283
	31%	26%	33%	33%	32%	24%	31%	30%	26%	33%	28%
				e							
Small town	463	61	92	133	106	71	210	253	33	212	192
	19%	19%	19%	20%	16%	22%	17%	21%	17%	19%	19%
Rural area	318	40	69	100	66	42	158	160	32	161	114
	13%	12%	14%	15%	10%	13%	13%	13%	16%	15%	11%

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QF. URBANITY

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Large city	456 19%	40 24%	28 17%	40 16%	43 18%	56 17%	61 19%	73 22%	52 16%	28 17%	35 22%	414 21% bcd	28 13% c	6 5%	8 9%
Smaller city or large town	428 18%	32 19%	39 24% f	39 16%	40 16%	44 14%	35 11%	73 22%	67 21%	29 18%	30 18%	354 18%	32 15%	25 21%	16 16%
Medium town	748 31%	42 26%	43 26%	84 34%	76 31%	111 34%	104 32%	104 32%	105 32%	42 26%	36 22%	639 32% c	57 26%	27 23%	24 25%
Small town	463 19%	34 21%	27 16%	38 15%	54 22%	65 20%	68 21%	40 12%	66 20%	33 21%	38 23% g	338 17%	62 29% ad	43 36% ad	19 20%
Rural area	318 13%	15 9%	24 15%	39 16%	31 13%	49 15%	51 16%	33 10%	33 10%	22 13%	20 12%	235 12%	36 17%	19 16%	28 28% abc

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QF. URBANITY

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Large city	456 19%	456 22% b	- -%	149 22%	94 16%	85 17%	112 18%	243 19%	197 17%	86 18%	328 18%	119 19%	139 18%	102 18%
Smaller city or large town	428 18%	428 20% b	- -%	108 16%	95 16%	95 18%	128 20%	203 16%	223 19%	97 21%	307 17%	118 19%	144 19%	78 14%
Medium town	748 31%	748 36% b	- -%	189 28%	202 35%	144 28%	208 33%	391 31%	352 31%	141 30%	569 31%	174 28%	232 31%	154 28%
Small town	463 19%	463 22% b	- -%	120 18%	113 19%	92 18%	131 21%	234 18%	223 19%	84 18%	367 20%	134 21%	133 18%	104 19%
Rural area	318 13%	- -%	318 100% a	117 17% d	69 12%	86 17% d	46 7%	185 15% d	132 12%	52 11%	247 13%	66 11%	95 13%	109 20% ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
A	131 5%	14 4%	23 5%	30 5%	35 5%	29 9%	70 6%	61 5%	6 3%	55 5%	68 7%
B	554 23%	54 17%	110 22%	155 24%	162 25%	72 22%	264 22%	290 24%	34 17%	238 22%	261 26%
C1	582 24%	81 25%	125 26%	143 22%	173 27%	61 19%	288 24%	294 24%	51 26%	258 23%	239 24%
C2	513 21%	66 20%	93 19%	167 26%	112 17%	76 23%	262 21%	252 21%	37 19%	266 24%	187 19%
D	316 13%	55 17%	66 13%	78 12%	73 11%	44 13%	160 13%	156 13%	31 16%	148 13%	113 11%
E	319 13%	52 16%	68 14%	71 11%	87 13%	42 13%	163 13%	157 13%	38 19%	126 11%	119 12%
Don't know	29 1%	4 1%	5 1%	8 1%	9 1%	2 1%	17 1%	12 1%	2 1%	13 1%	13 1%
SUMMARY											
AB	684 28%	68 21%	133 27%	185 28%	197 30%	102 31% a	333 27%	351 29%	40 20%	293 27%	330 33% a
DE	635 26%	108 33% c	134 27%	149 23%	160 25%	85 26%	322 26%	313 26%	69 35% c	274 25%	232 23%
ABC1	1267 52%	149 46%	258 53%	328 50%	370 57% a	162 50%	621 51%	645 53%	91 46%	551 50%	569 57%
C2DE	1149 47%	173 53% d	226 46%	316 48%	272 42%	161 49%	584 48%	565 46%	106 53% c	540 49%	419 42%

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

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
A	131 5%	6 4%	7 4%	13 5%	10 4%	10 3%	19 6%	21 6%	14 4%	20 12% ae	10 6%	114 6%	9 4%	5 4%	3 3%
B	554 23%	28 17%	26 16%	44 18%	66 27%	71 22%	85 26%	88 27%	75 23%	33 20%	40 24%	469 23%	44 20%	22 18%	19 19%
C1	582 24%	47 29%	34 21%	61 25%	63 26%	66 20%	77 24%	83 25%	90 28%	31 19%	30 18%	471 23%	57 26%	30 25%	24 24%
C2	513 21%	30 19%	35 22%	54 22%	39 16%	88 27%	79 24%	50 15%	61 19%	39 24%	37 23%	407 20%	54 25%	30 25%	23 24%
D	316 13%	17 10%	38 24% aeh	31 13%	35 14%	37 11%	40 12%	54 16% h	20 6%	21 13%	23 14%	251 13%	34 15%	17 14%	14 14%
E	319 13%	31 19% fg	21 13%	39 16%	28 12%	48 15%	23 7%	25 8%	62 19% fg	19 12%	22 14%	272 14% b	18 8%	16 14%	14 14% b
Don't know	29 1%	3 2%	1 1%	2 1%	3 1%	6 2%	3 1%	6 2%	3 1%	1 *% b	2 1%	25 1%	2 1%	1 *% b	1 1%
SUMMARY															
AB	684 28%	35 21%	33 20%	57 23%	76 31%	81 25%	104 32%	108 33%	89 27%	52 32%	49 30%	583 29%	53 24%	27 22%	22 23%
DE	635 26%	48 29%	60 37% f	71 29%	63 26%	85 26%	63 19%	79 24%	82 25%	40 24%	45 28%	523 26%	51 23%	34 28%	28 29%
ABC1	1267 52%	82 50%	67 41%	118 48%	140 57% b	147 45%	181 55%	191 59% b	179 55%	83 51%	79 49%	1054 52%	110 51%	57 47%	46 47%

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
C2DE	1149 47%	78 48%	95 58%	124 51%	102 42%	173 53%	142 44%	129 40%	143 44%	79 48%	82 50%	930 46%	105 48%	64 53%	51 52%

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

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
A	131 5%	112 5%	19 6%	131 19% bcdef	- -%	- -%	- -%	131 10% bcdf	- -%	30 6%	97 5%	14 2%	22 3%	78 14% ab
B	554 23%	454 22%	97 31%	554 81% bcdef	- -%	- -%	- -%	554 44% bcdf	- -%	90 19%	441 24%	46 7%	149 20% a	275 50% ab
C1	582 24%	505 24%	69 22%	- -% acdef	582 100%	- -%	- -%	582 46% acdf	- -%	80 17%	480 26% a	90 14%	237 31% a	141 25% a
C2	513 21%	416 20%	86 27%	- -%	- -%	513 100% abdef	- -%	- -%	513 45% abde	132 28% b	365 20%	161 26% c	207 27% c	46 8%
D	316 13%	281 13%	28 9%	- -%	- -%	- -%	316 50% abcef	- -%	316 28% abce	52 11%	243 13%	155 25% bc	79 11% c	6 1%
E	319 13%	298 14% b	18 6%	- -%	- -%	- -%	319 50% abcef	- -%	319 28% abce	83 18% b	196 11%	152 24% bc	58 8% c	5 1%
Don't know	29 1%	29 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	2 *% *	20 1%	8 1%	2 *% *	3 1%
SUMMARY														
AB	684 28%	566 27%	117 37% a	684 100% bcdef	- -%	- -%	- -%	684 54% bcdf	- -%	119 26%	538 29%	60 10%	171 23% a	352 64% ab
DE	635 26%	579 28% b	46 15%	- -%	- -%	- -%	635 100% abcef	- -%	635 55% abce	135 29%	439 24%	308 49% bc	137 18% c	11 2%

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QG. HOUSEHOLD SOCIO-ECONOMIC GROUP

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE					IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
ABC1	1267	1070	185	684	582	-	-	1267	-	199	1018	149	407	493
	52%	51%	58%	100%	100%	-%	-%	100%	-%	43%	55%	24%	54%	89%
				cdf	cdf			cdf			a		a	ab
C2DE	1149	995	132	-	-	513	635	-	1149	267	804	469	345	57
	47%	48%	42%	-%	-%	100%	100%	-%	100%	57%	44%	75%	46%	10%
						abe	abe		abe	b		bc	c	

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

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AGE AND GENDER OF CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Boy, aged 3	81 3%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	81 41%	- -%	- -%
		bcde					b		bc		
Boy, aged 4	81 3%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	19 9%	60 5%	- -%
		bcde					b		c	c	
Boy, aged 5	81 3%	- -%	81 17%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	* *%	75 7%	- -%
			acde				b			ac	
Boy, aged 6	81 3%	- -%	81 17%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%
			acde				b			ac	
Boy, aged 7	81 3%	- -%	81 17%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	79 7%	- -%
			acde				b			ac	
Boy, aged 8	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 13%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%
				abde			b			ac	
Boy, aged 9	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 12%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	78 7%	- -%
				abde			b			ac	
Boy, aged 10	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 13%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	77 7%	- -%
				abde			b			ac	
Boy, aged 11	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 12%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	20 2%	58 6%
				abde			b				ab
Boy, aged 12	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 13%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	80 8%
					abce		b				ab

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
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Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Boy, aged 13	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 12%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	67 7%
					abce		b				ab
Boy, aged 14	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 13%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	76 8%
					abce		b				ab
Boy, aged 15	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 12%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	77 8%
					abce		b				ab
Boy, aged 16	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	70 7%
						abcd	b				ab
Boy, aged 17	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25%	81 7%	- -%	- -%	- -%	67 7%
						abcd	b				ab
Girl, aged 3	81 3%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	81 41%	- -%	- -%
		bcde						a	bc		
Girl, aged 4	81 3%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	16 8%	64 6%	- -%
		bcde						a	c	c	
Girl, aged 5	81 3%	- -%	81 17%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	* *%	79 7%	- -%
			acde					a		ac	
Girl, aged 6	81 3%	- -%	81 17%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	72 7%	- -%
			acde					a		ac	
Girl, aged 7	81 3%	- -%	81 17%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7%	- -%	75 7%	- -%
			acde					a		ac	

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Girl, aged 8	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 13% abde	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	77 7% ac	- -%
Girl, aged 9	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 13% abde	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	80 7% ac	- -%
Girl, aged 10	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 13% abde	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	80 7% ac	- -%
Girl, aged 11	81 3%	- -%	- -%	81 12% abde	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	25 2% ab	56 6%
Girl, aged 12	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 13% abce	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	- -%	81 8% ab
Girl, aged 13	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 13% abce	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	- -%	78 8% ab
Girl, aged 14	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 13% abce	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	- -%	74 7% ab
Girl, aged 15	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 12% abce	- -%	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	- -%	80 8% ab
Girl, aged 16	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25% abcd	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	- -%	69 7% ab
Girl, aged 17	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25% abcd	- -%	81 7% a	- -%	- -%	67 7% ab

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION				
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441	
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363	
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97	
Boy, aged 3	81	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67	8	4	3	
	3%	50%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	3%	3%	
		bcdefghij														
Boy, aged 4	81	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	7	3	4	
	3%	50%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	3%	4%	
		bcdefghij														
Boy, aged 5	81	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	8	5	4	
	3%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	4%	4%	4%	
		abdefghij														
Boy, aged 6	81	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	6	4	4	
	3%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	3%	4%	
		abdefghij														
Boy, aged 7	81	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69	8	3	2	
	3%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	2%	2%	
		abdefghij														
Boy, aged 8	81	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	70	7	2	2	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	2%	2%	
		abcdefghij														
Boy, aged 9	81	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	70	5	5	2	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	2%	4%	2%	
		abcdefghij														
Boy, aged 10	81	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	65	7	4	4	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	4%	4%	
		abcdefghij														

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	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
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Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Boy, aged 11	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	61 3%	13 6%	5 4%	3 3%
						abcdefghij									
Boy, aged 12	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	66 3%	9 4%	3 3%	3 3%
								abcdefghij							
Boy, aged 13	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	64 3%	10 4%	3 3%	4 5%
								abcdefghij							
Boy, aged 14	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	72 4%	4 2%	4 3%	2 2%
								abcdefghij							
Boy, aged 15	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 25%	- -%	- -%	- -%	65 3%	7 3%	7 5%	3 3%
								abcdefghij							
Boy, aged 16	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 50%	- -%	70 3%	3 2%	3 3%	4 5%
										abcdefghij					
Boy, aged 17	81 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	81 50%	- -%	62 3%	10 5%	7 6%	3 3%
										abcdefghij					
Girl, aged 3	81 3%	- -%	81 50%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	65 3%	8 4%	5 4%	3 4%
			acdefghij												

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
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Girl, aged 4	81	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	6	2	3
	3%	-%	50%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	2%	4%
			acdefghij												
Girl, aged 5	81	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	8	6	4
	3%	-%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	4%	5%	4%
					abcefg hij										
Girl, aged 6	81	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	67	6	4	5
	3%	-%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	3%	5%
					abcefg hij										
Girl, aged 7	81	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	8	3	1
	3%	-%	-%	-%	33%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	4%	2%	1%
					abcefg hij										
Girl, aged 8	81	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	69	7	3	2
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	3%	3%	2%
							abcdeghij								
Girl, aged 9	81	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	66	10	4	2
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	5%	3%	2%
							abcdeghij								
Girl, aged 10	81	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	67	9	2	4
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	4%	1%	4%
							abcdeghij								
Girl, aged 11	81	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	67	3	6	5
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	-%	-%	3%	1%	5%	5%
							abcdeghij							b	b

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION				
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
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Girl, aged 12	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	67	5	5	4	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	3%	2%	4%	5%	
									abcdefgij							
Girl, aged 13	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	68	8	3	2	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	3%	4%	3%	2%	
									abcdefgij							
Girl, aged 14	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	64	10	4	3	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	3%	5%	4%	3%	
									abcdefgij							
Girl, aged 15	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	-	70	5	3	3	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	25%	-%	-%	4%	2%	2%	3%	
									abcdefgij							
Girl, aged 16	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	67	8	4	2	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	50%	3%	4%	3%	2%	
											abcdefghi					
Girl, aged 17	81	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	68	6	4	3	
	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	50%	3%	3%	4%	3%	
											abcdefghi					

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

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Boy, aged 3	81 3%	69 3%	12 4%	17 2%	26 4%	15 3%	23 4%	43 3%	38 3%	13 3%	63 3%	22 3%	23 3%	24 4%
Boy, aged 4	81 3%	78 4%	3 1%	18 3%	21 4%	15 3%	25 4%	39 3%	40 3%	7 2%	67 4%	31 5%	30 4%	14 2%
Boy, aged 5	81 3%	72 3%	10 3%	16 2%	24 4%	20 4%	21 3%	40 3%	41 4%	22 5%	54 3%	25 4%	24 3%	15 3%
Boy, aged 6	81 3%	55 3%	21 7% a	23 3%	18 3%	15 3%	25 4%	41 3%	40 4%	9 2%	64 3%	32 5%	16 2%	18 3%
Boy, aged 7	81 3%	74 4%	8 2%	18 3%	19 3%	19 4%	24 4%	37 3%	43 4%	12 3%	62 3%	25 4%	24 3%	9 2%
Boy, aged 8	81 3%	67 3%	15 5%	16 2%	13 2%	33 6% ae	18 3%	29 2%	50 4%	26 6%	53 3%	17 3%	29 4%	13 2%
Boy, aged 9	81 3%	70 3%	12 4%	21 3%	23 4%	23 5%	14 2%	44 3%	38 3%	17 4%	62 3%	17 3%	28 4%	20 4%
Boy, aged 10	81 3%	71 3%	10 3%	17 2%	14 2%	16 3%	32 5%	31 2%	48 4%	23 5%	55 3%	12 2%	27 4%	16 3%
Boy, aged 11	81 3%	69 3%	12 4%	27 4%	17 3%	16 3%	22 3%	44 3%	38 3%	20 4%	61 3%	21 3%	37 5%	16 3%
Boy, aged 12	81 3%	65 3%	16 5%	34 5%	12 2%	13 2%	22 4%	46 4%	35 3%	19 4%	53 3%	14 2%	39 5%	10 2%
Boy, aged 13	81 3%	72 3%	9 3%	20 3%	30 5%	3 *% c	27 4%	50 4%	29 3%	20 4%	58 3%	21 3%	18 2%	23 4%

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

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Boy, aged 14	81 3%	76 4%	6 2%	25 4%	21 4%	17 3%	19 3%	46 4%	36 3%	20 4%	58 3%	16 3%	23 3%	19 3%
Boy, aged 15	81 3%	75 4%	2 1%	29 4%	20 3%	18 3%	11 2%	49 4%	29 2%	18 4%	60 3%	16 3%	22 3%	23 4%
Boy, aged 16	81 3%	62 3%	14 4%	28 4%	14 2%	20 4%	18 3%	42 3%	39 3%	16 3%	56 3%	27 4%	22 3%	16 3%
Boy, aged 17	81 3%	71 3%	7 2%	24 4%	17 3%	19 4%	21 3%	41 3%	40 4%	24 5%	52 3%	19 3%	25 3%	20 4%
Girl, aged 3	81 3%	64 3%	17 5%	18 3%	14 2%	14 3%	35 5%	32 3%	49 4%	7 2%	70 4%	21 3%	32 4%	8 1%
Girl, aged 4	81 3%	72 3%	8 2%	15 2%	20 4%	21 4%	25 4%	35 3%	46 4%	10 2%	69 4%	26 4%	28 4%	13 2%
Girl, aged 5	81 3%	66 3%	16 5%	26 4%	27 5%	7 1%	22 3%	52 4%	29 3%	7 2%	69 4%	19 3%	29 4%	17 3%
Girl, aged 6	81 3%	73 3%	9 3%	22 3%	20 3%	20 4%	19 3%	42 3%	39 3%	15 3%	66 4%	21 3%	20 3%	16 3%
Girl, aged 7	81 3%	75 4%	7 2%	29 4%	16 3%	12 2%	22 3%	45 4%	34 3%	5 1%	77 4%	27 4%	25 3%	18 3%
Girl, aged 8	81 3%	65 3%	16 5%	25 4%	24 4%	12 2%	21 3%	48 4%	33 3%	13 3%	68 4%	16 3%	24 3%	27 5%
Girl, aged 9	81 3%	70 3%	9 3%	26 4%	14 2%	32 6% d	10 2%	40 3%	42 4%	12 3%	65 4%	11 2%	29 4%	27 5%
Girl, aged 10	81 3%	65 3%	14 4%	24 4%	17 3%	20 4%	20 3%	41 3%	40 3%	11 2%	67 4%	12 2%	27 4%	29 5%

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

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Table 5

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AGE AND GENDER OF CHILD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Girl, aged 11	81 3%	69 3%	12 4%	29 4%	23 4%	16 3%	12 2%	52 4%	27 2%	12 3%	69 4%	19 3%	19 2%	33 6%
Girl, aged 12	81 3%	79 4%	3 1%	21 3%	18 3%	20 4%	22 3%	39 3%	42 4%	12 3%	62 3%	16 2%	34 4%	18 3%
Girl, aged 13	81 3%	72 3%	8 3%	14 2%	26 4%	18 4%	23 4%	40 3%	41 4%	7 2%	69 4%	20 3%	28 4%	17 3%
Girl, aged 14	81 3%	72 3%	9 3%	22 3%	19 3%	18 3%	24 4%	40 3%	41 4%	24 5%	49 3%	27 4%	20 3%	16 3%
Girl, aged 15	81 3%	69 3%	13 4%	32 5% f	28 5% f	5 1%	14 2%	60 5% cf	19 2%	26 6%	50 3%	20 3%	17 2%	24 4%
Girl, aged 16	81 3%	72 3%	6 2%	22 3%	17 3%	12 2%	29 5%	39 3%	41 4%	23 5%	54 3%	28 4%	18 2%	17 3%
Girl, aged 17	81 3%	66 3%	14 5%	27 4%	13 2%	25 5%	16 3%	40 3%	41 4%	16 3%	61 3%	29 5%	19 2%	17 3%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Boy	1222	163	244	326	326	163	1222	-	100	553	495
	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	100%	-%	51%	50%	49%
							b				
Girl	1222	163	244	326	326	163	-	1222	98	552	506
	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	-%	100%	49%	50%	51%
								a			

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Boy	1222	163	-	244	-	326	-	326	-	163	-	1000	111	62	49
	50%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	50%	51%	51%	51%
		bdfhj		bdfhj		bdfhj		bdfhj		bdfhj					
Girl	1222	-	163	-	244	-	326	-	326	-	163	1008	107	59	48
	50%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	-%	100%	50%	49%	49%	49%
			acegi		acegi		acegi		acegi		acegi				

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

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Boy	1222	1046	158	333	288	262	322	621	584	267	876	315	386	257
	50%	50%	50%	49%	49%	51%	51%	49%	51%	57%	48%	50%	51%	46%
										b				
Girl	1222	1048	160	351	294	252	313	645	565	201	966	312	368	296
	50%	50%	50%	51%	51%	49%	49%	51%	49%	43%	52%	50%	49%	54%
										a				

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

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1769	127	245	466	611	319	870	899	73	619	956
	72%	39%	50%	71%	94%	98%	71%	74%	37%	56%	96%
				ab	abc	abcd				a	ab
Tablet (like an iPad, Kindle Fire or Google Nexus)	1695	253	407	516	355	163	806	889	147	917	551
	69%	78%	83%	79%	54%	50%	66%	73%	74%	83%	55%
		de	de	de				a	c	c	
Games console or handheld games player	1158	41	180	388	377	174	776	382	13	509	561
	47%	12%	37%	59%	58%	53%	63%	31%	7%	46%	56%
			a	ab	ab	ab	b			a	ab
Laptop or netbook	1138	32	132	359	407	207	498	639	11	414	659
	47%	10%	27%	55%	63%	63%	41%	52%	6%	37%	66%
			a	ab	ab	ab		a		a	ab
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	419	9	44	110	180	76	265	153	4	132	255
	17%	3%	9%	17%	28%	23%	22%	13%	2%	12%	25%
			a	ab	abc	ab	b			a	ab
Other type of device	69	9	20	24	12	3	37	32	8	44	12
	3%	3%	4%	4%	2%	1%	3%	3%	4%	4%	1%
			e							c	
None of these/ Child does not go online	46	32	13	-	-	1	25	21	24	20	-
	2%	10%	3%	-%	-%	*%	2%	2%	12%	2%	-%
		bcde	cd						bc	c	

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
SUMMARY											
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
	98%	90%	97%	100%	100%	100%	98%	98%	88%	98%	100%
			a	ab	ab	a				a	ab
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1345	38	157	401	502	246	644	700	14	475	781
	55%	12%	32%	62%	77%	75%	53%	57%	7%	43%	78%
			a	ab	abc	abc				a	ab
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2366	290	471	634	646	324	1185	1181	173	1059	994
	97%	89%	96%	97%	99%	100%	97%	97%	87%	96%	99%
			a	a	a	ab				a	ab
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1053	255	318	251	150	79	552	501	160	609	220
	43%	78%	65%	38%	23%	24%	45%	41%	80%	55%	22%
		bcde	cde	de					bc	c	
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	113	23	20	8	32	29	54	59	16	27	58
	5%	7%	4%	1%	5%	9%	4%	5%	8%	2%	6%
		c				c			b		b
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	278	127	93	51	6	1	129	149	81	178	6
	11%	39%	19%	8%	1%	*%	11%	12%	41%	16%	1%
		bcde	cde	de					bc	c	

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441	
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363	
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97	
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1769	73	54	117	128	228	238	295	316	157	162	1449	162	92	66	
	72%	45%	33%	48%	52%	70%	73%	91%	97%	96%	100%	72%	74%	76%	69%	
					b	abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefg					
Tablet (like an iPad, Kindle Fire or Google Nexus)	1695	122	131	208	199	232	284	169	186	74	89	1399	155	77	64	
	69%	75%	81%	85%	81%	71%	87%	52%	57%	46%	54%	70%	71%	64%	66%	
		ghij	ghij	eghij	ghij	gij	eghij									
Games console or handheld games player	1158	25	16	125	55	250	138	255	121	121	53	935	111	64	48	
	47%	15%	10%	51%	22%	77%	42%	78%	37%	74%	32%	47%	51%	53%	50%	
				abdj	b	abcdfhj	abd	abcdfhj	abd	abcdfhj	ab					
Laptop or netbook	1138	16	17	53	79	174	185	166	242	91	116	948	96	57	37	
	47%	10%	10%	22%	32%	53%	57%	51%	74%	56%	71%	47%	44%	47%	38%	
				a	ab	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcdefgi	abcd	abcdefgi	d				
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	419	3	6	35	8	63	47	116	64	48	28	335	45	23	15	
	17%	2%	4%	14%	3%	19%	14%	36%	20%	29%	17%	17%	21%	19%	16%	
				abd		abd	abd	abcdefhj	abd	abcdfj	abd					
Other type of device	69	4	5	8	13	16	9	9	4	1	2	60	4	3	1	
	3%	3%	3%	3%	5%	5%	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	
None of these/ Child does not go online	46	18	15	7	6	-	-	-	-	1	-	39	4	1	1	
	2%	11%	9%	3%	3%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	2%	2%	1%	1%	
		cdefghij	efghij													

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

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
SUMMARY															
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2398 98%	145 89%	148 91%	238 97%	238 97%	326 100%	326 100%	326 100%	326 100%	162 100%	163 100%	1970 98%	213 98%	120 99%	95 99%
				a	a	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab	ab				
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1345 55%	18 11%	20 12%	72 30%	85 35%	200 61%	201 62%	236 72%	266 82%	118 72%	128 78%	1114 55%	116 53%	69 57%	46 48%
				ab	ab	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcd	abcdef				
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2366 97%	145 89%	146 89%	237 97%	234 96%	318 97%	316 97%	324 99%	322 99%	161 99%	163 100%	1943 97%	210 97%	119 98%	93 96%
				a		ab		ab	ab	ab	ab				
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1053 43%	127 78%	128 79%	165 68%	153 63%	126 39%	125 38%	90 28%	60 18%	44 27%	35 22%	856 43%	97 44%	51 42%	49 51%
		defghij	defghij	efghij	efghij	hj	hj								a
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	113 5%	16 10%	6 4%	8 3%	12 5%	5 2%	3 1%	10 3%	22 7%	13 8%	16 10%	96 5%	5 2%	5 4%	6 6%
		ef								ef	ef				b
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	278 11%	55 34%	72 44%	49 20%	45 18%	22 7%	29 9%	3 1%	3 1%	1 *	- -	232 12%	21 10%	12 10%	13 13%
		defghij	cdefghij	efghij	efghij	ij	ghij								

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

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		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Mobile phone /smartphone (like an iPhone or Samsung Galaxy)	1769	1540	202	523	416	369	446	938	815	367	1312	469	530	417
	72%	74% b	63%	76%	71%	72%	70%	74%	71%	78%	71%	75%	70%	75%
Tablet (like an iPad, Kindle Fire or Google Nexus)	1695	1429	241	490	424	375	390	913	765	293	1325	382	537	413
	69%	68%	76%	72% d	73% d	73% d	61%	72% d	67%	63%	72% a	61%	71% a	75% a
Games console or handheld games player	1158	997	141	328	274	258	290	601	547	274	840	290	381	266
	47%	48%	45%	48%	47%	50%	46%	47%	48%	58% b	46%	46%	51%	48%
Laptop or netbook	1138	968	155	405	304	209	212	709	421	236	858	211	375	337
	47%	46%	49%	59% cdf	52% cdf	41%	33%	56% cdf	37%	50%	47%	34%	50% a	61% ab
Desktop computer (one that is usually in a fixed place with a separate screen and keyboard)	419	371	45	158	96	61	94	254	155	81	317	93	133	122
	17%	18%	14%	23% cdf	16%	12%	15%	20% cf	13%	17%	17%	15%	18%	22%
Other type of device	69	54	15	18	18	13	17	36	30	8	59	12	26	24
	3%	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%

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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, 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
None of these/ Child does not go online	46 2%	42 2%	4 1%	10 2%	16 3%	6 1%	12 2%	27 2%	18 2%	2 1%	37 2%	11 2%	13 2%	11 2%
SUMMARY														
GOES ONLINE USING ANY TYPE OF DEVICE	2398 98%	2052 98%	314 99%	674 98%	566 97%	507 99%	624 98%	1240 98%	1131 98%	466 99%	1805 98%	616 98%	742 98%	542 98%
GOES ONLINE USING A DESKTOP COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK	1345 55%	1149 55%	181 57%	470 69% bcdf	337 58% df	247 48%	277 44%	807 64% cdf	524 46%	279 60%	1013 55%	264 42%	439 58% a	380 69% ab
ANY USE OF A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	2366 97%	2025 97%	309 97%	666 97%	555 95%	502 98%	615 97%	1221 96%	1117 97%	461 98%	1779 97%	606 97%	727 96%	537 97%
ONLY USES A DEVICE OTHER THAN A COMPUTER/ LAPTOP/ NETBOOK TO GO ONLINE	1053 43%	903 43%	133 42%	204 30%	229 39% a	260 51% abe	346 55% abe	433 34%	606 53% abe	187 40%	792 43%	352 56% bc	302 40% c	163 29%
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A MOBILE PHONE	113 5%	104 5%	9 3%	28 4%	21 4%	20 4%	41 6%	48 4%	61 5%	25 5%	71 4%	48 8% c	29 4%	10 2%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
ONLY GOES ONLINE USING A TABLET	278	243	34	44	57	65	108	102	173	35	220	67	81	39
	11%	12%	11%	7%	10%	13%	17%	8%	15%	7%	12%	11%	11%	7%
						a	abe		ae					

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Yes – it's a smartphone	1485	54	130	380	606	314	741	744	32	397	949
	61%	17%	27%	58%	93%	96%	61%	61%	16%	36%	95%
			a	ab	abc	abc				a	ab
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	53	1	6	10	26	10	29	23	1	13	31
	2%	*%	1%	1%	4%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%
					a	a					
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	905	270	352	262	20	1	451	454	165	694	21
	37%	83%	72%	40%	3%	*%	37%	37%	83%	63%	2%
		bcde	cde	de	e				bc	c	
Don't know	1	-	*	-	-	1	*	1	-	-	1
	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	*%	*%	*%	-%	-%	*%
SUMMARY											
CHILD HAS THEIR OWN MOBILE PHONE	1538	55	136	390	632	325	770	768	33	410	979
	63%	17%	28%	60%	97%	100%	63%	63%	17%	37%	98%
			a	ab	abc	abcd				a	ab

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Yes – it's a smartphone	1485	29	25	68	62	193	187	297	309	154	160	1203	143	81	59
	61%	18%	16%	28%	25%	59%	57%	91%	95%	95%	98%	60%	66%	67%	61%
						abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefg				
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	53	*	1	4	2	1	8	15	10	9	2	44	4	2	3
	2%	*%	1%	2%	1%	*%	3%	5%	3%	5%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%
										abe					
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	905	134	137	172	180	132	130	14	6	-	1	762	70	38	34
	37%	82%	84%	71%	74%	40%	40%	4%	2%	-%	*%	38%	32%	32%	35%
		efghij	cefghij	efghij	efghij	ghij	ghij	i							
Don't know	1	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
	*%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	1%
															a
SUMMARY															
CHILD HAS THEIR OWN MOBILE PHONE	1538	29	26	72	64	194	196	312	320	163	162	1246	147	82	62
	63%	18%	16%	29%	26%	60%	60%	96%	98%	100%	99%	62%	68%	68%	64%
						abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcdefg	abcdef				

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Yes – it's a smartphone	1485 61%	1278 61%	179 56%	438 64%	332 57%	322 63%	381 60%	769 61%	703 61%	322 69%	1083 59%	413 66%	455 60%	332 60%
Yes – but it's not a smartphone	53 2%	46 2%	6 2%	10 1%	9 2%	15 3%	15 2%	20 2%	30 3%	17 4%	27 1%	15 2%	21 3%	6 1%
No – my child does not have a mobile phone	905 37%	770 37%	132 42%	236 35%	241 41%	176 34%	239 38%	478 38%	415 36%	129 27%	732 40%	199 32%	278 37%	215 39%
Don't know	1 *%	* *%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%
SUMMARY														
CHILD HAS THEIR OWN MOBILE PHONE	1538 63%	1324 63%	185 58%	448 65%	341 59%	337 66%	396 62%	789 62%	733 64%	339 73%	1109 60%	428 68%	476 63%	338 61%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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 Home, Facebook Portal and Apple HomePod. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Yes	1451	150	291	416	397	198	729	723	82	675	635
	59%	46%	59%	64%	61%	61%	60%	59%	41%	61%	63%
			a	a	a	a				a	a
No	973	172	194	235	252	118	482	491	116	424	360
	40%	53%	40%	36%	39%	36%	39%	40%	58%	38%	36%
		bcde							bc		
Don't know	20	3	4	-	3	10	11	8	1	6	6
	1%	1%	1%	-%	*%	3%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%
						cd					

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Yes	1451	71	79	145	146	219	197	191	205	102	96	1176	144	74	57
	59%	44%	48%	59%	60%	67%	60%	59%	63%	63%	59%	59%	66%	62%	59%
						ab	a		a	ab	a				
No	973	92	81	96	98	107	129	133	119	54	64	818	71	45	38
	40%	56%	50%	39%	40%	33%	40%	41%	37%	33%	39%	41%	33%	37%	40%
		cdefhij	ei									b			
Don't know	20	-	3	3	*	-	-	2	1	6	4	14	3	1	1
	1%	-%	2%	1%	*%	-%	-%	1%	*%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
										aef					

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

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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 Home, Facebook Portal and Apple HomePod. (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
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Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Yes	1451	1212	220	432	343	345	325	775	670	305	1091	373	482	355
	59%	58%	69%	63%	59%	67%	51%	61%	58%	65%	59%	60%	64%	64%
			a	d		d		d						
No	973	864	97	250	236	166	299	486	465	162	738	246	270	196
	40%	41%	31%	36%	41%	32%	47%	38%	40%	35%	40%	39%	36%	35%
		b					ac							
Don't know	20	19	1	2	3	2	12	6	14	1	13	8	3	2
	1%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	2%	*%	1%	*%	1%	1%	*%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Yes	2415	320	475	650	649	320	1208	1206	193	1094	994
	99%	98%	97%	100%	100%	98%	99%	99%	97%	99%	99%
No	21	5	10	1	2	3	11	11	5	6	5
	1%	2%	2%	*%	*%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Don't know	8	1	4	*	*	2	3	5	1	4	1
	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	MALE 3-4	3-4	MALE 5-7	5-7	MALE 8-11	8-11	MALE 12-15	12-15	MALE 16-17	16-17	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Yes	2415	162	158	237	239	326	325	324	325	161	160	1986	215	118	95
	99%	99%	97%	97%	98%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	98%	99%	99%	97%	99%
No	21	1	4	5	5	*	1	2	-	2	1	18	-	3	1
	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	*%	*%	1%	-%	1%	*%	1%	-%	3%	1%
														b	
Don't know	8	-	1	3	1	-	*	-	*	-	2	5	2	*	1
	*%	-%	1%	1%	*%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%	1%	*%	1%	*%	1%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Yes	2415	2066	317	678	579	509	622	1256	1130	460	1823	615	749	552
	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	99%	98%	99%	98%	98%	99%	98%	99%	100%
No	21	21	*	5	3	4	9	8	12	7	14	8	5	-
	1%	1%	*%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-%
Don't know	8	8	*	1	1	1	5	2	6	1	5	4	*	1
	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	1%	*%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
HAVE BROADBAND AT HOME	2415	320	475	650	649	320	1208	1206	193	1094	994
	99%	98%	97%	100%	100%	98%	99%	99%	97%	99%	99%
Yes	17	4	6	1	1	5	7	11	4	7	5
	1%	1%	1%	*%	*%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	*%
No	9	2	5	*	2	-	7	2	2	3	2
	*%	1%	1%	*%	*%	-%	1%	*%	1%	*%	*%
Don't know	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
	*%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	MALE 3-4	3-4	MALE 5-7	5-7	MALE 8-11	8-11	MALE 12-15	12-15	MALE 16-17	16-17	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
HAVE BROADBAND AT HOME	2415	162	158	237	239	326	325	324	325	161	160	1986	215	118	95
	99%	99%	97%	97%	98%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	98%	99%	99%	97%	99%
Yes	17	*	4	3	3	*	1	*	*	2	3	13	2	2	*
	1%	*%	2%	1%	1%	*%	*%	*%	*%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	*%
No	9	*	1	5	1	-	*	2	-	-	-	7	1	1	1
	*%	*%	1%	2%	*%	-%	*%	1%	-%	-%	-%	*%	*%	1%	1%
Don't know	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-
	*%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
HAVE BROADBAND AT HOME	2415	2066	317	678	579	509	622	1256	1130	460	1823	615	749	552
	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	99%	98%	99%	98%	98%	99%	98%	99%	100%
Yes	17	17	-	4	1	4	8	6	12	5	10	10	3	1
	1%	1%	-%	1%	*%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*%	*%
No	9	9	1	2	2	1	3	5	4	2	6	2	2	*
	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%	*%	*%
Don't know	3	3	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	3	-	-	-
	*%	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
A television set	2113 86%	276 85%	432 88%	587 90%	550 84%	267 82%	1034 85%	1078 88%	168 84%	982 89%	858 86%
A tablet (like an iPad, Kindle Fire, Samsung Galaxy Tab)	1352 55%	235 72%	310 64%	392 60%	281 43%	134 41%	613 50%	740 61%	137 69%	713 65%	442 44%
A mobile phone/ smartphone (like an iPhone/ Samsung Galaxy)	1161 47%	122 37%	144 29%	260 40%	414 64%	221 68%	567 46%	593 49%	64 32%	385 35%	638 64%
A games console or games player (like a PlayStation/ Xbox/ Nintendo Switch)	662 27%	36 11%	91 19%	194 30%	217 33%	123 38%	460 38%	202 17%	12 6%	261 24%	339 34%
A desktop computer/ laptop/ netbook	596 24%	21 6%	57 12%	155 24%	245 38%	119 37%	296 24%	300 25%	8 4%	184 17%	374 37%
Other type of device	24 1%	7 2%	3 1%	8 1%	5 1%	2 *	13 1%	11 1%	3 1%	15 1%	6 1%
None of these/ Does not watch TV programmes or films	49 2%	5 2%	12 2%	14 2%	12 2%	6 2%	36 3%	13 1%	4 2%	24 2%	12 1%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Don't know	18	3	9	1	4	2	7	12	1	8	4
	1%	1%	2%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%
SUMMARY											
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE	2377	318	469	637	636	317	1179	1198	193	1073	984
	97%	97%	96%	98%	98%	97%	96%	98%	97%	97%	98%
EVER WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	1983	264	363	513	564	278	974	1010	154	858	860
	81%	81%	74%	79%	87%	85%	80%	83%	78%	78%	86%
					b	b					b
ONLY WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON A DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	264	41	37	50	86	50	145	119	26	91	126
	11%	13%	7%	8%	13%	15%	12%	10%	13%	8%	13%
						bc					

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

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
A television set	2113 86%	136 83%	141 86%	221 91%	211 86%	281 86%	306 94%	267 82%	283 87%	130 80%	138 85%	1741 87%	187 86%	104 86%	81 84%
A tablet (like an iPad, Kindle Fire, Samsung Galaxy Tab)	1352 55%	112 69%	123 75%	150 61%	160 66%	172 53%	220 68%	119 37%	161 49%	59 36%	75 46%	1112 55%	127 59%	66 55%	47 48%
A mobile phone/ smartphone (like an iPhone/ Samsung Galaxy)	1161 47%	69 42%	53 33%	68 28%	76 31%	133 41%	127 39%	193 59%	222 68%	105 65%	116 71%	939 47%	105 48%	72 59%	46 47%
A games console or games player (like a PlayStation/ Xbox/ Nintendo Switch)	662 27%	23 14%	13 8%	64 26%	28 11%	139 43%	55 17%	149 46%	69 21%	86 53%	38 23%	515 26%	72 33%	48 40%	28 29%
A desktop computer/ laptop/ netbook	596 24%	12 7%	9 6%	30 12%	27 11%	85 26%	70 21%	116 35%	129 40%	54 33%	65 40%	503 25%	49 23%	27 22%	18 18%
Other type of device	24 1%	5 3%	2 1%	* *	3 1%	5 2%	3 1%	2 1%	3 1%	1 1%	1 *	18 1%	5 2%	1 1%	1 1%
None of these/ Does not watch TV programmes or films	49 2%	3 2%	2 1%	7 3%	5 2%	13 4%	1 *	12 4%	* *	2 1%	4 3%	41 2%	3 1%	1 1%	3 3%

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441	
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363	
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97	
Don't know	18	-	3	2	6	-	1	4	-	1	2	16	1	*	1	
	1%	-%	2%	1%	2%	-%	*%	1%	-%	*%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	
SUMMARY																
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE	2377	160	158	235	233	313	324	310	326	160	157	1951	214	119	93	
	97%	98%	97%	96%	95%	96%	99%	95%	100%	98%	96%	97%	98%	99%	96%	
EVER WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	1983	129	135	171	193	259	254	276	288	139	140	1620	182	105	75	
	81%	79%	83%	70%	79%	80%	78%	85%	88%	85%	86%	81%	84%	87%	78%	
								c	c	c	c			ad		
ONLY WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON A DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	264	24	17	14	23	33	18	43	43	31	19	211	27	15	11	
	11%	15%	10%	6%	9%	10%	5%	13%	13%	19%	12%	10%	12%	13%	12%	
										cf						

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
A television set	2113	1779	301	628	523	445	503	1150	947	387	1630	509	678	516
	86%	85%	95% a	92% df	90% df	87%	79%	91% df	82%	83%	88%	81%	90% a	93% a
A tablet (like an iPad, Kindle Fire, Samsung Galaxy Tab)	1352	1131	202	432	317	312	281	749	593	254	1050	298	429	349
	55%	54%	64%	63% df	55% d	61% d	44%	59% df	52%	54%	57%	48%	57%	63% a
A mobile phone/ smartphone (like an iPhone/ Samsung Galaxy)	1161	1003	140	346	256	258	292	602	550	265	837	340	347	265
	47%	48%	44%	51%	44%	50%	46%	48%	48%	57% b	45%	54%	46%	48%
A games console or games player (like a PlayStation/ Xbox/ Nintendo Switch)	662	586	60	171	134	155	194	305	349	174	463	180	228	129
	27%	28%	19%	25%	23%	30%	31%	24%	30%	37% b	25%	29%	30%	23%
A desktop computer/ laptop/ netbook	596	524	64	208	169	105	113	377	218	136	423	131	184	161
	24%	25%	20%	30% cdf	29% df	20%	18%	30% cdf	19%	29%	23%	21%	24%	29%
Other type of device	24	19	5	10	5	6	4	15	9	5	18	8	1	7
	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
None of these/ Does not watch TV programmes or films	49 2%	48 2%	1 *%	3 *%	7 1%	13 3%	21 3% ae	10 1%	34 3% ae	12 3%	37 2%	13 2%	6 1%	7 1%
Don't know	18 1%	17 1%	1 *%	1 *%	2 *%	6 1%	9 1%	2 *%	15 1%	2 *%	14 1%	1 *%	4 *%	* *%
SUMMARY														
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE	2377 97%	2029 97%	315 99%	681 99% cdf	573 98%	494 96%	605 95%	1254 99% cdf	1099 96%	454 97%	1791 97%	612 98%	745 99%	546 99%
EVER WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON ANY DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	1983 81%	1695 81%	261 82%	587 86% bd	449 77%	436 85%	495 78%	1036 82%	930 81%	404 86%	1485 81%	502 80%	615 82%	468 85%
ONLY WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS ON A DEVICE OTHER THAN A TV SET	264 11%	250 12% b	14 4%	53 8%	51 9%	49 10%	103 16% abe	104 8%	152 13% ae	67 14%	161 9%	103 16% bc	67 9%	29 5%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Paid-for on-demand services like Netflix, Amazon Prime Video or Disney+	1900	234	376	496	536	258	927	973	139	845	826
	78%	72%	77%	76%	82%	79%	76%	80%	70%	77%	83%
				a							a
On other websites or apps like YouTube, Vimeo or Facebook Watch	1343	151	249	398	379	166	678	665	88	608	578
	55%	46%	51%	61%	58%	51%	55%	54%	44%	55%	58%
				ae	a						a
Online or catch-up services like BBC iPlayer, ITV Hub or All 4	1169	138	190	321	337	183	520	649	84	482	540
	48%	42%	39%	49%	52%	56%	43%	53%	42%	44%	54%
				b	ab			a			ab
As they are broadcast on scheduled TV	1152	154	237	330	287	144	551	601	93	540	460
	47%	47%	48%	51%	44%	44%	45%	49%	47%	49%	46%
TV that has been recorded by someone in the household	847	104	153	249	223	118	445	402	55	394	357
	35%	32%	31%	38%	34%	36%	36%	33%	28%	36%	36%
Blu rays/ DVDs/ videos	552	59	132	192	120	50	270	283	34	307	178
	23%	18%	27%	29%	18%	15%	22%	23%	17%	28%	18%
			e	ade						ac	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Rented or bought from online stores like Google Play Store, Sky Store or Apple TV+	372	39	68	126	95	43	184	188	16	189	153
	15%	12%	14%	19%	15%	13%	15%	15%	8%	17%	15%
										a	
None of these	46	5	10	12	14	4	37	9	4	18	12
	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%
							b				
Don't know	11	*	-	2	*	9	6	5	*	2	3
	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%	3%	1%	*%	*%	*%	*%
						abcd					
SUMMARY											
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2387	320	479	638	637	313	1179	1208	194	1085	986
	98%	98%	98%	98%	98%	96%	96%	99%	98%	98%	98%
								a			

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Paid-for on-demand services like Netflix, Amazon Prime Video or Disney+	1900	120	114	181	196	253	242	247	288	126	132	1541	184	97	78
	78%	74%	70%	74%	80%	78%	74%	76%	88%	77%	81%	77%	84%	80%	80%
									abcfgi				a		
On other websites or apps like YouTube, Vimeo or Facebook Watch	1343	77	74	116	133	213	185	187	192	85	81	1108	119	71	45
	55%	47%	45%	47%	54%	65%	57%	57%	59%	52%	50%	55%	55%	59%	47%
						abcj						d		d	
Online or catch-up services like BBC iPlayer, ITV Hub or All 4	1169	77	61	71	119	145	176	145	191	81	102	962	107	61	40
	48%	48%	37%	29%	49%	44%	54%	45%	59%	50%	63%	48%	49%	51%	41%
		c			c	c	bc	c	bc	c	abceg				
As they are broadcast on scheduled TV	1152	79	75	110	126	145	185	147	140	70	74	955	96	56	45
	47%	48%	46%	45%	52%	44%	57%	45%	43%	43%	46%	48%	44%	46%	47%
TV that has been recorded by someone in the household	847	56	48	88	65	119	130	119	104	64	54	706	79	38	24
	35%	34%	30%	36%	27%	36%	40%	36%	32%	39%	33%	35%	36%	31%	25%
												d	d		
Blu rays/ DVDs/ videos	552	33	26	59	73	95	96	59	61	24	26	464	47	27	15
	23%	20%	16%	24%	30%	29%	30%	18%	19%	15%	16%	23%	22%	22%	15%
					bj	bj	bj					d			

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

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Rented or bought from online stores like Google Play Store, Sky Store or Apple TV+	372 15%	26 16%	13 8%	35 14%	33 14%	64 20%	62 19%	38 12%	57 18%	21 13%	22 14%	305 15%	40 18%	16 13%	11 12%
None of these	46 2%	3 2%	3 2%	10 4%	* *%	8 3%	4 1%	14 4%	- -%	1 1%	2 1%	41 2%	2 1%	1 1%	2 2%
Don't know	11 *%	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	* *%	1 *%	* *%	- -%	6 3%	4 2%	8 *%	1 *%	* *%	2 2%
SUMMARY															
WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2387 98%	160 98%	160 98%	235 96%	244 100%	317 97%	321 98%	311 96%	326 100%	156 96%	157 96%	1960 98%	214 99%	120 99%	93 96%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Paid-for on-demand services like Netflix, Amazon Prime Video or Disney+	1900	1614	257	575	473	393	441	1048	834	375	1450	454	629	474
	78%	77%	81%	84%	81%	77%	69%	83%	73%	80%	79%	72%	83%	86%
				df	df			df					a	a
On other websites or apps like YouTube, Vimeo or Facebook Watch	1343	1171	159	414	299	295	319	712	615	249	1036	288	430	355
	55%	56%	50%	60%	51%	58%	50%	56%	54%	53%	56%	46%	57%	64%
				d									a	a
Online or catch-up services like BBC iPlayer, ITV Hub or All 4	1169	967	182	431	327	223	184	758	407	224	898	242	367	348
	48%	46%	57%	63%	56%	43%	29%	60%	35%	48%	49%	39%	49%	63%
			a	cdf	cdf	d		cdf					a	ab
As they are broadcast on scheduled TV	1152	954	175	355	286	244	258	641	502	207	885	270	338	297
	47%	46%	55%	52%	49%	48%	41%	51%	44%	44%	48%	43%	45%	54%
				d				d						a
TV that has been recorded by someone in the household	847	697	124	272	235	164	173	507	337	167	654	175	281	224
	35%	33%	39%	40%	40%	32%	27%	40%	29%	36%	35%	28%	37%	40%
				df	df			df					a	a
Blu rays/ DVDs/ videos	552	461	84	196	131	105	116	328	221	121	416	107	151	177
	23%	22%	26%	29%	23%	20%	18%	26%	19%	26%	23%	17%	20%	32%
				df				df						ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Rented or bought from online stores like Google Play Store, Sky Store or Apple TV+	372	312	59	169	75	54	73	244	128	85	272	69	111	131
	15%	15%	19%	25%	13%	11%	11%	19%	11%	18%	15%	11%	15%	24%
				bcd				cd						ab
None of these	46	45	1	4	6	6	26	10	32	10	24	10	-	4
	2%	2%	*%	1%	1%	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%	-%	1%
							ae		e					
Don't know	11	9	3	1	1	1	7	2	8	1	4	1	-	-
	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%	*%	1%	*%	1%	*%	*%	*%	-%	-%

SUMMARY

WATCH TV PROGRAMMES OR FILMS IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2387	2040	314	680	575	506	601	1255	1108	458	1813	616	755	549
	98%	97%	99%	99%	99%	99%	95%	99%	96%	98%	98%	98%	100%	99%
				df	d			df					a	

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

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QP12. Do you have any of these rules about the TV programmes and films that your child watches? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 watches any type of TV programmes and films

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2390	492	492	489	495	422	1194	1196	338	1014	905
Effective Weighted Sample	1253	257	262	267	271	394	624	629	164	542	495
Total	2387	320	479	638	637	313	1179	1208	194	1085	986
Rules about what they watch	1653	248	377	523	423	82	817	836	149	873	563
	69%	77%	79%	82%	66%	26%	69%	69%	77%	80%	57%
		de	de	de	e				c	c	
Rules about how much time they spend watching	1232	200	286	371	299	76	593	639	122	647	411
	52%	63%	60%	58%	47%	24%	50%	53%	63%	60%	42%
		de	de	de	e				c	c	
Rules about when they watch	1155	168	262	377	290	59	569	586	100	629	378
	48%	52%	55%	59%	46%	19%	48%	49%	51%	58%	38%
		e	e	de	e				c	c	
Rules about who they are watching with/ can only watch when supervised	597	89	172	206	100	29	297	300	50	372	154
	25%	28%	36%	32%	16%	9%	25%	25%	26%	34%	16%
		de	de	de					c	c	
Other rules	32	4	3	15	8	2	18	14	3	11	18
	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
No, do not have any rules	406	28	40	31	131	176	198	208	18	66	283
	17%	9%	8%	5%	21%	56%	17%	17%	9%	6%	29%
				abc	abcd						ab
SUMMARY											
ANY RULES	1980	292	439	606	506	137	981	999	176	1018	703
	83%	91%	92%	95%	79%	44%	83%	83%	91%	94%	71%
		de	de	de	e				c	c	

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

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QP12. Do you have any of these rules about the TV programmes and films that your child watches? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 watches any type of TV programmes and films

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2390	246	246	242	250	247	242	244	251	215	207	1111	432	418	429	
Effective Weighted Sample	1253	128	129	130	132	133	134	133	137	199	195	881	377	335	353	
Total	2387	160	160	235	244	317	321	311	326	156	157	1960	214	120	93	
Rules about what they watch	1653	122	126	178	199	248	276	222	200	47	35	1349	158	83	62	
	69%	76%	79%	76%	82%	78%	86%	71%	61%	30%	22%	69%	74%	69%	67%	
		ij	hij	ij	hij	hij	ghij	ij	ij							
Rules about how much time they spend watching	1232	94	106	128	158	163	208	163	136	46	30	1001	117	64	50	
	52%	59%	66%	54%	65%	51%	65%	52%	42%	29%	19%	51%	55%	54%	54%	
		hij	hij	ij	hij	ij	hij	ij	j							
Rules about when they watch	1155	77	91	123	139	174	203	162	128	34	25	948	108	54	45	
	48%	48%	57%	52%	57%	55%	63%	52%	39%	22%	16%	48%	51%	45%	48%	
		ij	hij	ij	hij	ij	hij	ij	ij							
Rules about who they are watching with/ can only watch when supervised	597	44	44	85	87	103	104	46	54	18	11	488	51	33	25	
	25%	28%	28%	36%	36%	32%	32%	15%	17%	12%	7%	25%	24%	27%	27%	
		ij	ij	ghij	ghij	ghij	ghij		j							
Other rules	32	2	1	3	*	9	6	3	5	1	1	30	*	2	1	
	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	*%	1%	1%	
No, do not have any rules	406	18	10	23	17	25	6	57	74	75	101	343	30	19	14	
	17%	11%	6%	10%	7%	8%	2%	18%	23%	48%	65%	17%	14%	16%	15%	
		f		f				bdf	bcdef	abcdefgh	abcdefghi					
SUMMARY																
ANY RULES	1980	142	150	212	227	292	315	254	252	81	56	1617	184	100	79	
	83%	89%	94%	90%	93%	92%	98%	82%	77%	52%	35%	83%	86%	84%	85%	
		ij	ghij	hij	ghij	hij	acghij	ij	ij	j						

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

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QP12. Do you have any of these rules about the TV programmes and films that your child watches? (MULTI CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 watches any type of TV programmes and films

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2390	2015	344	770	634	456	509	1404	965	450	1843	600	812	553
Effective Weighted Sample	1253	1072	163	408	330	237	282	738	519	234	964	321	393	304
Total	2387	2040	314	680	575	506	601	1255	1108	458	1813	616	755	549
Rules about what they watch	1653 69%	1402 69%	239 76%	472 69%	420 73%	351 69%	399 66%	892 71%	749 68%	296 65%	1292 71%	390 63%	528 70%	392 71%
Rules about how much time they spend watching	1232 52%	1049 51%	172 55%	387 57% df	314 55% d	259 51%	264 44%	701 56% df	523 47%	224 49%	960 53%	268 44%	399 53%	310 56% a
Rules about when they watch	1155 48%	976 48%	172 55%	396 58% bdf	269 47%	257 51% d	227 38%	665 53% df	484 44%	209 46%	906 50%	223 36%	389 52% a	308 56% a
Rules about who they are watching with/ can only watch when supervised	597 25%	503 25%	84 27%	180 26%	130 23%	156 31% d	120 20%	310 25%	276 25%	127 28%	450 25%	147 24%	199 26%	132 24%
Other rules	32 1%	26 1%	6 2%	14 2%	6 1%	3 1%	10 2%	19 2%	13 1%	16 3% b	17 1%	5 1%	9 1%	14 3%
No, do not have any rules	406 17%	346 17%	46 15%	108 16%	94 16%	86 17%	114 19%	202 16%	200 18%	83 18%	301 17%	129 21%	107 14%	101 18%
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES	1980 83%	1694 83%	268 85%	572 84%	482 84%	420 83%	487 81%	1053 84%	908 82%	375 82%	1513 83%	487 79%	647 86%	448 82%

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

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QP13A. To what extent are you concerned about the content of the TV programmes that they watch, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 watches any type of TV programmes and films

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2390	492	492	489	495	422	1194	1196	338	1014	905
Effective Weighted Sample	1253	257	262	267	271	394	624	629	164	542	495
Total	2387	320	479	638	637	313	1179	1208	194	1085	986
Very concerned	377	60	102	109	68	38	198	179	34	201	122
	16%	19%	21%	17%	11%	12%	17%	15%	18%	19%	12%
		d	de							c	
Fairly concerned	722	79	131	230	217	65	352	369	45	351	289
	30%	25%	27%	36%	34%	21%	30%	31%	23%	32%	29%
				ae	e						
Neither/ nor	464	49	100	108	133	75	235	229	26	211	209
	19%	15%	21%	17%	21%	24%	20%	19%	13%	19%	21%
						a					
Not very concerned	583	70	113	155	170	76	292	291	45	251	263
	24%	22%	24%	24%	27%	24%	25%	24%	23%	23%	27%
Not at all concerned	229	58	32	37	47	55	100	129	41	69	99
	10%	18%	7%	6%	7%	18%	9%	11%	21%	6%	10%
		bcd				bcd			bc		
Don't know	11	4	1	-	2	3	1	10	4	2	4
	*%	1%	*%	-%	*%	1%	*%	1%	2%	*%	*%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1099	139	233	338	285	103	550	548	79	552	411
	46%	44%	49%	53%	45%	33%	47%	45%	41%	51%	42%
		e	e	e	e					c	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	812	128	145	192	217	131	392	420	86	320	362
	34%	40%	30%	30%	34%	42%	33%	35%	44%	29%	37%
						bc			b		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	476	53	101	108	135	79	236	239	29	213	213
	20%	17%	21%	17%	21%	25%	20%	20%	15%	20%	22%
						a					

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

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Table 15

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QP13A. To what extent are you concerned about the content of the TV programmes that they watch, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 watches any type of TV programmes and films

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION				
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2390	246	246	242	250	247	242	244	251	215	207	1111	432	418	429	
Effective Weighted Sample	1253	128	129	130	132	133	134	133	137	199	195	881	377	335	353	
Total	2387	160	160	235	244	317	321	311	326	156	157	1960	214	120	93	
Very concerned	377	32	28	54	48	53	56	33	34	26	12	307	27	25	18	
	16%	20%	18%	23%	20%	17%	17%	11%	11%	17%	8%	16%	13%	21%	19%	
		j		ghj	j					j				b		
Fairly concerned	722	34	45	80	51	107	123	99	118	33	31	585	72	34	31	
	30%	21%	28%	34%	21%	34%	38%	32%	36%	21%	20%	30%	34%	28%	33%	
				j		j	adj		adj							
Neither/ nor	464	24	24	42	58	60	47	77	57	32	44	389	38	24	13	
	19%	15%	15%	18%	24%	19%	15%	25%	17%	20%		20%	18%	20%	14%	
											abf					
Not very concerned	583	34	36	49	64	84	71	84	85	41	35	489	50	24	21	
	24%	21%	23%	21%	26%	27%	22%	27%	26%	26%	22%	25%	23%	20%	22%	
Not at all concerned	229	36	22	10	21	13	24	18	30	23	32	180	26	13	10	
	10%	23%	14%	4%	9%	4%	7%	6%	9%	15%	21%	9%	12%	11%	11%	
		cdefgh	e							ceg	cdefgh					
Don't know	11	*	4	-	1	-	-	*	2	1	2	10	1	*	-	
	*%	*%	3%	-%	*%	-%	-%	*%	1%	1%	2%	1%	*%	*%	-%	
SUMMARY																
TOTAL CONCERNED	1099	66	74	134	99	159	179	132	153	59	44	891	99	59	49	
	46%	41%	46%	57%	41%	50%	56%	42%	47%	38%	28%	45%	46%	49%	52%	
			j	dij		j	ij	j	j							
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	812	70	58	59	86	97	95	102	115	64	67	669	76	37	31	
	34%	44%	36%	25%	35%	31%	29%	33%	35%	41%	43%	34%	35%	31%	33%	
		c								c	c					
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	476	25	28	42	59	60	47	77	59	33	46	399	39	24	13	
	20%	15%	18%	18%	24%	19%	15%	25%	18%	21%	29%	20%	18%	20%	14%	
											af					

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

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Table 15

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QP13A. To what extent are you concerned about the content of the TV programmes that they watch, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 watches any type of TV programmes and films

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2390	2015	344	770	634	456	509	1404	965	450	1843	600	812	553
Effective Weighted Sample	1253	1072	163	408	330	237	282	738	519	234	964	321	393	304
Total	2387	2040	314	680	575	506	601	1255	1108	458	1813	616	755	549
Very concerned	377 16%	322 16%	51 16%	120 18% b	59 10%	86 17%	105 18% b	180 14%	191 17% b	91 20%	260 14%	125 20% b	87 11%	83 15%
Fairly concerned	722 30%	621 30%	93 30%	223 33%	169 29%	154 30%	170 28%	393 31%	324 29%	123 27%	564 31%	143 23%	273 36% a	154 28%
Neither/ nor	464 19%	403 20%	53 17%	122 18%	122 21%	95 19%	119 20%	244 19%	215 19%	95 21%	350 19%	142 23%	142 19%	101 18%
Not very concerned	583 24%	495 24%	82 26%	161 24%	167 29% d	131 26%	119 20%	329 26%	249 22%	106 23%	455 25%	132 21%	189 25%	157 29%
Not at all concerned	229 10%	192 9%	32 10%	51 8%	54 9%	41 8%	81 14% a	105 8%	122 11%	42 9%	179 10%	72 12%	63 8%	51 9%
Don't know	11 *% *	8 *% *	3 1% *	2 *% *	2 *% *	- -% *	7 1% *	4 *% *	7 1% *	* *% *	6 *% *	2 *% *	* *% *	4 1% *
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1099 46%	943 46%	144 46%	343 51% b	229 40%	239 47%	276 46%	572 46%	515 46%	214 47%	823 45%	268 43%	360 48%	237 43%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	812 34%	686 34%	114 36%	213 31%	222 39%	172 34%	200 33%	434 35%	371 34%	148 32%	634 35%	204 33%	252 33%	208 38%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	476 20%	411 20%	56 18%	124 18%	125 22%	95 19%	126 21%	248 20%	221 20%	96 21%	356 20%	144 23%	142 19%	105 19%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Rules about the types of websites or apps they can use	1612 67%	181 62%	342 72%	546 84%	443 68%	99 31%	807 67%	805 67%	105 60%	835 77%	591 59%
		e	e	abde	e					ac	
Rules about the video content they watch online	1587 66%	197 67%	363 76%	550 84%	402 62%	75 23%	783 65%	804 67%	111 64%	863 80%	537 54%
		e	de	ade	e					ac	
Rules about who they can contact online	1556 65%	130 44%	281 59%	555 85%	485 74%	105 32%	791 66%	765 64%	66 38%	768 71%	655 65%
		e	ae	abde	abe					a	a
Rules about spending money online	1540 64%	121 41%	280 59%	513 79%	484 74%	142 44%	810 68%	729 61%	64 37%	722 67%	678 68%
			ae	abe	abe					a	a
Rules about the information they can share online	1532 64%	126 43%	269 57%	530 81%	473 73%	134 41%	752 63%	780 65%	66 38%	731 67%	660 66%
			ae	abe	abe					a	a
Rules about how much time they spend online	1359 57%	177 60%	305 64%	441 68%	349 53%	87 27%	696 58%	663 55%	100 58%	710 65%	487 49%
		e	e	de	e					c	
Rules about when they can go online	1170 49%	157 53%	270 57%	412 63%	284 44%	47 15%	601 50%	569 47%	90 52%	654 60%	367 37%
		e	de	de	e				c	c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Other rules	61	16	21	16	5	3	36	26	12	40	8
	3%	6%	4%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	7%	4%	1%
		de	de						c	c	
No, do not have any rules	201	30	24	3	39	105	89	112	20	36	117
	8%	10%	5%	*%	6%	32%	7%	9%	11%	3%	12%
		c	c		c	abcd			b		b
SUMMARY											
ANY RULES	2197	264	452	649	613	220	1108	1089	154	1048	884
	92%	90%	95%	100%	94%	68%	93%	91%	89%	97%	88%
		e	e	abde	e					ac	

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

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Table 16

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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 AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Rules about the types of websites or apps they can use	1612	89	92	158	184	268	278	238	206	55	44	1325	146	77	64
	67%	61%	62%	66%	77%	82%	85%	73%	63%	34%	27%	67%	69%	64%	67%
		ij	ij	ij	abij	abchij	abchij	ij	ij						
Rules about the video content they watch online	1587	93	104	174	188	260	289	212	190	43	32	1312	135	80	61
	66%	64%	70%	73%	79%	80%	89%	65%	58%	27%	20%	67%	63%	66%	63%
		ij	ij	ij	ahij	aghij	abcghij	ij	ij						
Rules about who they can contact online	1556	67	62	148	133	273	282	252	233	50	55	1297	132	69	58
	65%	46%	42%	62%	56%	84%	87%	77%	71%	31%	34%	66%	62%	58%	60%
		i		bij	ij	abcdij	abcdhij	abcdij	abdij			c			
Rules about spending money online	1540	63	57	142	138	263	250	266	218	76	66	1265	145	73	57
	64%	44%	39%	60%	58%	81%	77%	82%	67%	47%	41%	64%	68%	61%	60%
				bj	bj	abcdhij	abcdij	abcdhij	abij						
Rules about the information they can share online	1532	67	59	132	137	254	276	232	240	67	67	1275	130	72	56
	64%	46%	40%	56%	58%	78%	85%	71%	74%	41%	41%	65%	61%	60%	59%
					bij	abcdij	abcdgij	abcij	abcdij						
Rules about how much time they spend online	1359	86	91	146	159	222	219	193	155	48	39	1108	127	67	57
	57%	59%	61%	62%	67%	68%	67%	59%	48%	30%	24%	56%	59%	56%	60%
		ij	ij	ij	hij	hij	hij	ij	ij						
Rules about when they can go online	1170	78	78	131	139	192	221	169	115	31	16	959	105	58	48
	49%	54%	53%	55%	58%	59%	68%	52%	35%	19%	10%	49%	49%	49%	50%
		hij	hij	hij	hij	hij	ghij	hij	ij						

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

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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 AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430	
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356	
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95	
Other rules	61 3%	10 7%	7 5%	12 5%	9 4%	8 2%	8 3%	5 1%	* *%	1 1%	2 1%	50 3%	6 3%	3 2%	3 3%	
No, do not have any rules	201 8%	15 11%	14 10%	12 5%	12 5%	2 1%	1 *%	17 5%	22 7%	42 26%	64 39%	161 8%	19 9%	13 11%	8 8%	
		hi	h						ef	abcdefgh	abcdefghi					
SUMMARY																
ANY RULES	2197 92%	130 89%	134 90%	225 95%	226 95%	323 99%	325 100%	309 95%	304 93%	121 74%	99 61%	1808 92%	194 91%	107 89%	87 92%	
		ij	ij	ij	ij	abhij	abhij	ij	ij	j						

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Rules about the types of websites or apps they can use	1612 67%	1367 67%	225 72%	454 67%	390 69%	350 69%	402 64%	845 68%	753 67%	319 69%	1230 68%	386 63%	524 71%	371 68%
Rules about the video content they watch online	1587 66%	1360 66%	216 69%	439 65%	392 69%	329 65%	412 66%	831 67%	741 66%	296 64%	1218 67%	378 61%	505 68%	355 66%
Rules about who they can contact online	1556 65%	1328 65%	208 66%	449 67%	361 64%	340 67%	388 62%	810 65%	727 64%	327 70%	1167 65%	368 60%	511 69%	360 66%
Rules about spending money online	1540 64%	1316 64%	198 63%	435 65%	380 67%	341 67%	370 59%	815 66%	711 63%	322 69%	1161 64%	368 60%	523 71% a	350 65%
Rules about the information they can share online	1532 64%	1317 64%	196 62%	453 67%	352 62%	325 64%	381 61%	806 65%	706 62%	306 66%	1155 64%	371 60%	498 67%	362 67%
Rules about how much time they spend online	1359 57%	1154 56%	191 61%	417 62% df	333 59%	284 56%	313 50%	749 60% df	598 53%	260 56%	1043 58%	318 52%	417 56%	328 60%
Rules about when they can go online	1170 49%	966 47%	190 61% a	385 57% df	275 49%	237 47%	266 43%	660 53% df	504 45%	228 49%	897 50%	266 43%	361 49%	294 54% a

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Other rules	61 3%	48 2%	13 4%	20 3%	16 3%	7 1%	18 3%	36 3%	25 2%	7 2%	53 3%	14 2%	17 2%	14 3%
No, do not have any rules	201 8%	169 8%	30 9%	46 7%	42 7%	44 9%	64 10%	88 7%	107 9%	34 7%	150 8%	56 9%	52 7%	48 9%
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES	2197 92%	1883 92%	284 91%	628 93%	524 93%	463 91%	560 90%	1152 93%	1023 91%	432 93%	1655 92%	560 91%	689 93%	494 91%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Asking about what they are doing or have been doing online	1431	106	279	493	433	120	694	737	52	709	600
	60%	36%	59%	76%	66%	37%	58%	61%	30%	65%	60%
			ae	abe	ae					a	a
Being nearby and regularly checking what they do	1282	171	354	453	256	48	674	608	97	778	347
	53%	58%	74%	69%	39%	15%	56%	51%	56%	72%	35%
		de	ade	ade	e				c	ac	
Check the browser/ device history after they have been online	812	56	145	322	228	62	415	397	24	413	322
	34%	19%	30%	49%	35%	19%	35%	33%	14%	38%	32%
			ae	abde	ae					a	a
Sitting beside them and watching or helping them while they are online	647	193	214	168	54	18	326	321	113	411	93
	27%	66%	45%	26%	8%	6%	27%	27%	65%	38%	9%
		bcde	cde	de					bc	c	
Other types of supervision	208	20	41	67	58	22	106	102	12	87	95
	9%	7%	9%	10%	9%	7%	9%	8%	7%	8%	9%
No, don't supervise their online access and use	305	15	11	25	101	154	138	167	12	32	228
	13%	5%	2%	4%	16%	47%	12%	14%	7%	3%	23%
				abc	abcd						ab

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
SUMMARY											
ANY TYPES OF SUPERVISION	2093	279	465	627	551	172	1059	1035	162	1052	772
	87%	95%	98%	96%	84%	53%	88%	86%	93%	97%	77%
		de	de	de	e				c	c	

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

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Table 17

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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 AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430	
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356	
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95	
Asking about what they are doing or have been doing online	1431	60	46	134	145	238	255	205	229	58	62	1178	129	68	55	
	60%	42%	31%	56%	61%	73%	78%	63%	70%	36%	38%	60%	61%	57%	58%	
				bij	abij	abcij	abcdgij	abij	abij							
Being nearby and regularly checking what they do	1282	89	82	182	172	234	219	144	113	26	22	1058	116	58	49	
	53%	61%	55%	76%	72%	72%	67%	44%	35%	16%	14%	54%	54%	49%	52%	
		ghij	hij	bghij	bghij	bghij	ghij	ij	ij							
Check the browser/ device history after they have been online	812	30	25	69	76	161	161	116	112	39	22	660	74	45	33	
	34%	21%	17%	29%	32%	49%	50%	36%	34%	24%	14%	33%	35%	38%	35%	
				j	bj	abcdij	abcdij	abj	bj	j						
Sitting beside them and watching or helping them while they are online	647	94	98	93	120	95	72	31	23	12	7	532	59	33	23	
	27%	65%	66%	39%	51%	29%	22%	9%	7%	7%	4%	27%	28%	27%	24%	
		cefg hij	cefg hij	fg hij	efg hij	ghij	ghij									
Other types of supervision	208	9	11	13	28	38	29	35	23	11	11	177	13	8	10	
	9%	6%	8%	6%	12%	12%	9%	11%	7%	7%	7%	9%	6%	7%	10%	
No, don't supervise their online access and use	305	6	9	4	7	16	9	42	59	70	83	247	30	18	10	
	13%	4%	6%	2%	3%	5%	3%	13%	18%	43%	51%	13%	14%	15%	10%	
								cdf	abcdef	abcdefg h	abcdefg h					

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

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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 AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
SUMMARY															
ANY TYPES OF SUPERVISION	2093	140	139	234	231	310	317	284	267	92	80	1723	183	102	85
	87%	96%	94%	98%	97%	95%	97%	87%	82%	57%	49%	87%	86%	85%	90%
		hij	hij	ghij	ghij	hij	ghij	ij	ij						

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

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Table 17

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Asking about what they are doing or have been doing online	1431 60%	1238 60%	185 59%	412 61%	364 64%	300 59%	342 55%	775 63%	643 57%	283 61%	1088 60%	347 56%	460 62%	324 60%
Being nearby and regularly checking what they do	1282 53%	1088 53%	181 57%	334 50%	323 57%	282 56%	328 53%	657 53%	610 54%	268 58%	966 54%	315 51%	417 56%	270 50%
Check the browser/ device history after they have been online	812 34%	710 35%	92 29%	235 35%	193 34%	159 31%	220 35%	428 35%	379 34%	205 44% b	580 32%	187 30%	259 35%	174 32%
Sitting beside them and watching or helping them while they are online	647 27%	545 27%	96 30%	182 27%	136 24%	126 25%	196 31%	318 26%	322 28%	141 30%	479 27%	191 31% c	214 29%	112 21%
Other types of supervision	208 9%	163 8%	41 13%	68 10%	55 10%	32 6%	51 8%	123 10%	83 7%	41 9%	160 9%	41 7%	59 8%	63 12%
No, don't supervise their online access and use	305 13%	261 13%	37 12%	80 12%	58 10%	64 13%	99 16%	139 11%	162 14%	57 12%	223 12%	80 13%	78 10%	80 15%

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
SUMMARY														
ANY TYPES OF SUPERVISION	2093	1791	277	594	508	443	525	1101	968	409	1582	535	664	462
	87%	87%	88%	88%	90%	87%	84%	89%	86%	88%	88%	87%	90%	85%

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

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Yes	2062	123	372	624	640	303	1029	1033	60	899	980
	86%	42%	78%	96%	98%	93%	86%	86%	34%	83%	98%
			a	ab	abe	ab				a	ab
No	305	164	100	20	9	12	152	152	110	170	17
	13%	56%	21%	3%	1%	4%	13%	13%	63%	16%	2%
		bcde	cde						bc	c	
Don't know	31	7	4	8	3	10	16	16	4	15	4
	1%	2%	1%	1%	*%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	*%

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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 AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Yes	2062	61	62	188	184	313	311	318	322	149	154	1693	181	107	81
	86%	42%	42%	79%	77%	96%	95%	98%	99%	92%	95%	86%	85%	89%	85%
				ab	ab	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcdi	abcd	abcd				
No	305	79	85	47	53	13	7	5	4	9	3	248	30	12	15
	13%	54%	57%	20%	22%	4%	2%	2%	1%	5%	2%	13%	14%	10%	15%
		cdefghij	cdefghij	efghij	efghij										
Don't know	31	6	1	3	1	*	8	3	-	4	5	29	2	1	-
	1%	4%	1%	1%	*%	*%	2%	1%	-%	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%	-%

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Yes	2062	1772	259	588	472	448	527	1061	975	425	1530	538	633	463
	86%	86%	82%	87%	83%	88%	85%	86%	86%	91%	85%	87%	85%	85%
No	305	251	53	82	84	58	79	166	138	34	257	63	106	78
	13%	12%	17%	12%	15%	11%	13%	13%	12%	7%	14%	10%	14%	14%
											a			
Don't know	31	29	2	3	10	1	17	13	18	7	19	15	3	2
	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	*%	*%

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1958	200	376	478	493	411	975	983	121	816	896
Effective Weighted Sample	1039	100	198	261	271	383	520	518	58	432	488
Total	2062	123	372	624	640	303	1029	1033	60	899	980
At least every few weeks	1036	73	193	364	309	97	542	493	40	492	432
	50%	59%	52%	58%	48%	32%	53%	48%	66%	55%	44%
		e	e	e	e				c	c	
At least every few months	558	22	98	169	202	67	261	297	10	232	290
	27%	18%	26%	27%	32%	22%	25%	29%	17%	26%	30%
					ae						
Less often than every few months, but more than once	345	18	55	86	99	86	156	189	6	139	188
	17%	15%	15%	14%	16%	28%	15%	18%	11%	15%	19%
						abcd					
Have talked to them once, and not since then	99	6	17	5	22	50	57	43	3	25	60
	5%	5%	5%	1%	3%	16%	5%	4%	5%	3%	6%
			c			abcd					
Don't know	24	4	8	-	7	4	14	10	1	12	10
	1%	4%	2%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
		c									

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	1958	90	110	194	182	240	238	245	248	206	205	926	341	348	343
Effective Weighted Sample	1039	46	55	104	95	131	130	135	136	191	193	730	307	285	290
Total	2062	61	62	188	184	313	311	318	322	149	154	1693	181	107	81
At least every few weeks	1036	36	37	100	93	191	173	157	153	60	37	843	91	60	41
	50%	58%	60%	53%	51%	61%	56%	49%	47%	40%	24%	50%	50%	56%	51%
		j	j	j	j	ij	ij	j	j	j					
At least every few months	558	12	10	44	55	87	82	90	112	29	38	459	55	25	19
	27%	19%	16%	23%	30%	28%	26%	28%	35%	19%	25%	27%	30%	23%	24%
									i						
Less often than every few months, but more than once	345	11	8	24	31	34	52	50	49	37	49	284	29	18	14
	17%	17%	12%	13%	17%	11%	17%	16%	15%	25%	32%	17%	16%	17%	17%
									e		bcdefgh				
Have talked to them once, and not since then	99	3	3	13	4	1	3	17	4	22	28	85	5	4	6
	5%	4%	5%	7%	2%	*%	1%	5%	1%	15%	18%	5%	3%	4%	7%
				e						defgh	cdefgh				b
Don't know	24	*	4	8	*	-	-	4	4	2	2	22	1	*	1
	1%	1%	6%	4%	*%	-%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%
			ef												

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1958	1661	267	624	495	389	431	1119	820	411	1462	510	644	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1039	892	129	342	258	203	237	600	440	214	778	274	312	245
Total	2062	1772	259	588	472	448	527	1061	975	425	1530	538	633	463
At least every few weeks	1036	920	94	281	198	253	294	478	547	249	743	300	320	197
	50%	52%	37%	48%	42%	57%	56%	45%	56%	59%	49%	56%	51%	43%
		b				be	be		be	b		c		
At least every few months	558	478	75	165	151	98	137	316	235	81	450	130	176	153
	27%	27%	29%	28%	32%	22%	26%	30%	24%	19%	29%	24%	28%	33%
											a			
Less often than every few months, but more than once	345	268	72	114	100	68	58	215	126	67	251	77	101	91
	17%	15%	28%	19%	21%	15%	11%	20%	13%	16%	16%	14%	16%	20%
			a	d	df			df						
Have talked to them once, and not since then	99	83	16	26	23	28	22	49	50	26	69	23	33	20
	5%	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	4%	5%	5%	6%	5%	4%	5%	4%
Don't know	24	23	2	3	1	*	16	4	16	1	16	8	3	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	*%	3%	*%	2%	*%	1%	1%	*%	*%
							be							

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
At least every few weeks	1036	73	193	364	309	97	542	493	40	492	432
	43%	25%	41%	56%	47%	30%	45%	41%	23%	45%	43%
			ae	abe	ae					a	a
At least every few months	558	22	98	169	202	67	261	297	10	232	290
	23%	8%	21%	26%	31%	21%	22%	25%	6%	21%	29%
			a	a	abe	a				a	ab
Less often than every few months, but more than once	345	18	55	86	99	86	156	189	6	139	188
	14%	6%	12%	13%	15%	26%	13%	16%	4%	13%	19%
				a	a	abcd				a	ab
Have talked to them once, and not since then	99	6	17	5	22	50	57	43	3	25	60
	4%	2%	4%	1%	3%	15%	5%	4%	2%	2%	6%
						abcd					b
Don't know	24	4	8	-	7	4	14	10	1	12	10
	1%	1%	2%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%
HAVE NOT TALKED TO THEIR CHILD ABOUT HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE	336	171	104	28	12	22	168	168	114	185	21
	14%	58%	22%	4%	2%	7%	14%	14%	66%	17%	2%
		bcde	cde			d			bc	c	

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
At least every few weeks	1036 43%	36 24%	37 25%	100 42% abj	93 39% j	191 59% abcdij	173 53% abij	157 48% abj	153 47% abj	60 37% j	37 23%	843 43%	91 43%	60 50%	41 43%
At least every few months	558 23%	12 8%	10 7%	44 18% b	55 23% ab	87 27% ab	82 25% ab	90 28% ab	112 34% abci	29 18% b	38 24% ab	459 23%	55 26%	25 21%	19 20%
Less often than every few months, but more than once	345 14%	11 7%	8 5%	24 10%	31 13%	34 11%	52 16% b	50 15% b	49 15% b	37 23% abce	49 30% abcdefgh	284 14%	29 14%	18 15%	14 15%
Have talked to them once, and not since then	99 4%	3 2%	3 2%	13 6%	4 2%	1 *% -	3 1% -	17 5%	4 1%	22 14% abdefh	28 17% abcdefgh	85 4%	5 2%	4 4%	6 6% b
Don't know	24 1%	* *% -	4 3%	8 3%	* *% -	- -% -	- -% -	4 1%	4 1%	2 1% h	2 1%	22 1%	1 1%	* *% -	1 1%
HAVE NOT TALKED TO THEIR CHILD ABOUT HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE	336 14%	84 58% cdefghij	86 58% cdefghij	49 21% efghij	54 23% efghij	13 4%	15 5%	8 2%	4 1%	13 8% h	9 5%	277 14%	32 15%	13 11%	15 15%

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

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Table 20

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
At least every few weeks	1036 43%	920 45%	94 30%	281 42%	198 35%	253 50%	294 47%	478 39%	547 48%	249 53%	743 41%	300 49%	320 43%	197 36%
		b				be	b		be	b		c		
At least every few months	558 23%	478 23%	75 24%	165 24%	151 27%	98 19%	137 22%	316 25%	235 21%	81 17%	450 25%	130 21%	176 24%	153 28%
Less often than every few months, but more than once	345 14%	268 13%	72 23%	114 17%	100 18%	68 13%	58 9%	215 17%	126 11%	67 14%	251 14%	77 13%	101 14%	91 17%
			a	d	df			df						
Have talked to them once, and not since then	99 4%	83 4%	16 5%	26 4%	23 4%	28 5%	22 4%	49 4%	50 4%	26 6%	69 4%	23 4%	33 4%	20 4%
Don't know	24 1%	23 1%	2 *%	3 *%	1 *%	* *%	16 3%	4 *%	16 1%	1 *%	16 1%	8 1%	3 *%	1 *%
							be							
HAVE NOT TALKED TO THEIR CHILD ABOUT HOW TO STAY SAFE ONLINE	336 14%	280 14%	56 18%	86 13%	94 17%	59 12%	97 15%	179 14%	156 14%	41 9%	275 15%	78 13%	109 15%	80 15%

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

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	1533 63%	218 67% e	293 60%	431 66%	405 62%	185 57%	788 65%	745 61%	126 63%	700 63%	620 62%
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	1486 61%	189 58% e	296 61% e	443 68% e	403 62% e	155 48%	747 61%	739 60%	116 58%	692 63%	596 60%
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)	1484 61%	195 60%	280 57%	415 64%	407 62%	186 57%	756 62%	728 60%	110 56%	672 61%	626 62%

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

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Family Safety Mode	1243	166	235	391	331	120	613	629	100	576	493
	51%	51%	48%	60%	51%	37%	50%	51%	50%	52%	49%
		e	e	be	e						
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	1233	164	259	389	314	106	609	624	91	624	457
	50%	50%	53%	60%	48%	33%	50%	51%	46%	56%	46%
		e	e	de	e					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	1198	154	233	358	355	99	583	616	88	565	475
	49%	47%	48%	55%	54%	30%	48%	50%	44%	51%	47%
		e	e	e	e						
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	911	118	172	261	271	90	444	467	59	418	381
	37%	36%	35%	40%	42%	28%	36%	38%	30%	38%	38%
				e	e						

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

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
None of these	158	14	36	23	44	41	76	82	9	63	78
	6%	4%	7%	3%	7%	13%	6%	7%	5%	6%	8%
					ac						
Don't know	61	11	13	2	15	20	33	28	7	16	27
	2%	3%	3%	*%	2%	6%	3%	2%	3%	1%	3%
		c			c						
SUMMARY											
AWARE OF ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	2226	301	440	627	592	265	1113	1113	183	1026	896
	91%	93%	90%	96%	91%	81%	91%	91%	92%	93%	89%
		e	e	be	e						

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

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	1533	109	109	147	146	231	200	217	188	83	102	1257	140	77	59
	63%	67%	67%	60%	60%	71%	61%	67%	58%	51%	62%	63%	64%	64%	61%
		i	i			i		i							
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	1486	98	91	141	155	216	227	216	187	76	79	1235	128	69	54
	61%	60%	56%	58%	63%	66%	70%	66%	57%	47%	49%	61%	59%	57%	56%
					ij	ij	ij	ij							
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)	1484	104	91	137	143	221	195	201	206	93	93	1233	128	67	56
	61%	64%	56%	56%	59%	68%	60%	62%	63%	57%	57%	61%	59%	55%	58%

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

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Family Safety Mode	1243 51%	78 48%	88 54%	111 45%	124 51%	190 58%	201 62%	174 53%	157 48%	61 37%	59 36%	1022 51%	114 52%	62 52%	45 47%
			ij		j	ij	cij	ij							
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	1233 50%	83 51%	82 50%	121 50%	138 56%	187 57%	202 62%	165 51%	149 46%	53 33%	53 33%	1036 52%	102 47%	53 44%	43 45%
			ij	ij	ij	ij	hij	ij							
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	1198 49%	82 51%	71 44%	104 43%	129 53%	162 50%	196 60%	188 58%	167 51%	46 28%	53 32%	1002 50%	100 46%	54 45%	42 44%
			ij	i	i	ij	bcij	ij	ij						
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	911 37%	58 35%	60 37%	84 34%	88 36%	119 36%	142 44%	138 42%	133 41%	46 28%	44 27%	763 38%	75 34%	42 35%	32 33%
							ij	ij							

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

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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 AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
None of these	158	4	10	18	18	17	6	19	25	19	23	132	11	8	7
	6%	2%	6%	7%	7%	5%	2%	6%	8%	11%	14%	7%	5%	7%	7%
										af	aef				
Don't know	61	3	8	6	7	1	1	10	5	13	6	48	7	3	2
	2%	2%	5%	2%	3%	*%	*%	3%	1%	8%	4%	2%	3%	2%	2%
										aefh					

SUMMARY

AWARE OF ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	2226	157	145	221	219	308	319	296	296	131	134	1828	200	110	88
	91%	96%	89%	90%	90%	95%	98%	91%	91%	80%	82%	91%	92%	91%	91%
		ij				ij	bcdij	i	i						

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	1533 63%	1310 63%	201 63%	458 67%	365 63%	327 64%	369 58%	823 65%	696 61%	310 66%	1156 63%	393 63%	480 64%	379 68%
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	1486 61%	1280 61%	188 59%	458 67% df	369 63%	301 59%	351 55%	827 65% df	652 57%	289 62%	1130 61%	334 53%	478 63% a	387 70% a
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)	1484 61%	1253 60%	214 67%	502 73% bcdf	350 60%	291 57%	327 51%	853 67% cdf	618 54%	285 61%	1115 61%	348 56%	455 60%	390 71% ab

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Family Safety Mode	1243 51%	1053 50%	182 57%	410 60% bdf	275 47%	260 51%	288 45%	685 54%	548 48%	236 50%	956 52%	282 45%	385 51%	326 59% a
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	1233 50%	1049 50%	173 54%	396 58% cdf	327 56% df	242 47%	252 40%	723 57% cdf	494 43%	245 52%	930 51%	242 39%	391 52% a	345 62% ab
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	1198 49%	1029 49%	162 51%	382 56% df	309 53% df	235 46%	259 41%	691 55% df	495 43%	224 48%	916 50%	227 36%	392 52% a	339 61% a
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	911 37%	777 37%	128 40%	296 43% df	226 39%	172 33%	212 33%	522 41% f	383 33%	160 34%	710 39%	199 32%	303 40%	234 42% a

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
None of these	158 6%	129 6%	26 8%	29 4%	24 4%	25 5%	77 12%	53 4%	102 9%	25 5%	119 6%	52 8%	46 6%	19 3%
Don't know	61 2%	54 3%	5 2%	4 1%	11 2%	13 2%	27 4%	15 1%	39 3%	8 2%	41 2%	15 2%	9 1%	4 1%
SUMMARY														
AWARE OF ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	2226 91%	1911 91%	286 90%	651 95% df	547 94% df	475 93% d	532 84%	1199 95% df	1007 88%	435 93%	1682 91%	560 89%	700 93%	530 96% a

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	754	101	176	241	190	47	381	374	58	400	248
	31%	31%	36%	37%	29%	14%	31%	31%	29%	36%	25%
		e	e	e	e					c	
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)	669	82	131	164	212	81	354	315	42	286	309
	27%	25%	27%	25%	33%	25%	29%	26%	21%	26%	31%
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	624	96	153	216	131	29	288	336	50	360	184
	26%	29%	31%	33%	20%	9%	24%	27%	25%	33%	18%
		e	de	de	e					c	

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Family Safety Mode	592	94	123	203	144	28	272	320	50	308	192
	24%	29%	25%	31%	22%	9%	22%	26%	25%	28%	19%
		e	e	e	e					c	
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	524	77	106	157	129	55	285	239	39	263	195
	21%	24%	22%	24%	20%	17%	23%	20%	20%	24%	19%
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	497	82	106	171	118	22	235	262	46	273	147
	20%	25%	22%	26%	18%	7%	19%	21%	23%	25%	15%
		e	e	e	e					c	
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	288	42	53	90	86	17	124	164	22	133	113
	12%	13%	11%	14%	13%	5%	10%	13%	11%	12%	11%
		e	e	e	e						

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
None of these	630	66	104	115	190	156	307	323	45	224	327
	26%	20%	21%	18%	29%	48%	25%	26%	23%	20%	33%
				c		abcd					b
Don't know	100	19	19	19	17	26	58	42	14	33	36
	4%	6%	4%	3%	3%	8%	5%	3%	7%	3%	4%
						cd					
SUMMARY											
USE ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	1715	241	366	518	445	144	857	858	139	847	638
	70%	74%	75%	80%	68%	44%	70%	70%	70%	77%	64%
		e	e	de	e					c	

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	754 31%	47 29%	53 33%	89 37%	87 36%	113 35%	127 39%	107 33%	83 25%	23 14%	23 14%	626 31%	64 29%	35 29%	29 30%
		ij	ij	ij	ij	ij	ij	ij							
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)	669 27%	39 24%	43 26%	68 28%	63 26%	88 27%	76 23%	110 34%	102 31%	49 30%	32 20%	548 27%	62 28%	31 26%	28 29%
								j							
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	624 26%	45 28%	51 31%	76 31%	77 31%	96 29%	120 37%	61 19%	70 21%	10 6%	19 11%	520 26%	55 25%	23 19%	25 25%
		ij	ij	ij	ij	ij	ghij	i	i						

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Family Safety Mode	592 24%	41 25% ij	53 33% ij	54 22% ij	69 28% ij	89 27% ij	114 35% ij	76 23% ij	68 21% ij	13 8%	16 10%	490 24%	54 25%	25 21%	22 23%
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	524 21%	38 24%	38 24%	63 26%	43 18%	80 25%	77 24%	79 24%	49 15%	24 14%	32 19%	415 21%	57 26%	28 23%	24 25%
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	497 20%	40 25% ij	42 26% ij	40 16% i	66 27% hij	74 23% ij	96 30% chij	72 22% ij	46 14%	9 6%	12 8%	410 20%	46 21%	22 18%	19 20%
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	288 12%	16 10%	26 16% ij	21 9%	32 13% j	39 12%	51 16% ij	37 11%	48 15% ij	9 6%	8 5%	237 12%	27 13%	13 10%	11 12%

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
None of these	630	32	33	42	62	73	41	88	102	71	84	515	57	35	24
	26%	20%	20%	17%	25%	22%	13%	27%	31%	44%	52%	26%	26%	29%	25%
					f			f	cf	abcdefg	abcdefgh				
Don't know	100	11	9	9	10	10	8	12	6	17	9	81	10	4	4
	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%	3%	2%	4%	2%	10%	5%	4%	5%	4%	4%
										efh					

SUMMARY

USE ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS

1715	120	121	193	173	242	276	227	218	75	70	1414	151	82	69
70%	74%	74%	79%	71%	74%	85%	70%	67%	46%	43%	70%	69%	67%	71%
	ij	ij	ij	ij	ij	dghij	ij	ij						

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Parental controls built into the device by the manufacturer – e.g. Windows, Apple, Xbox, PlayStation etc.	754 31%	648 31%	97 30%	231 34%	164 28%	163 32%	195 31%	395 31%	358 31%	142 30%	588 32%	167 27%	216 29%	196 35%
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)	669 27%	575 27%	93 29%	261 38% bcdf	152 26%	100 20%	153 24%	412 33% cdf	253 22%	127 27%	498 27%	184 29%	171 23%	191 35% b
Change the settings on your child's phone or tablet to stop apps being downloaded or stop in-app purchases	624 26%	528 25%	92 29%	224 33% cdf	167 29% df	108 21%	121 19%	391 31% cdf	229 20%	126 27%	474 26%	118 19%	181 24%	197 36% ab

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		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Restrict access to inappropriate online content - through things like Google SafeSearch, YouTube Restricted mode or TikTok Family Safety Mode	592 24%	507 24%	81 26%	191 28%	133 23%	123 24%	141 22%	324 26%	264 23%	105 22%	470 26%	138 22%	193 26%	148 27%
Parental control software set up on a particular device used to go online (e.g. Net Nanny, McAfee Family Protection, Open DNS FamilyShield).	524 21%	443 21%	70 22%	173 25% b	100 17%	121 24%	123 19%	274 22%	244 21%	122 26%	370 20%	145 23%	167 22%	124 22%
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	497 20%	423 20%	71 22%	158 23%	130 22%	89 17%	115 18%	288 23%	204 18%	100 21%	382 21%	86 14%	160 21% a	136 25% a

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		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Apps that can be installed on a child's phone to monitor which apps they use and for how long	288 12%	246 12%	41 13%	94 14%	69 12%	49 10%	73 12%	163 13%	122 11%	56 12%	220 12%	63 10%	81 11%	81 15%
None of these	630 26%	529 25%	89 28%	154 23%	143 25%	151 29%	174 27%	297 23%	325 28%	124 26%	469 25%	154 25%	215 28%	139 25%
Don't know	100 4%	88 4%	10 3%	11 2%	16 3%	18 3%	49 8%	26 2%	67 6%	9 2%	74 4%	31 5%	20 3%	6 1%
							abe		ae			c		
SUMMARY														
USE ANY OF THESE TECHNICAL TOOLS OR CONTROLS	1715 70%	1477 71%	219 69%	519 76% df	423 73%	345 67%	412 65%	943 74% df	757 66%	335 72%	1298 71%	441 70%	520 69%	408 74%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1460	309	278	302	312	259	746	714	205	610	563
Effective Weighted Sample	773	161	152	172	175	239	392	381	98	335	312
Total	1484	195	280	415	407	186	756	728	110	672	626
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	623	21	70	180	249	103	317	306	10	216	365
	42%	11%	25%	43%	61%	56%	42%	42%	9%	32%	58%
			a	ab	abc	ab				a	ab
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	586	56	128	200	151	51	292	293	29	296	227
	39%	29%	46%	48%	37%	27%	39%	40%	26%	44%	36%
			ae	ae						a	
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	269	13	56	93	70	37	133	136	7	137	113
	18%	6%	20%	22%	17%	20%	18%	19%	6%	20%	18%
			a	a	a	a				a	a
Content filters are complicated to use	265	33	50	90	60	32	135	130	17	135	99
	18%	17%	18%	22%	15%	17%	18%	18%	15%	20%	16%
Content filters don't block enough	244	26	51	75	61	31	121	123	10	135	90
	16%	13%	18%	18%	15%	17%	16%	17%	9%	20%	14%
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	230	115	84	23	4	4	119	111	62	151	11
	15%	59%	30%	6%	1%	2%	16%	15%	56%	22%	2%
		bcde	cde						bc	c	

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		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1460	309	278	302	312	259	746	714	205	610	563
Effective Weighted Sample	773	161	152	172	175	239	392	381	98	335	312
Total	1484	195	280	415	407	186	756	728	110	672	626
My child can find a way around content filters	163	9	21	39	50	45	95	68	2	59	94
	11%	4%	7%	10%	12%	24%	13%	9%	2%	9%	15%
						abcd					a
None of these apply	143	16	26	40	41	20	77	66	13	55	64
	10%	8%	9%	10%	10%	11%	10%	9%	12%	8%	10%
Don't know	41	5	15	7	12	2	18	23	2	23	13
	3%	3%	5%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%

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		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	1460	158	151	134	144	164	138	157	155	133	126	697	257	237	269
Effective Weighted Sample	773	85	76	72	79	91	82	88	87	121	118	556	223	184	222
Total	1484	104	91	137	143	221	195	201	206	93	93	1233	128	67	56
I can trust my child to be sensible/responsible	623 42%	15 15%	6 6%	33 24%	37 26%	110 50%	70 36%	113 56%	136 66%	46 50%	57 62%	520 42%	53 41%	31 47%	19 33%
				b	b	abcd	ab	abcdf	abcdf	abcd	abcdf			d	
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	586 39%	35 34%	21 23%	63 46%	65 45%	109 49%	92 47%	57 28%	94 45%	29 31%	22 24%	499 40%	47 36%	24 36%	16 29%
				bj	bj	bgij	bj		bj			d			
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	269 18%	8 8%	4 5%	25 18%	32 22%	50 23%	42 22%	32 16%	39 19%	17 19%	19 20%	229 19%	22 18%	9 13%	8 14%
				b	b	ab	b		b	b	b				
Content filters are complicated to use	265 18%	18 17%	15 17%	27 20%	23 16%	45 21%	44 23%	27 13%	34 16%	18 20%	14 15%	220 18%	26 20%	9 14%	10 18%
Content filters don't block enough	244 16%	12 12%	14 16%	23 17%	28 19%	36 16%	40 20%	34 17%	27 13%	16 17%	15 16%	201 16%	23 18%	12 17%	9 15%
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	230 15%	58 56%	57 62%	40 29%	44 31%	15 7%	8 4%	3 2%	1 1%	2 2%	1 2%	191 16%	18 14%	11 17%	9 16%
		cdefghij	cdefghij	efghij	efghij										

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		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	1460	158	151	134	144	164	138	157	155	133	126	697	257	237	269
Effective Weighted Sample	773	85	76	72	79	91	82	88	87	121	118	556	223	184	222
Total	1484	104	91	137	143	221	195	201	206	93	93	1233	128	67	56
My child can find a way around content filters	163	6	3	15	6	20	19	28	22	26	19	132	14	9	8
	11%	6%	3%	11%	4%	9%	10%	14%	10%	28%	20%	11%	11%	14%	15%
										abcdeh	abd				
None of these apply	143	7	10	12	14	24	16	26	15	9	11	115	13	7	8
	10%	6%	11%	8%	10%	11%	8%	13%	7%	10%	11%	9%	10%	10%	14%
Don't know	41	3	2	7	8	1	6	5	7	2	-	32	5	1	3
	3%	3%	2%	5%	5%	*%	3%	2%	4%	2%	-%	3%	4%	2%	6%

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1460	1239	211	554	381	251	264	935	515	292	1109	326	481	392
Effective Weighted Sample	773	664	105	296	201	135	147	497	282	152	588	177	232	222
Total	1484	1253	214	502	350	291	327	853	618	285	1115	348	455	390
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	623 42%	539 43%	76 36%	190 38%	154 44%	141 48%	129 39%	344 40%	270 44%	131 46%	461 41%	144 41%	176 39%	171 44%
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	586 39%	494 39%	88 41%	177 35%	128 37%	136 47%	139 43%	305 36%	276 45%	119 42%	429 38%	147 42%	191 42%	119 30%
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	269 18%	216 17%	52 24%	121 24% cdf	68 20%	36 12%	40 12%	189 22% df	77 12%	53 19%	209 19%	44 13%	79 17%	97 25% a
Content filters are complicated to use	265 18%	214 17%	51 24%	115 23% df	68 19%	48 16%	35 11%	183 21% df	82 13%	60 21%	192 17%	56 16%	87 19%	80 20%
Content filters don't block enough	244 16%	212 17%	27 13%	87 17%	56 16%	49 17%	49 15%	142 17%	99 16%	71 25% b	163 15%	56 16%	80 18%	61 16%
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	230 15%	188 15%	38 18%	61 12%	68 19%	30 10%	68 21%	129 15%	99 16%	31 11%	189 17%	54 15%	79 17%	69 18%

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Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1460	1239	211	554	381	251	264	935	515	292	1109	326	481	392
Effective Weighted Sample	773	664	105	296	201	135	147	497	282	152	588	177	232	222
Total	1484	1253	214	502	350	291	327	853	618	285	1115	348	455	390
My child can find a way around content filters	163 11%	149 12%	14 7%	84 17% bf	25 7%	27 9%	27 8%	109 13%	54 9%	46 16%	100 9%	43 12%	57 13%	43 11%
None of these apply	143 10%	118 9%	22 10%	54 11%	30 9%	20 7%	37 11%	84 10%	57 9%	17 6%	114 10%	30 9%	45 10%	42 11%
Don't know	41 3%	36 3%	6 3%	16 3%	13 4%	2 1%	10 3%	30 3%	12 2%	5 2%	28 3%	7 2%	8 2%	11 3%

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	Total	CONTENT FILTERS FROM ISP	
		USE	AWARE DON'T USE
Significance Level: 99%		a	b
Unweighted total	1460	697	763
Effective Weighted Sample	773	360	414
Total	1484	669	814
I can trust my child to be sensible/ responsible	623 42%	253 38%	370 45%
I prefer to supervise my child's online use by talking to them and setting rules	586 39%	224 33%	362 44% a
Content filters block too much/ get in the way	269 18%	122 18%	146 18%
Content filters are complicated to use	265 18%	130 19%	135 17%
Content filters don't block enough	244 16%	151 23% b	93 11%
My child is too young/ don't need to worry about this yet	230 15%	71 11%	159 20% a

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	Total	CONTENT FILTERS FROM ISP	
		USE	DON'T USE
Significance Level: 99%		a	b
Unweighted total	1460	697	763
Effective Weighted Sample	773	360	414
Total	1484	669	814
My child can find a way around content filters	163	104	59
	11%	16%	7%
		b	
None of these apply	143	90	53
	10%	13%	7%
		b	
Don't know	41	24	17
	3%	4%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Strongly disagree	487 20%	77 26% de	144 30% de	155 24% de	86 13%	27 8%	207 17%	280 23% a	40 23% c	306 28% c	123 12%
Slightly disagree	502 21%	58 20% e	105 22% e	152 23% e	148 23% e	39 12%	239 20%	263 22%	36 21%	251 23%	194 19%
Neither agree nor disagree	653 27%	85 29%	125 26%	169 26%	163 25%	111 34% d	351 29%	301 25%	54 31%	275 25%	268 27%
Slightly agree	490 20%	33 11%	52 11%	117 18%	195 30% abc	94 29% abc	247 21%	242 20%	17 10%	155 14%	287 29% ab
Strongly agree	193 8%	23 8%	33 7%	40 6%	45 7%	51 16% abcd	113 9%	80 7%	11 6%	69 6%	105 11%
Don't know	73 3%	17 6% e	18 4%	19 3%	15 2%	4 1%	39 3%	34 3%	16 9% bc	28 3%	23 2%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL DISAGREE	989 41%	135 46% e	248 52% de	307 47% de	234 36% e	65 20%	446 37%	543 45% a	76 44% c	557 51% c	318 32%
TOTAL AGREE	683 28%	56 19%	85 18%	157 24%	240 37% abc	145 44% abc	360 30%	323 27%	28 16%	224 21%	392 39% ab

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

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4 a	5-7 b	8-11 c	12-15 d	16-17 e	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%											
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	726	103	143	188	177	115	390	336	70	303	291
	30%	35%	30%	29%	27%	35%	33%	28%	40%	28%	29%
									bc		

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

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430	
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356	
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95	
Strongly disagree	487 20%	31 21%	46 31%	64 27%	80 34%	69 21%	85 26%	33 10%	52 16%	10 6%	17 10%	400 20%	38 18%	26 22%	23 24%	
		i	ghij	gij	ghij	ij	gij		i							
Slightly disagree	502 21%	28 19%	30 20%	51 22%	53 22%	73 22%	80 24%	70 21%	78 24%	17 10%	22 13%	413 21%	44 21%	23 19%	21 22%	
			i	i	i	i	i	i	i							
Neither agree nor disagree	653 27%	47 32%	39 26%	66 28%	59 25%	92 28%	77 24%	88 27%	74 23%	58 36%	53 32%	535 27%	56 26%	35 29%	26 27%	
										h						
Slightly agree	490 20%	17 12%	16 11%	26 11%	25 11%	59 18%	57 18%	100 31%	95 29%	45 28%	49 30%	395 20%	55 26%	23 19%	16 17%	
								abcd	abcd	abcd	abcd		d			
Strongly agree	193 8%	12 8%	12 8%	20 9%	13 5%	23 7%	17 5%	26 8%	20 6%	32 20%	19 12%	159 8%	18 8%	10 9%	6 7%	
										abcdefgh						
Don't know	73 3%	11 7%	7 4%	11 4%	8 3%	9 3%	10 3%	8 3%	6 2%	- -%	4 3%	67 3%	2 1%	2 2%	2 2%	
		i	i	i												
SUMMARY																
TOTAL DISAGREE	989 41%	59 41%	76 51%	115 48%	133 56%	142 44%	165 51%	103 32%	131 40%	27 17%	38 23%	813 41%	82 39%	49 41%	45 47%	
		ij	gij	gij	ghij	ij	gij	i	ij							
TOTAL AGREE	683 28%	29 20%	28 19%	47 20%	38 16%	82 25%	74 23%	126 39%	115 35%	77 47%	68 42%	555 28%	72 34%	34 28%	23 24%	
								abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef		d			

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	726	57	45	76	67	101	87	97	80	58	57	602	59	37	28
	30%	40%	30%	32%	28%	31%	27%	30%	25%	36%	35%	31%	28%	31%	29%

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

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Strongly disagree	487 20%	399 19%	85 27%	134 20%	112 20%	115 23%	122 20%	246 20%	237 21%	95 20%	368 20%	117 19%	143 19%	109 20%
Slightly disagree	502 21%	443 22%	58 18%	149 22%	140 25% d	109 22%	100 16%	290 23% d	209 19%	90 19%	400 22%	103 17%	182 25%	116 21%
Neither agree nor disagree	653 27%	567 28%	77 24%	144 21%	128 23%	141 28%	227 36% abe	272 22%	368 33% abe	135 29%	481 27%	198 32% c	186 25%	111 20%
Slightly agree	490 20%	409 20%	65 21%	167 25% df	127 22%	101 20%	91 15%	294 24% df	192 17%	99 21%	361 20%	113 18%	169 23%	135 25%
Strongly agree	193 8%	172 8%	19 6%	64 9%	42 7%	37 7%	50 8%	106 9%	88 8%	37 8%	144 8%	66 11%	53 7%	51 9%
Don't know	73 3%	62 3%	11 3%	15 2%	17 3%	3 1%	34 5% c	33 3%	37 3%	10 2%	52 3%	20 3%	9 1%	20 4%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	989 41%	842 41%	142 45%	283 42%	252 45%	225 44%	221 36%	535 43%	446 39%	185 40%	767 43%	220 36%	325 44%	225 42%
TOTAL AGREE	683 28%	581 28%	84 27%	231 34% df	169 30%	138 27%	141 23%	400 32% df	279 25%	136 29%	504 28%	178 29%	222 30%	186 34%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	726 30%	629 31%	87 28%	160 24%	145 26%	144 28%	261 42% abce	305 25%	405 36% abe	145 31%	533 30%	218 35% bc	195 26%	131 24%

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Strongly disagree	188 8%	16 6%	48 10%	48 7%	53 8%	22 7%	87 7%	101 8%	14 8%	82 8%	78 8%
Slightly disagree	348 15%	35 12%	77 16%	111 17%	88 14%	37 11%	154 13%	195 16%	21 12%	170 16%	142 14%
Neither agree nor disagree	896 37%	119 41%	159 33%	261 40%	238 37%	119 37%	435 36%	461 38%	66 38%	414 38%	353 35%
Slightly agree	618 26%	74 25%	127 27%	148 23%	186 28%	84 26%	319 27%	300 25%	47 27%	282 26%	257 26%
Strongly agree	293 12%	34 12%	53 11%	80 12%	74 11%	52 16%	175 15%	118 10%	14 8%	123 11%	150 15%
Don't know	54 2%	15 5%	12 2%	4 1%	13 2%	10 3%	27 2%	27 2%	12 7%	13 1%	21 2%
		c					b		bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL DISAGREE	536 22%	52 18%	125 26%	159 24%	141 22%	59 18%	241 20%	296 25%	35 20%	251 23%	220 22%
TOTAL AGREE	912 38%	108 37%	179 38%	228 35%	260 40%	136 42%	494 41%	418 35%	61 35%	405 37%	407 41%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	950 40%	134 46%	171 36%	264 41%	251 39%	130 40%	462 39%	488 41%	78 45%	428 39%	374 37%

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

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Strongly disagree	188 8%	9 6%	8 5%	21 9%	28 12%	26 8%	22 7%	21 6%	32 10%	11 7%	12 7%	155 8%	10 5%	16 13% abd	7 7%
Slightly disagree	348 15%	17 11%	19 13%	35 15%	42 18%	44 13%	67 21% i	44 13%	44 14%	15 9%	22 14%	288 15%	32 15%	13 11%	15 15%
Neither agree nor disagree	896 37%	51 35%	68 46%	74 31%	86 36%	146 45%	115 35%	108 33%	131 40%	57 35%	62 38%	745 38%	70 33%	42 35%	39 41%
Slightly agree	618 26%	42 29%	31 21%	64 27%	62 26%	58 18%	90 28%	110 34% e	76 23%	44 27%	40 24%	497 25%	69 32% a	30 25%	23 24%
Strongly agree	293 12%	17 12%	17 11%	40 17% d	13 5%	49 15% d	30 9%	37 11%	38 12%	32 20% df	20 12%	238 12%	28 13%	17 14%	10 11%
Don't know	54 2%	9 6% f	6 4%	5 2%	7 3%	3 1%	* *%	7 2%	6 2%	3 2%	8 5% f	46 2%	4 2%	3 2%	1 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	536 22%	25 18%	26 18%	55 23%	70 29% i	70 21%	90 28%	65 20%	76 23%	26 16%	34 21%	443 23%	43 20%	29 24%	21 22%
TOTAL AGREE	912 38%	59 41%	48 33%	104 44%	75 32%	107 33%	121 37%	147 45%	113 35%	77 47% bde	60 37%	735 37%	97 45% ad	47 39%	33 35%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	950 40%	60 42%	74 50% c	78 33%	93 39%	149 46%	115 35%	115 35%	136 42%	60 37%	70 43%	791 40%	74 35%	44 37%	41 43%

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

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

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Strongly disagree	188 8%	166 8%	21 7%	55 8%	37 7%	44 9%	50 8%	92 7%	94 8%	39 8%	142 8%	50 8%	56 7%	33 6%
Slightly disagree	348 15%	304 15%	43 14%	128 19% df	87 15% d	74 15%	53 9%	215 17% df	127 11%	64 14%	263 15%	65 10%	111 15%	102 19% a
Neither agree nor disagree	896 37%	774 38%	116 37%	205 30%	188 33%	204 40%	288 46% abe	393 32%	493 44% abe	161 35%	686 38%	268 43% c	265 36%	150 28%
Slightly agree	618 26%	516 25%	84 27%	194 29%	171 30% f	109 22%	138 22%	365 29% f	248 22%	118 25%	473 26%	145 24%	202 27%	176 32%
Strongly agree	293 12%	246 12%	41 13%	82 12%	74 13%	67 13%	70 11%	156 13%	137 12%	73 16%	204 11%	78 13%	97 13%	75 14%
Don't know	54 2%	46 2%	8 2%	10 2%	8 1%	8 2%	23 4%	19 2%	31 3%	10 2%	38 2%	10 2%	12 2%	5 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	536 22%	470 23%	65 21%	183 27% df	124 22%	118 23%	103 17%	307 25% d	222 20%	103 22%	405 22%	115 19%	167 22%	136 25%
TOTAL AGREE	912 38%	762 37%	125 40%	276 41%	245 43% f	176 35%	208 33%	521 42% f	385 34%	191 41%	677 37%	223 36%	299 40%	251 46%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	950 40%	820 40%	124 40%	215 32%	197 35%	212 42%	312 50% abe	412 33%	524 46% abe	171 37%	723 40%	278 45% c	276 37%	155 29%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Strongly disagree	125 5%	17 6%	35 7%	31 5%	30 5%	12 4%	65 5%	60 5%	12 7%	60 6%	45 5%
Slightly disagree	243 10%	31 10%	61 13%	59 9%	75 11%	17 5%	103 9%	140 12%	21 12%	116 11%	95 10%
Neither agree nor disagree	591 25%	108 37%	114 24%	167 26%	117 18%	86 26%	312 26%	280 23%	64 37%	286 26%	198 20%
		bcde				d			c		
Slightly agree	828 35%	78 27%	175 37%	246 38%	220 34%	109 34%	395 33%	433 36%	47 27%	415 38%	326 33%
				a							
Strongly agree	565 24%	39 13%	78 16%	144 22%	204 31%	100 31%	298 25%	268 22%	13 7%	193 18%	329 33%
				ab	ab					a	ab
Don't know	45 2%	21 7%	12 3%	5 1%	6 1%	2 1%	25 2%	21 2%	18 10%	14 1%	7 1%
		cde							bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL DISAGREE	368 15%	48 16%	97 20%	90 14%	105 16%	28 9%	168 14%	200 17%	33 19%	176 16%	141 14%
		e	e		e						
TOTAL AGREE	1393 58%	117 40%	253 53%	390 60%	424 65%	209 64%	692 58%	701 58%	60 34%	608 56%	656 65%
			a	a	ab	ab				a	ab
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	637 27%	129 44%	126 27%	172 26%	122 19%	88 27%	336 28%	301 25%	82 47%	300 28%	205 20%
		bcde							bc	c	

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION				
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430	
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356	
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95	
Strongly disagree	125 5%	5 4%	12 8%	19 8%	16 7%	21 7%	10 3%	13 4%	17 5%	6 4%	5 3%	104 5%	6 3%	10 8%	5 5%	
Slightly disagree	243 10%	12 9%	18 12%	26 11%	35 15% ij	28 9%	31 10%	28 9%	47 14% ij	8 5%	8 5%	198 10%	22 10%	13 11%	9 10%	
Neither agree nor disagree	591 25%	56 39% dfgh	51 35% gh	60 25%	54 23%	97 30%	70 21%	58 18%	58 18%	40 25%	46 28%	496 25%	45 21%	28 23%	23 24%	
Slightly agree	828 35%	37 26%	41 27%	88 37%	87 36%	98 30%	147 45% ab	117 36%	104 32%	54 34%	55 34%	670 34%	85 40%	39 32%	34 36%	
Strongly agree	565 24%	24 17%	15 10%	39 16%	39 17%	77 24% b	67 21%	106 32% abcd	98 30% bcd	52 32% abcd	48 30% abcd	463 24%	50 23%	29 25%	23 24%	
Don't know	45 2%	10 7% fhij	11 7% fhij	6 2%	7 3%	4 1%	1 *%	4 1%	1 *%	1 1%	1 1%	38 2%	5 2%	1 1%	2 2%	
SUMMARY																
TOTAL DISAGREE	368 15%	18 12%	30 20% ij	46 19% j	51 21% ij	49 15%	41 12%	41 13%	64 20% ij	15 9%	14 8%	302 15%	29 13%	23 19%	14 15%	
TOTAL AGREE	1393 58%	62 42%	56 38%	127 53%	126 53%	175 54% b	214 66% ab	222 68% ab	202 62% ab	106 65% ab	103 63% ab	1134 58%	135 63%	68 57%	57 60%	

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

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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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	637	66	62	65	61	101	71	63	60	41	47	534	50	29	25
	27%	46%	42%	27%	26%	31%	22%	19%	18%	25%	29%	27%	23%	24%	26%
		cdfghij	dfghi												

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Strongly disagree	125 5%	113 5%	11 3%	25 4%	22 4%	34 7%	43 7%	47 4%	77 7%	39 8%	73 4%	40 6%	20 3%	21 4%
Slightly disagree	243 10%	223 11%	19 6%	67 10%	61 11%	53 11%	61 10%	129 10%	114 10%	55 12%	177 10%	51 8%	84 11%	46 8%
Neither agree nor disagree	591 25%	498 24%	85 27%	97 14%	126 22% a	137 27% ae	223 36% abe	223 18%	360 32% abe	84 18%	474 26% a	208 34% bc	177 24% c	75 14%
Slightly agree	828 35%	708 34%	105 33%	253 37%	197 35%	177 35%	195 31%	450 36%	372 33%	154 33%	642 36%	210 34%	277 37%	197 36%
Strongly agree	565 24%	466 23%	93 29%	227 34% cdf	152 27% df	93 18%	87 14%	379 31% cdf	180 16%	126 27%	404 22%	98 16%	178 24% a	196 36% ab
Don't know	45 2%	44 2%	1 *%	5 1%	7 1%	13 3%	16 3%	12 1%	29 3%	6 1%	36 2%	9 1%	5 1%	6 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	368 15%	336 16%	30 10%	92 14%	83 15%	87 17%	103 17%	176 14%	191 17%	94 20%	249 14%	91 15%	105 14%	67 12%
TOTAL AGREE	1393 58%	1173 57%	198 63%	480 71% bcd	349 62% df	270 53%	281 45%	829 67% cdf	551 49%	281 60%	1046 58%	308 50%	455 61% a	394 73% ab
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	637 27%	543 26%	86 27%	102 15%	134 24% a	150 30% ae	239 38% abe	235 19%	389 34% abe	91 19%	510 28% a	217 35% bc	182 25% c	81 15%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Strongly disagree	93 4%	7 3%	22 5%	27 4%	27 4%	10 3%	41 3%	52 4%	1 *%	44 4%	41 4%
Slightly disagree	211 9%	22 8%	27 6%	60 9%	81 12% be	20 6%	91 8%	120 10%	12 7%	86 8%	103 10%
Neither agree nor disagree	250 10%	35 12%	55 12%	61 9%	53 8%	47 14%	140 12%	110 9%	24 14%	117 11%	89 9%
Slightly agree	922 38%	107 36%	195 41%	285 44% e	230 35%	106 33%	422 35%	501 42%	58 33%	464 43%	353 35%
Strongly agree	909 38%	119 40%	176 37%	218 33%	257 39%	139 43%	495 41%	414 34%	75 43%	373 34%	410 41%
Don't know	12 *%	4 1%	* *%	* *%	4 1%	3 1%	8 1%	4 *%	3 2% b	1 *%	5 1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL DISAGREE	304 13%	30 10%	50 10%	87 13%	108 17% e	30 9%	132 11%	172 14%	13 8%	130 12%	144 14%
TOTAL AGREE	1832 76%	225 77%	371 78%	503 77%	487 75%	245 75%	917 77%	915 76%	133 76%	837 77%	763 76%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	262 11%	39 13%	55 12%	61 9%	57 9%	50 15% d	148 12%	114 9%	28 16%	117 11%	94 9%

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

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Table 28

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Strongly disagree	93 4%	2 2%	5 3%	9 4%	13 6%	18 5%	9 3%	7 2%	20 6%	6 3%	4 3%	80 4%	5 2%	4 4%	4 4%
Slightly disagree	211 9%	10 7%	12 8%	15 6%	12 5%	32 10%	29 9%	24 7%	57 18% cdij	10 6%	10 6%	178 9% c	17 8%	5 4%	10 10% c
Neither agree nor disagree	250 10%	17 11%	19 13%	31 13%	23 10%	36 11%	25 8%	34 10%	19 6%	22 14%	24 15% h	209 11%	17 8%	13 11%	11 12%
Slightly agree	922 38%	47 32%	60 40%	84 35%	110 46% i	122 37%	164 50% ahi	122 37%	108 33%	47 29%	59 36%	765 39% d	91 43% cd	37 31%	29 31%
Strongly agree	909 38%	66 45%	53 36%	98 41%	78 33%	119 36%	99 30%	136 42%	122 37%	77 48% df	62 38%	728 37%	83 39%	59 49% ab	39 41%
Don't know	12 *%	3 2%	* *%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	4 1%	* *%	1 *%	3 2%	9 *%	* *%	* *%	2 2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	304 13%	13 9%	17 11%	24 10%	26 11%	50 15%	38 12%	31 9%	77 24% acdfgij	15 9%	15 9%	259 13%	22 10%	10 8%	14 15% c
TOTAL AGREE	1832 76%	113 78%	112 76%	182 77%	189 79%	240 74%	263 81%	258 79%	229 70%	124 76%	121 75%	1493 76%	174 82% d	97 81% d	69 72%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	262 11%	20 14%	19 13%	32 13%	23 10%	36 11%	25 8%	37 11%	19 6%	23 14%	27 16% h	218 11%	17 8%	14 11%	13 13%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Strongly disagree	93 4%	84 4%	9 3%	24 4%	15 3%	21 4%	32 5%	40 3%	54 5%	25 5%	60 3%	24 4%	21 3%	17 3%
Slightly disagree	211 9%	175 9%	36 12%	83 12% df	61 11% f	32 6%	35 6%	144 12% df	67 6%	44 9%	164 9%	27 4%	61 8%	69 13% a
Neither agree nor disagree	250 10%	215 10%	35 11%	53 8%	55 10%	46 9%	90 14% ae	107 9%	137 12%	47 10%	175 10%	82 13%	57 8%	42 8%
Slightly agree	922 38%	783 38%	127 41%	269 40%	237 42%	206 41%	203 33%	505 41%	410 36%	155 33%	714 40%	208 34%	330 44% a	221 41%
Strongly agree	909 38%	784 38%	106 34%	244 36%	198 35%	199 39%	260 42%	441 36%	458 41%	194 42%	682 38%	273 44%	273 37%	190 35%
Don't know	12 *%	11 1%	* *%	2 *%	1 *%	2 *%	3 *%	2 *%	5 *%	1 *%	10 1%	2 *%	* *%	2 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	304 13%	259 13%	45 14%	107 16%	77 14%	53 10%	68 11%	184 15%	121 11%	69 15%	224 12%	51 8%	82 11%	86 16% a
TOTAL AGREE	1832 76%	1567 76%	233 74%	513 76%	434 77%	405 80%	463 74%	947 76%	868 77%	349 75%	1397 77%	481 78%	603 81%	411 76%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	262 11%	226 11%	36 11%	54 8%	55 10%	49 10%	93 15% ae	110 9%	142 13%	48 10%	185 10%	84 14%	57 8%	45 8%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	794	82	167	216	231	97	393	401	46	362	345
	33%	28%	35%	33%	35%	30%	33%	33%	27%	33%	34%
Fairly concerned	662	51	114	219	199	78	318	344	27	309	286
	28%	17%	24%	34%	31%	24%	27%	29%	15%	28%	29%
				ae	a					a	a
Neither/ nor	276	37	71	71	49	49	135	140	23	144	86
	11%	13%	15%	11%	7%	15%	11%	12%	13%	13%	9%
			d			d					
Not very concerned	370	34	69	119	96	53	197	173	18	169	164
	15%	12%	14%	18%	15%	16%	16%	14%	10%	16%	16%
Not at all concerned	264	77	52	24	68	44	138	126	49	92	110
	11%	26%	11%	4%	10%	13%	12%	11%	28%	9%	11%
		bcde	c		c	c			bc		
Don't know	33	13	3	3	10	4	16	17	10	8	11
	1%	5%	1%	*%	2%	1%	1%	1%	6%	1%	1%
		bc							bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1456	133	281	436	430	176	711	745	73	671	631
	61%	45%	59%	67%	66%	54%	59%	62%	42%	62%	63%
			a	ae	ae					a	a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	634	110	121	143	163	97	335	299	67	261	273
	26%	38%	25%	22%	25%	30%	28%	25%	39%	24%	27%
		bcd							bc		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	308	50	73	74	59	52	151	157	34	152	96
	13%	17%	15%	11%	9%	16%	13%	13%	19%	14%	10%
		d				d			c		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	794	37	45	99	68	110	106	89	142	58	40	648	65	48	32
	33%	26%	30%	42%	29%	34%	33%	27%	44%	35%	24%	33%	31%	40%	33%
				aj					agj					b	
Fairly concerned	662	25	26	52	63	106	113	105	94	30	49	541	67	26	28
	28%	17%	18%	22%	26%	33%	35%	32%	29%	18%	30%	27%	31%	22%	29%
						abi	abi	abi			ai		c		
Neither/ nor	276	14	23	35	36	34	37	28	21	26	23	231	21	14	10
	11%	9%	16%	15%	15%	10%	11%	8%	6%	16%	14%	12%	10%	12%	10%
										h					
Not very concerned	370	16	18	31	37	69	50	55	40	26	28	305	34	17	14
	15%	11%	12%	13%	16%	21%	15%	17%	12%	16%	17%	15%	16%	14%	15%
Not at all concerned	264	43	33	21	32	6	18	45	22	22	21	214	25	15	10
	11%	30%	22%	9%	13%	2%	5%	14%	7%	14%	13%	11%	12%	12%	10%
		cdefghij	cefn		e			e		ef	e				
Don't know	33	10	4	1	2	*	3	4	6	1	3	30	1	1	2
	1%	7%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%
		cei											1%	1%	2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1456	62	71	151	131	217	219	194	236	87	88	1190	132	74	60
	61%	43%	48%	63%	55%	66%	67%	60%	72%	54%	54%	60%	62%	62%	63%
				a		ab	ab	a	abdij						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	634	60	51	52	69	75	67	100	63	48	49	520	59	31	24
	26%	41%	34%	22%	29%	23%	21%	31%	19%	30%	30%	26%	28%	26%	25%
		cefn	h												
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	308	24	27	35	38	34	40	31	27	27	25	261	22	14	11
	13%	16%	18%	15%	16%	10%	12%	10%	8%	17%	16%	13%	10%	12%	12%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	794 33%	693 34%	91 29%	238 35%	179 32%	193 38%	177 28%	417 34%	370 33%	169 36%	578 32%	192 31%	235 32%	171 32%
Fairly concerned	662 28%	544 26%	108 34%	201 30%	161 28%	130 26%	164 26%	362 29%	294 26%	151 32%	483 27%	158 26%	245 33%	141 26%
Neither/ nor	276 11%	225 11%	47 15%	67 10%	59 10%	56 11%	89 14%	126 10%	145 13%	51 11%	200 11%	73 12%	88 12%	56 10%
Not very concerned	370 15%	325 16%	44 14%	107 16%	98 17%	69 14%	91 15%	205 17%	159 14%	62 13%	300 17%	101 16%	91 12%	124 23% b
Not at all concerned	264 11%	233 11%	24 8%	58 9%	57 10%	56 11%	93 15% ae	115 9%	149 13%	32 7%	222 12%	87 14%	74 10%	43 8%
Don't know	33 1%	32 2%	* *%	3 1%	12 2%	3 1%	9 1%	15 1%	12 1%	1 *%	22 1%	4 1%	9 1%	6 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1456 61%	1237 60%	199 63%	439 65% d	341 60%	323 64%	342 55%	779 63%	664 59%	320 69% b	1061 59%	350 57%	480 65%	312 58%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	634 26%	558 27%	68 22%	165 24%	154 27%	125 25%	184 29%	319 26%	309 27%	94 20%	523 29% a	189 31%	165 22%	168 31% b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	308 13%	257 13%	47 15%	70 10%	71 13%	59 12%	98 16%	141 11%	157 14%	52 11%	221 12%	77 12%	97 13%	63 12%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	877	87	182	279	237	93	417	460	49	439	351
	37%	30%	38%	43%	36%	29%	35%	38%	28%	40%	35%
			e	ae						a	
Fairly concerned	703	51	111	218	228	94	353	350	31	300	333
	29%	17%	23%	33%	35%	29%	29%	29%	18%	28%	33%
				a	ab	a					a
Neither/ nor	296	47	71	57	62	58	148	148	24	135	113
	12%	16%	15%	9%	10%	18%	12%	12%	14%	12%	11%
						cd					
Not very concerned	289	29	66	67	76	52	157	132	14	122	128
	12%	10%	14%	10%	12%	16%	13%	11%	8%	11%	13%
Not at all concerned	210	69	41	28	46	26	108	102	47	80	72
	9%	24%	9%	4%	7%	8%	9%	9%	27%	7%	7%
		bcd							bc		
Don't know	23	11	4	3	4	2	15	8	9	8	4
	1%	4%	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	5%	1%	*%
		ce							bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1580	138	294	497	464	187	770	810	80	739	684
	66%	47%	62%	76%	71%	58%	64%	67%	46%	68%	68%
			a	abe	ae					a	a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	500	98	107	95	121	78	265	235	62	203	201
	21%	33%	22%	15%	19%	24%	22%	20%	36%	19%	20%
		bcd				c			bc		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318	57	75	60	66	60	162	156	32	143	117
	13%	20%	16%	9%	10%	18%	14%	13%	19%	13%	12%
		cd				cd					

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	877	35	52	98	84	127	152	107	130	50	43	708	78	54	36
	37%	24%	35%	41%	35%	39%	47%	33%	40%	31%	26%	36%	37%	45%	38%
				aj			aij		a					a	
Fairly concerned	703	30	21	58	53	107	112	116	112	41	53	580	69	27	27
	29%	21%	14%	25%	22%	33%	34%	36%	34%	26%	33%	29%	32%	23%	28%
						b	b	b	b		b		c		
Neither/ nor	296	20	27	32	40	33	24	31	32	32	26	250	19	15	11
	12%	14%	18%	13%	17%	10%	7%	9%	10%	20%	16%	13%	9%	13%	11%
										fgh					
Not very concerned	289	15	13	28	38	45	21	48	28	21	32	236	26	14	14
	12%	11%	9%	12%	16%	14%	7%	15%	9%	13%	19%	12%	12%	12%	15%
											fh				
Not at all concerned	210	37	33	20	21	14	15	21	25	17	9	175	21	9	6
	9%	25%	22%	8%	9%	4%	4%	6%	8%	11%	5%	9%	10%	7%	7%
		cdefghij	cdefghij												
Don't know	23	8	3	2	2	-	3	4	-	1	1	21	*	1	1
	1%	5%	2%	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
		eh											%		
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1580	66	72	156	137	233	263	223	241	91	96	1288	147	81	63
	66%	45%	49%	66%	58%	72%	81%	68%	74%	56%	59%	65%	69%	68%	67%
				ab		abi	abcdij	ab	abdij						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	500	52	46	48	59	59	36	68	53	38	40	410	46	23	20
	21%	36%	31%	20%	25%	18%	11%	21%	16%	23%	25%	21%	22%	19%	21%
		cefg	fh		f					f	f				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318	28	30	34	41	33	27	34	32	33	26	271	20	16	12
	13%	19%	20%	14%	17%	10%	8%	11%	10%	20%	16%	14%	9%	13%	12%
			f							efh					

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	877 37%	760 37%	104 33%	260 39%	186 33%	220 43%	207 33%	446 36%	427 38%	180 39%	653 36%	225 37%	263 35%	200 37%
Fairly concerned	703 29%	580 28%	112 36%	217 32%	174 31%	134 27%	170 27%	391 32%	305 27%	149 32%	513 28%	147 24%	245 33% a	172 32%
Neither/ nor	296 12%	257 13%	38 12%	60 9%	73 13%	47 9%	110 18% ace	133 11%	157 14%	46 10%	229 13%	89 14%	85 11%	49 9%
Not very concerned	289 12%	253 12%	34 11%	86 13%	71 12%	63 12%	63 10%	156 13%	126 11%	58 12%	224 12%	89 14%	85 11%	76 14%
Not at all concerned	210 9%	180 9%	25 8%	47 7%	56 10%	41 8%	67 11%	103 8%	108 10%	32 7%	170 9%	61 10%	61 8%	40 7%
Don't know	23 1%	22 1%	* *%	4 1%	6 1%	2 *%	7 1%	11 1%	8 1%	1 *%	15 1%	5 1%	3 *%	6 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1580 66%	1340 65%	216 69%	477 71% d	361 64%	354 70%	377 61%	837 68%	732 65%	329 71%	1167 65%	372 60%	508 68%	372 69%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	500 21%	433 21%	59 19%	133 20%	127 22%	104 21%	130 21%	259 21%	234 21%	90 19%	395 22%	150 24%	146 20%	116 21%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318 13%	279 14%	38 12%	65 10%	79 14%	48 10%	116 19% ace	143 12%	165 15%	47 10%	244 14%	94 15%	88 12%	55 10%

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

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	575	57	113	174	155	76	284	291	26	259	256
	24%	19%	24%	27%	24%	23%	24%	24%	15%	24%	26%
											a
Fairly concerned	692	52	103	195	242	101	311	381	40	275	340
	29%	18%	22%	30%	37%	31%	26%	32%	23%	25%	34%
				a	ab	ab					b
Neither/ nor	477	61	115	131	111	59	245	232	32	237	177
	20%	21%	24%	20%	17%	18%	20%	19%	18%	22%	18%
Not very concerned	380	44	81	110	94	50	214	166	21	197	143
	16%	15%	17%	17%	14%	15%	18%	14%	12%	18%	14%
Not at all concerned	240	66	60	39	39	36	123	117	47	107	72
	10%	22%	13%	6%	6%	11%	10%	10%	27%	10%	7%
		bcde	cd						bc		
Don't know	34	13	4	3	10	3	20	14	9	9	12
	1%	5%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	5%	1%	1%
		ce							bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1267	109	216	369	397	177	595	672	65	534	596
	53%	37%	45%	57%	61%	54%	50%	56%	38%	49%	60%
				a	ab	a					ab
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	620	110	141	149	134	86	337	283	68	304	216
	26%	38%	30%	23%	21%	27%	28%	24%	39%	28%	22%
		cde							bc		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	511	75	119	134	121	62	265	246	40	246	189
	21%	25%	25%	21%	19%	19%	22%	20%	23%	23%	19%

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

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	575	25	32	67	47	76	98	65	90	51	25	464	46	38	26
	24%	17%	22%	28%	20%	23%	30%	20%	28%	32%	15%	24%	22%	32%	28%
				j			j		j	aj				ab	
Fairly concerned	692	26	26	50	52	88	107	106	136	41	60	572	61	31	28
	29%	18%	17%	21%	22%	27%	33%	32%	42%	25%	37%	29%	29%	26%	29%
							ab	ab	abcdi		abcd				
Neither/ nor	477	28	34	53	61	78	53	56	55	29	30	396	42	21	18
	20%	19%	23%	23%	26%	24%	16%	17%	17%	18%	18%	20%	20%	18%	19%
Not very concerned	380	20	24	41	40	64	46	66	28	23	28	312	37	16	15
	16%	14%	16%	17%	17%	20%	14%	20%	9%	14%	17%	16%	17%	14%	15%
						h		h							
Not at all concerned	240	37	29	26	34	19	20	23	16	18	18	197	25	12	7
	10%	25%	20%	11%	14%	6%	6%	7%	5%	11%	11%	10%	12%	10%	7%
		cefg hij	efgh												
Don't know	34	10	4	1	4	*	3	9	1	*	2	28	3	1	2
	1%	7%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
		cehi													
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1267	51	58	117	99	164	204	171	226	92	85	1036	108	69	54
	53%	35%	39%	49%	42%	50%	63%	52%	69%	57%	52%	53%	50%	58%	57%
							abd	a	abcde g j	abd	a				
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	620	57	53	67	74	83	65	89	44	40	46	509	61	28	21
	26%	39%	36%	28%	31%	26%	20%	27%	14%	25%	28%	26%	29%	24%	22%
		fhi	fh	h	h			h		h	h				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	511	37	37	54	65	78	56	66	56	30	32	424	44	22	20
	21%	26%	25%	23%	27%	24%	17%	20%	17%	18%	20%	22%	21%	19%	21%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	575 24%	491 24%	79 25%	193 29%	117 21%	129 25%	131 21%	310 25%	260 23%	113 24%	426 24%	133 22%	159 21%	141 26%
Fairly concerned	692 29%	602 29%	77 25%	213 32%	167 29%	161 32%	150 24%	380 31%	311 28%	160 34%	506 28%	151 24%	233 31%	170 31%
Neither/ nor	477 20%	401 20%	74 24%	103 15%	118 21%	99 19%	150 24%	221 18%	249 22%	88 19%	350 19%	159 26%	142 19%	79 15%
Not very concerned	380 16%	315 15%	59 19%	104 15%	99 18%	69 14%	97 16%	203 16%	166 15%	68 15%	296 16%	93 15%	127 17%	98 18%
Not at all concerned	240 10%	211 10%	24 8%	55 8%	60 11%	42 8%	82 13%	116 9%	124 11%	36 8%	199 11%	70 11%	71 10%	50 9%
Don't know	34 1%	32 2%	2 1%	6 1%	4 1%	7 1%	13 2%	10 1%	21 2%	1 **%	27 2%	10 2%	9 1%	4 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1267 53%	1093 53%	156 50%	406 60% bdf	284 50%	289 57% d	281 45%	690 56% d	571 51%	273 59%	932 52%	283 46%	392 53%	311 57% a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	620 26%	526 26%	82 26%	159 24%	160 28%	111 22%	179 29%	319 26%	290 26%	104 22%	496 27%	163 27%	198 27%	148 27%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	511 21%	433 21%	76 24%	109 16%	122 22%	106 21%	163 26% ae	231 19%	269 24% a	89 19%	377 21%	169 27% c	152 20%	84 15%

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	863	99	179	251	247	87	436	427	53	408	352
	36%	34%	38%	38%	38%	27%	36%	36%	31%	38%	35%
			e	e	e						
Fairly concerned	670	74	115	213	177	90	311	358	48	315	281
	28%	25%	24%	33%	27%	28%	26%	30%	27%	29%	28%
Neither/ nor	277	32	69	64	64	48	134	142	18	132	104
	12%	11%	15%	10%	10%	15%	11%	12%	10%	12%	10%
Not very concerned	331	32	77	82	88	52	178	153	18	148	136
	14%	11%	16%	13%	14%	16%	15%	13%	11%	14%	14%
Not at all concerned	228	51	29	40	62	46	127	101	32	73	114
	10%	17%	6%	6%	10%	14%	11%	8%	18%	7%	11%
		bcd			bc			b		b	
Don't know	30	5	7	3	13	2	10	20	5	9	14
	1%	2%	2%	*%	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1533	174	294	464	425	177	747	785	101	722	633
	64%	59%	62%	71%	65%	54%	62%	65%	58%	67%	63%
				ae	e						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	559	83	106	122	150	98	305	253	50	221	250
	23%	28%	22%	19%	23%	30%	26%	21%	29%	20%	25%
					c						
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	307	37	76	66	77	50	144	163	23	141	118
	13%	13%	16%	10%	12%	15%	12%	14%	13%	13%	12%

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

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Table 32

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	863	49	50	103	76	118	133	119	128	47	40	710	66	52	36
	36%	34%	34%	43%	32%	36%	41%	37%	39%	29%	25%	36%	31%	43%	38%
			ij				j		j					b	
Fairly concerned	670	36	38	59	56	100	113	77	100	39	51	554	64	24	27
	28%	25%	26%	25%	24%	31%	35%	24%	31%	24%	31%	28%	30%	20%	29%
												c	c		c
Neither/ nor	277	14	18	24	45	36	28	33	31	27	21	228	24	15	10
	12%	10%	12%	10%	19%	11%	9%	10%	10%	17%	13%	12%	11%	12%	10%
Not very concerned	331	15	17	35	42	49	33	56	32	23	29	263	37	18	13
	14%	10%	11%	15%	18%	15%	10%	17%	10%	14%	18%	13%	17%	15%	13%
Not at all concerned	228	29	22	14	14	23	17	36	26	25	21	188	21	11	8
	10%	20%	15%	6%	6%	7%	5%	11%	8%	15%	13%	10%	10%	9%	9%
		cdefh								cdf					
Don't know	30	2	3	3	5	-	3	4	9	1	1	27	1	1	1
	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	-%	1%	1%	3%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1533	85	88	161	132	218	245	196	228	86	91	1264	129	76	63
	64%	59%	60%	68%	56%	67%	75%	60%	70%	53%	56%	64%	61%	63%	67%
				i		i	abdgij		ij						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	559	44	39	49	57	72	50	92	58	48	50	451	58	28	21
	23%	30%	26%	21%	24%	22%	15%	28%	18%	30%	31%	23%	27%	24%	22%
		f						f		f	fh				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	307	16	22	27	49	36	31	37	40	28	21	255	26	15	11
	13%	11%	14%	11%	21%	11%	9%	11%	12%	17%	13%	13%	12%	13%	11%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	863 36%	746 36%	108 34%	249 37%	199 35%	194 38%	214 34%	447 36%	408 36%	182 39%	629 35%	212 34%	241 32%	204 38%
Fairly concerned	670 28%	548 27%	111 35%	198 29%	140 25%	173 34%	154 25%	338 27%	327 29%	145 31%	493 27%	155 25%	268 36%	141 26%
													ac	
Neither/ nor	277 12%	235 11%	40 13%	62 9%	68 12%	39 8%	101 16%	130 10%	140 12%	43 9%	210 12%	105 17%	64 9%	40 7%
							ac					bc		
Not very concerned	331 14%	288 14%	38 12%	107 16%	86 15%	55 11%	79 13%	193 16%	134 12%	50 11%	269 15%	86 14%	87 12%	103 19%
														b
Not at all concerned	228 10%	205 10%	17 5%	52 8%	63 11%	42 8%	70 11%	115 9%	112 10%	40 9%	180 10%	58 9%	71 10%	47 9%
Don't know	30 1%	30 1%	- -%	7 1%	10 2%	4 1%	6 1%	17 1%	10 1%	4 1%	23 1%	- -%	12 2%	8 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1533 64%	1294 63%	219 70%	447 66%	339 60%	367 72%	368 59%	786 63%	734 65%	328 70%	1122 62%	367 60%	509 69%	345 64%
						bd								
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	559 23%	492 24%	55 18%	159 24%	149 26%	97 19%	149 24%	308 25%	246 22%	90 19%	449 25%	144 23%	158 21%	150 28%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	307 13%	266 13%	40 13%	68 10%	78 14%	43 9%	107 17%	146 12%	150 13%	48 10%	234 13%	105 17%	75 10%	47 9%
							ac					bc		

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

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	466	65	103	140	99	60	234	232	34	238	166
	19%	22%	22%	21%	15%	18%	20%	19%	19%	22%	17%
Fairly concerned	659	59	113	216	189	83	347	312	36	312	280
	27%	20%	24%	33%	29%	25%	29%	26%	21%	29%	28%
Neither/ nor	440	46	92	114	126	61	200	239	27	201	184
	18%	16%	19%	18%	19%	19%	17%	20%	15%	19%	18%
Not very concerned	482	47	86	129	141	80	226	256	27	186	230
	20%	16%	18%	20%	22%	25%	19%	21%	15%	17%	23%
Not at all concerned	317	67	79	47	82	41	172	144	41	137	126
	13%	23%	17%	7%	13%	13%	14%	12%	23%	13%	13%
Don't know	34	11	3	5	14	1	17	17	10	9	14
	1%	4%	1%	1%	2%	*%	1%	1%	6%	1%	1%
		e							bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1125	124	215	356	288	143	581	544	70	550	446
	47%	42%	45%	55%	44%	44%	49%	45%	40%	51%	45%
				ae							
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	799	113	165	176	223	121	398	401	68	324	356
	33%	39%	35%	27%	34%	37%	33%	33%	39%	30%	36%
		c				c					
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	474	57	96	120	140	62	218	257	36	210	198
	20%	19%	20%	18%	22%	19%	18%	21%	21%	19%	20%

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

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Table 33

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	466	26	39	62	41	66	73	43	56	37	23	379	38	34	15
	19%	18%	26%	26%	17%	20%	23%	13%	17%	23%	14%	19%	18%	28%	16%
			gj	gj										abd	
Fairly concerned	659	34	25	60	52	113	103	99	90	41	41	543	59	30	27
	27%	23%	17%	25%	22%	35%	32%	30%	28%	25%	25%	28%	28%	25%	29%
						b	b								
Neither/ nor	440	22	24	39	54	58	57	53	74	30	31	367	39	17	17
	18%	15%	16%	16%	23%	18%	17%	16%	23%	18%	19%	19%	18%	14%	18%
Not very concerned	482	22	24	39	47	56	73	75	66	33	47	390	46	22	24
	20%	15%	16%	16%	20%	17%	22%	23%	20%	20%	29%	20%	22%	19%	25%
											abc				
Not at all concerned	317	34	33	35	44	32	15	50	32	21	20	260	29	16	11
	13%	23%	22%	15%	19%	10%	5%	15%	10%	13%	12%	13%	14%	14%	11%
		efh	efh	f	f			f		f					
Don't know	34	8	3	3	-	*	5	6	8	-	1	32	1	1	1
	1%	5%	2%	1%	-%	*%	1%	2%	2%	-%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
		di													
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1125	60	64	122	93	179	176	142	146	79	64	922	97	64	43
	47%	41%	43%	51%	39%	55%	54%	44%	45%	48%	39%	47%	46%	53%	45%
						dj	j								
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	799	56	57	74	91	88	88	126	98	54	67	650	76	39	35
	33%	39%	39%	31%	38%	27%	27%	39%	30%	33%	41%	33%	35%	32%	36%
											ef				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	474	29	27	42	54	58	62	59	82	30	32	398	40	18	18
	20%	20%	18%	18%	23%	18%	19%	18%	25%	18%	20%	20%	19%	15%	19%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	466 19%	409 20%	54 17%	149 22% b	74 13%	107 21%	128 20%	223 18%	235 21% b	98 21%	334 19%	147 24% b	109 15%	88 16%
Fairly concerned	659 27%	559 27%	93 30%	197 29%	165 29%	148 29%	148 24%	362 29%	296 26%	144 31%	481 27%	149 24%	226 30%	164 30%
Neither/ nor	440 18%	369 18%	64 20%	122 18%	107 19%	83 16%	122 19%	229 18%	205 18%	96 21%	314 17%	126 20%	139 19%	94 17%
Not very concerned	482 20%	409 20%	66 21%	129 19%	129 23%	109 21%	110 18%	258 21%	219 19%	82 18%	380 21%	105 17%	167 22%	130 24%
Not at all concerned	317 13%	277 14%	32 10%	74 11%	82 14%	54 11%	104 17%	155 13%	158 14%	44 9%	270 15%	85 14%	94 13%	59 11%
Don't know	34 1%	29 1%	5 2%	3 *% b	10 2%	6 1%	13 2%	13 1%	18 2%	2 *% a	26 1%	4 1%	8 1%	8 2%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1125 47%	968 47%	146 47%	346 51%	239 42%	255 50%	276 44%	585 47%	531 47%	242 52%	815 45%	296 48%	334 45%	252 46%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	799 33%	686 33%	98 31%	203 30%	210 37%	163 32%	214 34%	413 33%	377 33%	126 27%	650 36% a	190 31%	260 35%	188 35%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	474 20%	398 19%	69 22%	125 19%	117 21%	89 18%	134 22%	241 19%	223 20%	97 21%	340 19%	130 21%	147 20%	102 19%

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

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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	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	650	70	111	195	191	83	317	332	37	277	293
	27%	24%	23%	30%	29%	26%	27%	28%	21%	26%	29%
Fairly concerned	860	83	163	243	255	117	427	433	55	378	382
	36%	28%	34%	37%	39%	36%	36%	36%	31%	35%	38%
Neither/ nor	406	53	86	97	107	63	204	202	26	194	162
	17%	18%	18%	15%	16%	19%	17%	17%	15%	18%	16%
Not very concerned	298	46	71	88	49	44	149	149	29	160	96
	12%	16%	15%	14%	7%	13%	12%	12%	17%	15%	10%
Not at all concerned	155	34	35	25	45	16	82	73	21	67	60
	6%	12%	7%	4%	7%	5%	7%	6%	12%	6%	6%
Don't know	30	8	10	4	5	3	17	12	7	8	7
	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%
									bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1510	152	274	438	446	200	745	765	91	655	676
	63%	52%	58%	67%	68%	61%	62%	64%	52%	60%	68%
				a	ab						a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	453	80	106	114	94	59	231	222	50	227	157
	19%	27%	22%	17%	14%	18%	19%	18%	29%	21%	16%
		cde							c		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	435	61	96	100	112	66	221	214	33	203	169
	18%	21%	20%	15%	17%	20%	18%	18%	19%	19%	17%

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

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Table 34

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	650 27%	34 23%	36 24%	57 24%	54 23%	89 27%	106 33%	86 26%	106 32%	52 32%	31 19%	538 27%	52 25%	34 28%	25 26%
Fairly concerned	860 36%	39 27%	44 30%	83 35%	80 34%	119 36%	124 38%	135 41%	120 37%	51 32%	65 40%	709 36%	77 36%	38 32%	36 38%
Neither/ nor	406 17%	26 18%	27 18%	40 17%	46 19%	49 15%	48 15%	58 18%	49 15%	31 19%	32 20%	332 17%	36 17%	23 19%	15 15%
Not very concerned	298 12%	19 13%	28 19%	33 14%	38 16%	52 16%	36 11%	29 9%	20 6%	17 10%	27 16%	237 12%	33 16%	14 12%	13 14%
Not at all concerned	155 6%	22 15% efgj	12 8%	19 8%	16 7%	16 5%	9 3%	15 4%	31 9%	10 6%	6 4%	131 7%	12 6%	8 7%	5 5%
Don't know	30 1%	6 4%	2 1%	6 2%	4 2%	1 *%	3 1%	4 1%	1 *%	1 1%	2 1%	24 1%	3 1%	2 1%	2 2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1510 63%	72 50%	80 54%	140 59%	134 56%	208 64%	230 71%	221 68%	225 69%	104 64%	96 59%	1247 63%	129 61%	73 61%	61 64%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	453 19%	41 28%	39 26%	52 22%	54 23%	68 21%	45 14%	43 13%	51 16%	26 16%	33 20%	367 19%	45 21%	22 19%	18 19%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	435 18%	32 22%	29 19%	46 19%	51 21%	50 15%	51 16%	62 19%	50 15%	32 20%	34 21%	355 18%	39 18%	25 21%	17 17%

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

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Table 34

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALITY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	650 27%	555 27%	86 27%	220 33% d	141 25%	152 30%	132 21%	361 29% d	284 25%	143 31%	468 26%	146 24%	209 28%	139 26%
Fairly concerned	860 36%	737 36%	113 36%	249 37%	208 37%	174 34%	214 34%	457 37%	389 34%	172 37%	646 36%	211 34%	270 36%	205 38%
Neither/ nor	406 17%	343 17%	56 18%	106 16%	77 14%	81 16%	141 23% be	183 15%	222 20%	79 17%	300 17%	131 21% c	132 18%	71 13%
Not very concerned	298 12%	251 12%	41 13%	67 10%	97 17% a	64 13%	65 10%	164 13%	130 11%	39 8%	251 14%	78 13%	86 12%	91 17%
Not at all concerned	155 6%	137 7%	18 6%	31 5%	40 7%	31 6%	53 8%	71 6%	84 7%	25 5%	123 7%	43 7%	42 6%	30 5%
Don't know	30 1%	29 1%	1 *% *	* *% *	3 *% a	4 1%	19 3% ae	3 *% ae	23 2% ae	7 1%	17 1%	6 1%	3 *% c	5 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1510 63%	1292 63%	199 63%	470 70% df	349 62%	326 64%	346 56%	818 66% d	673 59%	316 68%	1114 62%	358 58%	479 65%	345 64%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	453 19%	388 19%	58 19%	98 15%	138 24% a	95 19%	118 19%	236 19%	213 19%	64 14%	374 21%	122 20%	128 17%	121 22%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	435 18%	372 18%	57 18%	106 16%	80 14%	85 17%	159 26% abe	186 15%	245 22% be	86 18%	317 18%	137 22% c	135 18%	76 14%

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

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QP51J. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - The possibility of them being influenced by extreme views online - whether political, social or religious (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	500	66	99	142	133	61	255	245	30	244	197
	21%	22%	21%	22%	20%	19%	21%	20%	17%	23%	20%
Fairly concerned	745	68	138	265	194	79	355	390	44	370	299
	31%	23%	29%	41%	30%	24%	30%	32%	25%	34%	30%
				abde							
Neither/ nor	393	45	76	96	107	68	186	207	25	165	167
	16%	15%	16%	15%	16%	21%	16%	17%	15%	15%	17%
Not very concerned	433	42	96	89	144	63	216	217	25	174	205
	18%	14%	20%	14%	22%	19%	18%	18%	14%	16%	21%
				c							
Not at all concerned	292	62	64	49	67	50	166	126	40	122	118
	12%	21%	13%	7%	10%	15%	14%	11%	23%	11%	12%
		cd			c				bc		
Don't know	35	11	2	10	7	5	18	17	10	9	13
	1%	4%	*%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	6%	1%	1%
		b							bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1245	134	237	407	327	140	610	635	74	614	497
	52%	46%	50%	63%	50%	43%	51%	53%	42%	57%	50%
				abde						a	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	725	103	160	137	211	113	382	343	65	296	324
	30%	35%	34%	21%	32%	35%	32%	29%	37%	27%	32%
		c	c		c	c					
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	428	57	78	107	114	73	205	224	35	174	181
	18%	19%	16%	16%	17%	22%	17%	19%	20%	16%	18%

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

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QP51J. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - The possibility of them being influenced by extreme views online - whether political, social or religious (SINGLE CODE)

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	500	24	41	55	44	74	68	66	67	37	24	409	35	33	24
	21%	17%	28%	23%	18%	23%	21%	20%	21%	23%	15%	21%	16%	28%	25%
			j											b	b
Fairly concerned	745	42	26	71	67	118	148	83	111	41	38	611	75	31	28
	31%	29%	18%	30%	28%	36%	45%	26%	34%	25%	23%	31%	35%	26%	29%
						b	abd		b				c		
Neither/ nor	393	19	27	32	45	48	48	58	49	30	38	324	36	19	15
	16%	13%	18%	13%	19%	15%	15%	18%	15%	18%	24%	16%	17%	16%	15%
Not very concerned	433	18	24	51	46	51	38	70	73	27	36	354	41	20	19
	18%	12%	16%	21%	19%	16%	12%	22%	23%	17%	22%	18%	19%	16%	20%
Not at all concerned	292	36	25	28	36	28	20	45	22	28	22	241	24	17	10
	12%	25%	17%	12%	15%	9%	6%	14%	7%	17%	14%	12%	11%	14%	10%
		cefh	f							fh					
Don't know	35	7	5	1	1	7	3	4	3	-	5	31	2	1	1
	1%	5%	3%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%
		i													
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1245	66	68	127	110	191	216	149	178	78	62	1020	110	64	51
	52%	45%	46%	53%	46%	59%	66%	46%	55%	48%	38%	52%	51%	54%	54%
				j		j	abd		j						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	725	54	49	79	82	79	58	115	96	55	58	594	65	36	29
	30%	37%	33%	33%	34%	24%	18%	35%	29%	34%	36%	30%	31%	30%	30%
		f	f	f	f			f		f	f				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	428	25	32	32	46	56	51	62	52	30	43	356	38	19	15
	18%	17%	21%	14%	19%	17%	16%	19%	16%	18%	26%	18%	18%	16%	16%
											c				

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

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Table 35

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QP51J. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - The possibility of them being influenced by extreme views online - whether political, social or religious (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	500 21%	429 21%	63 20%	158 23%	97 17%	115 23%	126 20%	256 21%	241 21%	94 20%	375 21%	136 22%	141 19%	99 18%
Fairly concerned	745 31%	634 31%	105 34%	224 33%	178 31%	172 34%	166 27%	403 32%	338 30%	166 36%	546 30%	162 26%	273 37%	173 32%
													a	
Neither/ nor	393 16%	331 16%	57 18%	93 14%	84 15%	85 17%	123 20%	176 14%	209 18%	80 17%	283 16%	112 18%	124 17%	69 13%
Not very concerned	433 18%	375 18%	52 17%	124 18%	113 20%	73 14%	117 19%	237 19%	190 17%	80 17%	335 19%	127 21%	112 15%	115 21%
Not at all concerned	292 12%	253 12%	32 10%	72 11%	82 15%	57 11%	80 13%	154 12%	137 12%	39 8%	243 13%	73 12%	87 12%	77 14%
Don't know	35 1%	30 1%	5 2%	2 *%	11 2%	6 1%	11 2%	13 1%	17 1%	7 1%	23 1%	6 1%	5 1%	11 2%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1245 52%	1063 52%	168 53%	383 57%	276 49%	287 57%	292 47%	658 53%	579 51%	260 56%	922 51%	298 48%	413 56%	272 50%
				d										
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	725 30%	628 31%	84 27%	196 29%	195 35%	129 26%	197 32%	392 32%	326 29%	119 25%	578 32%	200 33%	200 27%	191 35%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	428 18%	361 18%	62 20%	95 14%	95 17%	91 18%	135 22%	190 15%	225 20%	87 19%	305 17%	118 19%	129 17%	79 15%
							a							

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

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QP51L. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing 'Adult' or sexual content (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	974	115	201	301	275	83	489	485	64	476	386
	41%	39%	42%	46%	42%	25%	41%	40%	37%	44%	39%
		e	e	e	e						
Fairly concerned	720	56	129	219	213	103	351	369	32	331	327
	30%	19%	27%	34%	33%	32%	29%	31%	18%	31%	33%
				a	a	a				a	a
Neither/ nor	255	29	40	51	75	60	135	120	22	81	127
	11%	10%	9%	8%	12%	18%	11%	10%	13%	7%	13%
						abc					b
Not very concerned	235	28	58	54	48	46	109	126	16	111	91
	10%	10%	12%	8%	7%	14%	9%	10%	9%	10%	9%
						d					
Not at all concerned	191	56	45	24	37	29	99	92	32	80	65
	8%	19%	10%	4%	6%	9%	8%	8%	19%	7%	6%
		bcde	c			c			bc		
Don't know	23	10	2	3	4	4	13	10	8	5	5
	1%	3%	*%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	5%	*%	1%
									bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1694	171	330	520	488	186	840	854	96	808	713
	71%	58%	69%	80%	75%	57%	70%	71%	55%	74%	71%
			e	abe	ae					a	a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	426	84	104	78	85	75	208	217	48	190	156
	18%	29%	22%	12%	13%	23%	17%	18%	28%	18%	16%
		cd	cd			cd			bc		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	278	39	42	54	79	64	148	130	30	86	133
	12%	13%	9%	8%	12%	20%	12%	11%	18%	8%	13%
						bcd			b		b

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

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Table 36

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QP51L. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing 'Adult' or sexual content (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Very concerned	974	56	59	106	95	152	149	131	144	45	38	795	81	54	44
	41%	38%	40%	45%	40%	46%	46%	40%	44%	27%	23%	40%	38%	45%	47%
		j	j	ij	j	ij	ij	j	ij						
Fairly concerned	720	28	28	70	59	108	111	92	121	53	50	588	74	31	27
	30%	20%	19%	30%	25%	33%	34%	28%	37%	33%	31%	30%	35%	26%	28%
						b	ab		ab	b					
Neither/ nor	255	13	16	17	24	28	22	52	23	26	34	214	21	14	7
	11%	9%	11%	7%	10%	9%	7%	16%	7%	16%	21%	11%	10%	12%	7%
										f	acdefh				
Not very concerned	235	12	16	23	35	24	31	30	18	21	26	193	20	13	8
	10%	8%	11%	10%	15%	7%	9%	9%	6%	13%	16%	10%	10%	11%	9%
											h				
Not at all concerned	191	30	25	21	24	14	9	18	20	16	13	159	16	7	8
	8%	21%	17%	9%	10%	4%	3%	5%	6%	10%	8%	8%	8%	6%	8%
		cefg hij	efgh							f					
Don't know	23	6	4	*	1	-	3	4	-	3	2	19	1	1	1
	1%	4%	2%	*%	1%	-%	1%	1%	-%	2%	1%	1%	1%	*%	2%

SUMMARY

TOTAL CONCERNED	1694	84	87	176	154	260	260	223	264	97	89	1384	155	85	71
	71%	58%	59%	74%	65%	80%	80%	68%	81%	60%	54%	70%	73%	71%	75%
				abij		abdij	abdij	j	abdij						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	426	42	42	44	59	38	40	47	38	36	38	353	37	20	16
	18%	29%	28%	19%	25%	12%	12%	15%	12%	22%	24%	18%	17%	17%	17%
		efgh	efgh		efh					eh	efh				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	278	19	20	17	25	28	26	55	23	29	36	233	22	15	8
	12%	13%	13%	7%	11%	9%	8%	17%	7%	18%	22%	12%	10%	12%	8%
										cfh	cdefh				

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

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QP51L. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing 'Adult' or sexual content (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	974 41%	838 41%	126 40%	294 44%	212 38%	218 43%	242 39%	507 41%	460 41%	200 43%	719 40%	246 40%	289 39%	211 39%
Fairly concerned	720 30%	612 30%	96 31%	199 30%	190 34%	135 27%	185 30%	389 31%	320 28%	136 29%	556 31%	178 29%	254 34%	165 30%
Neither/ nor	255 11%	220 11%	34 11%	68 10%	61 11%	53 10%	72 11%	130 10%	124 11%	49 10%	190 11%	68 11%	75 10%	59 11%
Not very concerned	235 10%	196 10%	37 12%	61 9%	55 10%	60 12%	55 9%	116 9%	115 10%	43 9%	177 10%	60 10%	68 9%	71 13%
Not at all concerned	191 8%	164 8%	21 7%	48 7%	45 8%	38 8%	59 9%	93 7%	98 9%	37 8%	149 8%	60 10%	53 7%	33 6%
Don't know	23 1%	22 1%	* *%	3 *%	3 *%	3 1%	10 2%	6 *%	13 1%	1 *%	14 1%	4 1%	2 *%	3 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1694 71%	1449 71%	222 71%	493 73%	402 71%	353 70%	427 69%	895 72%	780 69%	336 72%	1275 71%	425 69%	544 73%	376 69%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	426 18%	360 18%	57 18%	109 16%	100 18%	98 19%	114 18%	209 17%	212 19%	79 17%	326 18%	119 19%	121 16%	104 19%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	278 12%	243 12%	35 11%	71 11%	64 11%	56 11%	82 13%	135 11%	138 12%	50 11%	204 11%	72 12%	77 10%	62 12%

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

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QP51K. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing any other type of content which is not appropriate for their age group - for example, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on (other than 'Adult' or sexual content) (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Very concerned	808 34%	105 36% e	182 38% e	245 38% e	201 31%	76 23%	380 32%	428 36%	60 34%	412 38% c	293 29%
Fairly concerned	896 37%	76 26%	167 35%	272 42% ae	288 44% ae	92 28%	455 38%	440 37%	43 24%	405 37% a	412 41% a
Neither/ nor	299 12%	43 15%	46 10%	71 11%	74 11%	66 20% bcd	150 13%	149 12%	24 14%	122 11%	130 13%
Not very concerned	234 10%	18 6%	43 9%	49 7%	62 10%	62 19% abcd	122 10%	111 9%	14 8%	84 8%	118 12%
Not at all concerned	127 5%	42 14% bcde	31 7% c	13 2%	17 3%	24 7% cd	62 5%	65 5%	28 16% bc	51 5%	36 4%
Don't know	34 1%	9 3%	7 1%	3 *%	10 2%	6 2%	27 2%	8 1%	6 4%	10 1%	13 1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1704 71%	181 62%	349 73%	517 79% ae	489 75% ae	168 52% ae	836 70%	868 72%	102 59%	817 75% a	705 70% a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	361 15%	61 21% cd	74 16%	61 9%	79 12%	86 26% bcd	184 15%	176 15%	42 24% b	135 12%	153 15%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	334 14%	52 18%	53 11%	74 11%	84 13%	72 22% bcd	177 15%	157 13%	30 17%	132 12%	143 14%

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

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QP51K. EXTENT OF CONCERN ABOUT CHILD'S ONLINE USE - Seeing any other type of content which is not appropriate for their age group - for example, in terms of violence, bad language, disturbing content, and so on (other than 'Adult' or sexual content) (SINGLE CODE)

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

	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX			
	Total	URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Very concerned	808 34%	691 34%	108 34%	225 33%	180 32%	191 38%	207 33%	405 33%	398 35%	150 32%	606 34%	204 33%	242 33%	179 33%
Fairly concerned	896 37%	775 38%	111 35%	277 41%	234 41%	179 35%	197 32%	511 41%	375 33%	182 39%	684 38%	202 33%	316 43%	212 39%
Neither/ nor	299 12%	258 13%	37 12%	83 12%	68 12%	51 10%	90 14%	151 12%	141 12%	58 12%	221 12%	88 14%	95 13%	58 11%
Not very concerned	234 10%	185 9%	41 13%	57 8%	56 10%	54 11%	65 10%	114 9%	119 11%	49 10%	175 10%	67 11%	60 8%	71 13%
Not at all concerned	127 5%	114 6%	13 4%	27 4%	25 4%	30 6%	44 7%	52 4%	74 7%	23 5%	98 5%	46 8%	25 3%	18 3%
Don't know	34 1%	29 1%	5 2%	5 1%	2 *%	2 *%	21 3%	7 1%	23 2%	4 1%	22 1%	8 1%	3 *%	4 1%
							abe							
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1704 71%	1466 71%	218 69%	502 74%	415 73%	369 73%	403 65%	917 74%	773 68%	331 71%	1289 71%	406 66%	558 75%	391 72%
				d				d					a	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	361 15%	299 15%	54 17%	84 12%	81 14%	85 17%	109 17%	165 13%	194 17%	72 15%	273 15%	114 18%	86 12%	89 16%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	334 14%	287 14%	42 13%	88 13%	70 12%	53 10%	111 18%	158 13%	164 15%	62 13%	243 13%	96 16%	98 13%	62 11%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
Yes	478	34	101	135	133	74	252	225	12	230	212
	20%	12%	21%	21%	20%	23%	21%	19%	7%	21%	21%
		a	a	a	a	a				a	a
No	1882	258	366	512	502	244	926	956	161	844	769
	78%	88%	77%	79%	77%	75%	77%	80%	92%	78%	77%
		bcde							bc		
Don't know	38	1	8	4	17	8	18	20	1	11	20
	2%	*%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	*%	1%	2%

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
Yes	478	21	14	68	33	68	68	48	85	48	26	383	46	31	17
	20%	14%	9%	29%	14%	21%	21%	15%	26%	30%	16%	19%	22%	26%	18%
				abdgj					b	abdgj					
No	1882	123	135	166	200	258	255	270	232	109	135	1552	166	88	77
	78%	85%	91%	70%	84%	79%	78%	83%	71%	67%	83%	79%	78%	73%	81%
		chi	cfhi		ci			i		ci					
Don't know	38	1	*	4	5	*	3	8	9	5	2	34	2	1	1
	2%	1%	*%	2%	2%	*%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
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Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
Yes	478 20%	403 20%	73 23%	170 25% f	107 19%	88 17%	108 17%	277 22%	197 17%	162 35% b	287 16%	143 23%	132 18%	108 20%
No	1882 78%	1614 79%	238 76%	495 74%	447 79%	411 81%	505 81%	942 76%	916 81% a	292 63%	1498 83% a	468 76%	591 80%	426 79%
Don't know	38 2%	35 2%	3 1%	9 1%	12 2%	7 1%	10 2%	21 2%	17 2%	11 2%	20 1%	5 1%	19 3%	8 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	479	52	103	110	118	96	245	234	29	210	215
Effective Weighted Sample	253	29	53	60	59	91	139	115	14	115	113
Total	478	34	101	135	133	74	252	225	12	230	212
Talked to my child about what had happened	424	27	90	120	126	61	223	201	11	207	188
	89%	78%	89%	88%	95%	83%	88%	89%	87%	90%	88%
Advised/ told my child to stop using certain apps/ sites	280	16	53	97	81	33	141	139	6	139	120
	59%	46%	52%	71%	61%	45%	56%	62%	50%	61%	57%
				e							
Advised/ told my child to block certain people/ types of content	261	10	42	93	73	43	136	125	4	117	130
	55%	28%	42%	69%	55%	59%	54%	55%	31%	51%	61%
				ab		a					
Reported the content to the website/ app it appeared on	147	10	28	53	41	16	81	66	7	72	61
	31%	29%	28%	39%	31%	22%	32%	29%	54%	32%	29%
Set up filters/ parental controls	124	10	34	41	31	8	63	60	5	73	38
	26%	28%	34%	30%	23%	10%	25%	27%	41%	32%	18%
			e	e							
Sought advice on how to handle the situation	110	6	25	34	23	21	65	45	2	54	52
	23%	18%	25%	25%	18%	29%	26%	20%	17%	24%	24%
Reported the content another way	40	2	13	5	13	7	24	16	*	19	19
	8%	5%	13%	4%	10%	10%	10%	7%	2%	8%	9%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	~a	b	c
Unweighted total	479	52	103	110	118	96	245	234	29	210	215
Effective Weighted Sample	253	29	53	60	59	91	139	115	14	115	113
Total	478	34	101	135	133	74	252	225	12	230	212
Anything else	18	3	*	8	6	1	11	7	1	11	7
	4%	8%	*%	6%	4%	1%	4%	3%	5%	5%	3%
No particular action taken	1	-	*	-	-	1	1	*	-	*	1
	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	1%	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%
Prefer not to say	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1
	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	1%	*%	-%	-%	-%	*%
SUMMARY											
ANY ACTION TAKEN	476	34	101	135	133	72	251	225	12	229	211
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	98%	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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 AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4 ~a	FEMALE 3-4 ~b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	479	28	24	60	43	56	54	42	76	59	37	217	88	95	79	
Effective Weighted Sample	253	16	14	35	19	29	30	22	37	56	35	172	78	73	67	
Total	478	21	14	68	33	68	68	48	85	48	26	383	46	31	17	
Talked to my child about what had happened	424	14	13	62	28	60	60	47	79	40	21	342	41	26	15	
	89%	68%	93%	91%	85%	89%	88%	99%	93%	84%	82%	89%	89%	84%	90%	
Advised/ told my child to stop using certain apps/ sites	280	10	6	33	20	45	51	31	50	21	12	227	26	17	10	
	59%	48%	44%	49%	60%	67%	75%	66%	59%	44%	46%	59%	57%	54%	59%	
Advised/ told my child to block certain people/ types of content	261	4	5	28	14	50	44	27	46	27	16	207	27	19	8	
	55%	20%	40%	42%	42%	74%	64%	56%	54%	57%	63%	54%	59%	61%	49%	
Reported the content to the website/ app it appeared on	147	5	5	16	12	31	22	17	23	12	4	118	15	8	6	
	31%	24%	35%	24%	36%	46%	32%	36%	27%	24%	17%	31%	34%	24%	34%	
Set up filters/ parental controls	124	4	5	22	12	21	21	11	21	5	2	99	15	7	4	
	26%	21%	39%	33%	35%	30%	30%	22%	24%	11%	9%	26%	33%	21%	21%	
Sought advice on how to handle the situation	110	3	3	18	7	19	15	9	14	15	6	92	10	4	4	
	23%	14%	24%	27%	21%	28%	22%	20%	17%	32%	24%	24%	22%	14%	24%	
Reported the content another way	40	1	1	9	4	4	2	6	6	4	3	30	6	2	3	
	8%	4%	6%	13%	12%	5%	2%	13%	8%	9%	11%	8%	13%	6%	15%	
Anything else	18	3	*	-	*	5	3	3	3	-	1	16	*	1	1	
	4%	12%	2%	-%	1%	8%	4%	6%	3%	-%	3%	4%	1%	4%	4%	

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

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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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 ~a	FEMALE 3-4 ~b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	479	28	24	60	43	56	54	42	76	59	37	217	88	95	79
Effective Weighted Sample	253	16	14	35	19	29	30	22	37	56	35	172	78	73	67
Total	478	21	14	68	33	68	68	48	85	48	26	383	46	31	17
No particular action taken	1	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	*	-
	*%	-%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	2%	-%	*%	-%	1%	-%
Prefer not to say	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	2%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%
SUMMARY															
ANY ACTION TAKEN	476	21	14	68	33	68	68	48	85	46	26	382	46	31	17
	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	96%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	479	413	62	194	112	83	86	306	169	164	290	148	145	118
Effective Weighted Sample	253	215	37	106	61	42	47	167	89	83	155	74	74	67
Total	478	403	73	170	107	88	108	277	197	162	287	143	132	108
Talked to my child about what had happened	424 89%	355 88%	68 93%	150 88%	101 94%	76 86%	95 87%	251 91%	171 87%	144 89%	255 89%	118 82%	115 87%	103 95%
Advised/ told my child to stop using certain apps/ sites	280 59%	238 59%	41 57%	100 59%	65 60%	51 57%	65 60%	164 59%	115 59%	98 60%	176 61%	76 53%	77 59%	67 61%
Advised/ told my child to block certain people/ types of content	261 55%	223 55%	38 53%	92 54%	66 61%	42 47%	61 57%	158 57%	103 52%	90 55%	163 57%	77 54%	59 45%	63 58%
Reported the content to the website/ app it appeared on	147 31%	124 31%	23 32%	48 28%	34 31%	27 31%	39 36%	81 29%	66 33%	62 38%	75 26%	49 34%	44 33%	30 28%
Set up filters/ parental controls	124 26%	96 24%	28 38%	46 27%	27 25%	20 23%	30 28%	73 26%	50 25%	52 32%	67 23%	23 16%	34 26%	33 31%
Sought advice on how to handle the situation	110 23%	99 25%	12 16%	60 36% bf	14 13%	13 14%	21 20%	75 27%	34 17%	38 24%	62 22%	42 29%	22 17%	37 34%
Reported the content another way	40 8%	35 9%	5 7%	18 11%	5 5%	9 10%	9 8%	23 8%	17 9%	16 10%	23 8%	17 12%	9 7%	11 10%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	479	413	62	194	112	83	86	306	169	164	290	148	145	118
Effective Weighted Sample	253	215	37	106	61	42	47	167	89	83	155	74	74	67
Total	478	403	73	170	107	88	108	277	197	162	287	143	132	108
Anything else	18 4%	15 4%	3 5%	5 3%	3 2%	9 11%	1 1%	8 3%	10 5%	1 1%	17 6%	4 3%	7 5%	- -%
No particular action taken	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	1 *%	* *%	- -%	1 *%	* *%	- -%	- -%
Prefer not to say	1 *%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%
SUMMARY														
ANY ACTION TAKEN	476 100%	402 100%	72 99%	169 100%	107 100%	88 100%	107 99%	276 100%	195 99%	162 100%	285 99%	143 100%	132 100%	108 100%

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
With their schoolwork/ homework	1838	92	352	582	571	242	899	940	33	854	858
	77%	31%	74%	89%	88%	74%	75%	78%	19%	79%	86%
			a	abe	abe	a				a	ab
To develop skills with reading and numbers	1397	201	352	455	284	106	657	740	117	788	432
	58%	68%	74%	70%	44%	33%	55%	62%	67%	73%	43%
		de	de	de	e				c	c	
To develop creative skills	1340	166	274	422	338	141	639	701	96	670	503
	56%	57%	58%	65%	52%	43%	53%	58%	55%	62%	50%
		e	e	de						c	
To learn a new skill	1219	125	243	370	334	146	604	615	78	583	501
	51%	42%	51%	57%	51%	45%	50%	51%	45%	54%	50%
				ae							
To build or maintain friendships	1094	10	71	348	467	199	569	525	6	335	690
	46%	3%	15%	53%	72%	61%	48%	44%	4%	31%	69%
			a	ab	abce	ab				a	ab
To find useful information about any problems or issues they may have	852	25	86	253	324	163	422	430	9	293	504
	36%	9%	18%	39%	50%	50%	35%	36%	5%	27%	50%
		a	a	ab	ab	abc				a	ab
To find out about news	813	15	70	230	324	174	387	427	8	238	524
	34%	5%	15%	35%	50%	54%	32%	36%	4%	22%	52%
			a	ab	abc	abc				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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2385	455	489	501	503	437	1193	1192	307	1015	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	235	259	273	276	408	626	625	147	539	502
Total	2398	294	476	652	652	325	1197	1201	174	1084	1001
To understand what other people think and feel about things	581 24%	29 10%	78 16%	161 25% a	206 32% ab	108 33% ab	262 22%	319 27%	16 9%	202 19% a	326 33% ab
To find out about or to support causes or organisations	384 16%	6 2%	49 10% a	91 14% a	146 22% ab	92 28% abc	168 14%	216 18%	4 2%	112 10% a	244 24% ab
None of these	67 3%	31 10% bcde	9 2%	4 1%	13 2%	10 3%	34 3%	33 3%	23 13% bc	15 1%	22 2%
Don't know	30 1%	12 4% cd	5 1%	1 *% *	1 *% *	12 4% cd	20 2%	10 1%	9 5% bc	9 1%	4 *% *
SUMMARY											
ANY OF THESE BENEFITS	2302 96%	251 86%	462 97% a	647 99% ae	638 98% ae	303 93% a	1143 96%	1158 96%	142 82%	1060 98% a	976 97% a

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
With their schoolwork/ homework	1838	42	50	173	179	276	305	291	281	117	125	1509	163	94	72
	77%	29%	34%	73%	75%	85%	94%	89%	86%	72%	77%	77%	77%	79%	75%
				ab	ab	abi	abcdij	abcdij	abci	ab	ab				
To develop skills with reading and numbers	1397	94	106	160	191	226	229	122	162	55	51	1146	127	71	53
	58%	65%	72%	67%	80%	69%	70%	37%	50%	34%	31%	58%	60%	59%	55%
		gij	ghij	ghij	ag hij	ghij	ghij		ij						
To develop creative skills	1340	78	88	130	144	199	223	160	178	72	69	1091	128	69	52
	56%	54%	60%	55%	60%	61%	68%	49%	54%	44%	42%	55%	60%	58%	55%
			ij		ij	ij	gij								
To learn a new skill	1219	50	75	120	123	182	188	175	160	76	70	991	117	64	47
	51%	34%	50%	51%	52%	56%	58%	54%	49%	47%	43%	50%	55%	53%	50%
					a	a	aj	a							
To build or maintain friendships	1094	7	3	42	29	185	163	237	229	98	101	894	103	57	40
	46%	5%	2%	18%	12%	57%	50%	73%	70%	60%	62%	45%	48%	48%	42%
				ab	b	abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcd	abcd				
To find useful information about any problems or issues they may have	852	17	9	41	45	132	122	156	169	77	86	690	82	49	32
	36%	11%	6%	17%	19%	40%	37%	48%	52%	48%	53%	35%	38%	41%	33%
				b	b	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcd				
To find out about news	813	7	8	23	46	116	114	156	168	84	90	654	84	46	29
	34%	5%	5%	10%	20%	36%	35%	48%	52%	52%	55%	33%	40%	39%	30%
					ab	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdef	abcdef		d		

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

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2385	224	231	243	246	252	249	252	251	222	215	1112	426	417	430
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	114	120	130	129	137	136	138	137	206	202	881	373	336	356
Total	2398	145	148	238	238	326	326	326	326	162	163	1970	213	120	95
To understand what other people think and feel about things	581	16	13	31	47	85	76	76	130	54	54	462	58	38	24
	24%	11%	9%	13%	20%	26%	23%	23%	40%	33%	33%	23%	27%	31%	25%
						abc	b	b	abcdfg	abcd	abcd			a	
To find out about or to support causes or organisations	384	3	3	20	28	49	42	55	91	40	51	307	39	22	15
	16%	2%	2%	9%	12%	15%	13%	17%	28%	25%	32%	16%	18%	19%	16%
					ab	ab	ab	ab	abcdf	abcdf	abcdefg				
None of these	67	17	14	4	4	*	3	6	7	6	4	59	4	1	3
	3%	12%	9%	2%	2%	*%	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%
		cdefghj	efg												
Don't know	30	8	4	5	*	*	1	*	*	7	5	26	1	1	2
	1%	5%	2%	2%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	4%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%
		degh								gh					
SUMMARY															
ANY OF THESE BENEFITS	2302	120	131	229	233	325	322	320	318	149	154	1885	208	118	91
	96%	83%	88%	96%	98%	100%	99%	98%	98%	92%	95%	96%	98%	98%	96%
				a	ab	abij	abi	ab	ab		a				

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
With their schoolwork/ homework	1838 77%	1570 76%	244 78%	540 80%	438 77%	406 80%	439 70%	978 79%	845 75%	345 74%	1412 78%	421 68%	592 80%	454 84%
To develop skills with reading and numbers	1397 58%	1185 58%	199 63%	389 58%	345 61%	309 61%	342 55%	734 59%	651 58%	272 59%	1078 60%	329 54%	451 61%	331 61%
To develop creative skills	1340 56%	1147 56%	177 56%	360 53%	322 57%	311 61%	328 53%	682 55%	639 57%	284 61%	1010 56%	334 54%	435 59%	312 58%
To learn a new skill	1219 51%	1028 50%	176 56%	338 50%	281 50%	288 57%	291 47%	619 50%	580 51%	254 54%	915 51%	295 48%	365 49%	296 55%
To build or maintain friendships	1094 46%	945 46%	135 43%	354 53%	269 48%	211 42%	250 40%	623 50%	461 41%	229 49%	815 45%	241 39%	357 48%	287 53%
To find useful information about any problems or issues they may have	852 36%	723 35%	115 37%	267 40%	203 36%	179 35%	191 31%	470 38%	370 33%	211 45%	615 34%	211 34%	273 37%	215 40%
To find out about news	813 34%	712 35%	92 29%	257 38%	215 38%	161 32%	171 27%	472 38%	332 29%	164 35%	614 34%	199 32%	258 35%	208 38%
To understand what other people think and feel about things	581 24%	494 24%	76 24%	188 28%	122 21%	129 26%	135 22%	310 25%	264 23%	140 30%	415 23%	152 25%	193 26%	138 25%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2385	2011	343	759	623	457	524	1382	981	454	1824	597	795	544
Effective Weighted Sample	1251	1070	163	404	323	237	292	727	529	237	954	321	384	299
Total	2398	2052	314	674	566	507	624	1240	1131	466	1805	616	742	542
To find out about or to support causes or organisations	384 16%	330 16%	45 14%	147 22% cdf	96 17%	60 12%	78 13%	243 20% cdf	138 12%	102 22% b	270 15%	82 13%	118 16%	109 20%
None of these	67 3%	58 3%	7 2%	14 2%	18 3%	5 1%	28 5%	31 3%	33 3%	12 3%	53 3%	12 2%	19 3%	13 2%
Don't know	30 1%	29 1%	1 *%	3 *%	4 1%	3 1%	20 3% ae	7 1%	23 2%	1 *%	14 1%	7 1%	3 *%	6 1%
SUMMARY														
ANY OF THESE BENEFITS	2302 96%	1965 96%	306 97%	657 97% d	544 96%	499 98% d	576 92%	1201 97% d	1075 95%	452 97%	1738 96%	596 97%	719 97%	524 97%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1481	99	139	313	494	436	744	737	73	380	906
Effective Weighted Sample	791	48	71	164	269	407	395	395	34	197	496
Total	1538	55	136	390	632	325	770	768	33	410	979
Rules about who they are in contact with on their phone	869 56%	22 40%	73 54%	310 80%	372 59%	90 28%	427 55%	441 58%	15 45%	284 69%	523 53%
			e	abde	e					ac	
Rules about how much money they can spend on their phone	781 51%	19 35%	74 54%	236 60%	340 54%	112 35%	417 54%	363 47%	10 29%	229 56%	485 50%
			e	ae	e					a	
Rules about downloading apps onto their phone	775 50%	26 46%	78 57%	292 75%	307 49%	72 22%	378 49%	397 52%	16 48%	275 67%	436 45%
		e	e	abde	e					c	
Rules about not taking their phone to bed	756 49%	20 36%	65 48%	268 69%	332 53%	71 22%	404 52%	352 46%	15 46%	244 60%	455 46%
			e	abde	e					c	
Rules about how much time they spend using their phone	715 47%	31 56%	68 50%	239 61%	304 48%	73 22%	359 47%	356 46%	18 54%	238 58%	421 43%
		e	e	de	e					c	
Rules about when they can use their phone	693 45%	23 41%	75 55%	247 63%	285 45%	62 19%	351 46%	342 45%	15 46%	240 58%	396 40%
		e	e	ade	e					c	
Other rules	18 1%	2 4%	3 2%	11 3%	* *0%	2 1%	12 2%	6 1%	2 6%	10 2%	5 *0%
		d		d					c		

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1481	99	139	313	494	436	744	737	73	380	906
Effective Weighted Sample	791	48	71	164	269	407	395	395	34	197	496
Total	1538	55	136	390	632	325	770	768	33	410	979
No, do not have any rules	239	3	10	11	82	133	105	134	2	18	190
	16%	5%	7%	3%	13%	41%	14%	17%	7%	4%	19%
					c	abcd					b
SUMMARY											
ANY RULES	1299	53	126	379	549	192	666	634	31	393	790
	84%	95%	93%	97%	87%	59%	86%	83%	93%	96%	81%
		e	e	de	e					c	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	1481	52	47	78	61	145	168	246	248	223	213	727	260	240	254
Effective Weighted Sample	791	24	24	39	32	78	86	134	135	207	201	546	236	200	215
Total	1538	29	26	72	64	194	196	312	320	163	162	1246	147	82	62
Rules about who they are in contact with on their phone	869	11	12	41	32	147	163	180	192	48	42	713	80	44	32
	56%	37%	44%	57%	50%	76%	83%	58%	60%	29%	26%	57%	54%	53%	53%
				ij	j	abdghj	abcdghij	ij	ij						
Rules about how much money they can spend on their phone	781	9	10	45	29	112	124	187	153	65	48	636	77	40	28
	51%	32%	38%	62%	45%	58%	63%	60%	48%	40%	29%	51%	53%	49%	45%
				j		ij	aij	ij	j						
Rules about downloading apps onto their phone	775	9	17	39	40	142	150	150	157	39	33	627	79	40	29
	50%	29%	65%	54%	62%	73%	77%	48%	49%	24%	20%	50%	54%	48%	47%
			ij	ij	ij	aghij	aghij	ij	ij						
Rules about not taking their phone to bed	756	9	11	35	30	138	130	186	147	36	35	618	79	30	29
	49%	32%	40%	49%	46%	71%	67%	59%	46%	22%	22%	50%	53%	37%	46%
				ij	ij	abhij	ahij	ij	ij			c	c		
Rules about how much time they spend using their phone	715	15	16	35	33	111	128	157	148	42	31	585	64	36	29
	47%	50%	62%	48%	52%	57%	65%	50%	46%	26%	19%	47%	44%	44%	48%
		j	ij	ij	ij	ij	hij	ij	ij						
Rules about when they can use their phone	693	12	11	36	40	121	126	149	136	33	29	570	61	32	29
	45%	42%	41%	50%	62%	62%	65%	48%	43%	20%	18%	46%	42%	39%	47%
		j	j	ij	ij	hij	hij	ij	ij						
Other rules	18	-	2	2	*	9	2	*	-	-	2	10	5	2	1
	1%	-%	8%	3%	1%	5%	1%	-%	-%	-%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%
			ghi			i							a		

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

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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										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	1481	52	47	78	61	145	168	246	248	223	213	727	260	240	254	
Effective Weighted Sample	791	24	24	39	32	78	86	134	135	207	201	546	236	200	215	
Total	1538	29	26	72	64	194	196	312	320	163	162	1246	147	82	62	
No, do not have any rules	239	1	1	1	9	5	6	34	49	64	69	198	19	12	9	
	16%	4%	5%	2%	13%	3%	3%	11%	15%	39%	43%	16%	13%	15%	15%	
									ef	abcdefgh	abcdefgh					
SUMMARY																
ANY RULES	1299	28	25	70	56	189	190	279	271	99	93	1048	129	70	52	
	84%	96%	95%	98%	87%	97%	97%	89%	85%	61%	57%	84%	87%	85%	85%	
		ij	ij	ij	ij	hij	hij	ij	ij							

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

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Table 41

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1481	1276	177	474	352	309	335	826	644	343	1063	410	463	333
Effective Weighted Sample	791	680	94	266	184	160	183	448	343	176	572	223	236	183
Total	1538	1324	185	448	341	337	396	789	733	339	1109	428	476	338
Rules about who they are in contact with on their phone	869 56%	742 56%	118 64%	238 53%	182 53%	202 60%	243 61%	420 53%	445 61%	209 62%	631 57%	228 53%	286 60%	205 61%
Rules about how much money they can spend on their phone	781 51%	673 51%	93 50%	251 56%	158 46%	161 48%	207 52%	409 52%	368 50%	173 51%	573 52%	206 48%	242 51%	183 54%
Rules about downloading apps onto their phone	775 50%	657 50%	104 56%	236 53%	185 54%	158 47%	194 49%	421 53%	352 48%	169 50%	581 52%	178 42%	265 56% a	184 54% a
Rules about not taking their phone to bed	756 49%	657 50%	86 46%	233 52%	168 49%	158 47%	196 50%	401 51%	354 48%	174 51%	551 50%	179 42%	274 57% a	168 50%
Rules about how much time they spend using their phone	715 47%	617 47%	88 48%	231 52%	146 43%	154 46%	183 46%	377 48%	337 46%	158 46%	536 48%	198 46%	227 48%	167 49%
Rules about when they can use their phone	693 45%	583 44%	99 53%	235 52% d	148 43%	156 46%	153 39%	383 48%	310 42%	154 45%	504 45%	180 42%	222 47%	163 48%
Other rules	18 1%	10 1%	8 4% a	8 2%	3 1%	6 2%	2 *%	10 1%	8 1%	6 2%	11 1%	2 1%	7 1%	2 1%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1481	1276	177	474	352	309	335	826	644	343	1063	410	463	333
Effective Weighted Sample	791	680	94	266	184	160	183	448	343	176	572	223	236	183
Total	1538	1324	185	448	341	337	396	789	733	339	1109	428	476	338
No, do not have any rules	239	205	27	65	53	43	67	118	111	43	172	73	52	59
	16%	15%	14%	15%	15%	13%	17%	15%	15%	13%	15%	17%	11%	18%
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES	1299	1119	159	383	288	293	328	671	622	297	938	354	424	279
	84%	85%	86%	85%	85%	87%	83%	85%	85%	87%	85%	83%	89%	82%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1481	99	139	313	494	436	744	737	73	380	906
Effective Weighted Sample	791	48	71	164	269	407	395	395	34	197	496
Total	1538	55	136	390	632	325	770	768	33	410	979
Very concerned	220	18	29	68	59	47	128	92	7	76	123
	14%	32%	21%	17%	9%	14%	17%	12%	20%	19%	13%
		de	d								
Fairly concerned	342	11	27	88	151	65	150	192	9	75	229
	22%	20%	20%	23%	24%	20%	20%	25%	28%	18%	23%
Neither/ nor	355	8	32	69	173	73	195	159	5	86	231
	23%	15%	23%	18%	27%	23%	25%	21%	15%	21%	24%
Not very concerned	389	9	23	112	167	79	170	220	6	106	257
	25%	16%	17%	29%	26%	24%	22%	29%	17%	26%	26%
Not at all concerned	217	9	25	50	79	54	122	95	6	64	133
	14%	16%	18%	13%	13%	17%	16%	12%	17%	16%	14%
Don't know	14	1	1	3	4	7	4	10	1	3	7
	1%	2%	*%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	562	28	56	156	210	112	279	284	16	151	352
	37%	51%	41%	40%	33%	34%	36%	37%	48%	37%	36%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	607	18	48	162	246	133	292	315	11	170	389
	39%	32%	35%	42%	39%	41%	38%	41%	34%	41%	40%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	369	9	32	72	176	80	200	169	6	89	238
	24%	17%	24%	18%	28%	25%	26%	22%	18%	22%	24%

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		MALE 3-4	3-4	MALE 5-7	5-7	MALE 8-11	8-11	MALE 12-15	12-15	MALE 16-17	16-17	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j				
Unweighted total	1481	52	47	78	61	145	168	246	248	223	213	727	260	240	254
Effective Weighted Sample	791	24	24	39	32	78	86	134	135	207	201	546	236	200	215
Total	1538	29	26	72	64	194	196	312	320	163	162	1246	147	82	62
Very concerned	220	11	6	19	10	41	27	27	31	30	17	174	17	19	10
	14%	38%	24%	27%	15%	21%	14%	9%	10%	18%	10%	14%	11%	23%	16%
		fg hj		gh j										ab	
Fairly concerned	342	4	7	11	16	45	43	58	93	32	34	279	36	15	12
	22%	13%	27%	16%	25%	23%	22%	19%	29%	20%	21%	22%	25%	18%	20%
Neither/ nor	355	7	1	23	8	38	31	95	78	32	41	296	30	16	13
	23%	25%	4%	32%	13%	19%	16%	30%	24%	20%	26%	24%	20%	19%	22%
				b				b							
Not very concerned	389	3	5	7	16	44	68	79	88	36	43	315	38	20	16
	25%	12%	20%	10%	25%	23%	35%	25%	27%	22%	27%	25%	26%	25%	25%
							c								
Not at all concerned	217	3	6	10	14	27	23	52	28	31	23	173	24	12	8
	14%	9%	24%	15%	22%	14%	12%	17%	9%	19%	14%	14%	16%	15%	14%
										h					
Don't know	14	1	*	*	*	-	3	1	3	2	4	10	2	*	2
	1%	3%	1%	*%	*%	-%	1%	*%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	*%	3%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	562	15	13	31	26	86	70	86	124	62	50	453	53	34	22
	37%	51%	51%	43%	40%	44%	36%	27%	39%	38%	31%	36%	36%	41%	36%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	607	6	12	18	30	71	92	130	116	67	66	488	62	32	24
	39%	21%	44%	25%	47%	37%	47%	42%	36%	41%	41%	39%	42%	39%	39%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	369	8	1	24	9	38	34	96	80	34	46	306	32	16	15
	24%	28%	4%	33%	13%	19%	17%	31%	25%	21%	28%	25%	22%	20%	25%
				b				b							

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1481	1276	177	474	352	309	335	826	644	343	1063	410	463	333
Effective Weighted Sample	791	680	94	266	184	160	183	448	343	176	572	223	236	183
Total	1538	1324	185	448	341	337	396	789	733	339	1109	428	476	338
Very concerned	220 14%	194 15%	19 10%	89 20% b	32 9%	48 14%	50 13%	121 15%	99 13%	56 16%	151 14%	73 17%	72 15%	41 12%
Fairly concerned	342 22%	286 22%	54 29%	103 23%	69 20%	75 22%	95 24%	172 22%	170 23%	83 25%	237 21%	87 20%	91 19%	96 29%
Neither/ nor	355 23%	307 23%	40 21%	104 23%	83 24%	58 17%	104 26%	187 24%	162 22%	83 24%	244 22%	107 25%	111 23%	59 18%
Not very concerned	389 25%	341 26%	42 22%	101 23%	99 29%	95 28%	92 23%	200 25%	186 25%	77 23%	297 27%	90 21%	140 29%	89 26%
Not at all concerned	217 14%	185 14%	28 15%	47 11%	55 16%	61 18%	48 12%	102 13%	109 15%	39 12%	172 16%	66 15%	60 13%	52 15%
Don't know	14 1%	11 1%	3 2%	4 1%	3 1%	1 *%	7 2%	7 1%	7 1%	1 *%	8 1%	4 1%	2 *%	1 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	562 37%	480 36%	73 39%	192 43% b	101 30%	123 37%	145 37%	293 37%	268 37%	139 41%	387 35%	160 37%	163 34%	137 41%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	607 39%	526 40%	70 38%	148 33%	153 45%	155 46% a	140 35%	302 38%	295 40%	117 34%	469 42%	157 37%	201 42%	140 42%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	369 24%	318 24%	43 23%	108 24%	86 25%	59 17%	111 28%	194 25%	170 23%	84 25%	252 23%	111 26%	113 24%	60 18%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1481	99	139	313	494	436	744	737	73	380	906
Effective Weighted Sample	791	48	71	164	269	407	395	395	34	197	496
Total	1538	55	136	390	632	325	770	768	33	410	979
Very concerned	352	17	32	87	148	68	183	169	8	82	241
	23%	31%	24%	22%	23%	21%	24%	22%	22%	20%	25%
Fairly concerned	439	9	27	126	191	86	200	238	8	115	281
	29%	17%	20%	32%	30%	26%	26%	31%	23%	28%	29%
Neither/ nor	296	11	22	92	115	55	145	151	8	92	176
	19%	21%	16%	24%	18%	17%	19%	20%	24%	22%	18%
Not very concerned	253	6	29	49	110	60	139	114	3	60	168
	16%	10%	21%	13%	17%	18%	18%	15%	9%	15%	17%
Not at all concerned	176	9	26	33	59	49	93	83	7	57	101
	11%	17%	19%	8%	9%	15%	12%	11%	20%	14%	10%
Don't know	22	2	*	3	10	7	11	12	*	4	13
	1%	4%	*%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	791	27	59	214	338	153	383	408	15	197	522
	51%	48%	43%	55%	54%	47%	50%	53%	46%	48%	53%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	429	15	54	82	169	109	231	197	10	117	269
	28%	27%	40%	21%	27%	34%	30%	26%	29%	29%	27%
			c			c					
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318	14	23	95	125	62	156	162	9	96	189
	21%	25%	17%	24%	20%	19%	20%	21%	25%	23%	19%

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	1481	52	47	78	61	145	168	246	248	223	213	727	260	240	254
Effective Weighted Sample	791	24	24	39	32	78	86	134	135	207	201	546	236	200	215
Total	1538	29	26	72	64	194	196	312	320	163	162	1246	147	82	62
Very concerned	352	8	9	15	17	42	45	75	73	41	26	282	29	25	16
	23%	29%	34%	21%	26%	22%	23%	24%	23%	25%	16%	23%	20%	31%	25%
Fairly concerned	439	5	5	22	5	56	70	77	114	40	46	350	51	20	17
	29%	16%	18%	31%	7%	29%	36%	25%	36%	25%	28%	28%	35%	25%	28%
Neither/ nor	296	7	4	10	13	46	46	60	55	23	33	252	22	13	9
	19%	24%	17%	14%	20%	24%	24%	19%	17%	14%	20%	20%	15%	16%	15%
Not very concerned	253	3	2	16	13	21	28	68	42	31	29	203	24	15	11
	16%	11%	9%	22%	21%	11%	14%	22%	13%	19%	18%	16%	16%	18%	19%
Not at all concerned	176	4	6	8	17	29	4	29	30	24	25	139	21	9	8
	11%	12%	22%	12%	27%	15%	2%	9%	9%	14%	16%	11%	14%	11%	12%
Don't know	22	2	-	*	-	-	3	4	6	4	3	20	1	*	1
	1%	8%	-%	*%	-%	-%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	791	13	14	38	21	99	115	152	186	82	72	632	80	46	33
	51%	45%	52%	52%	33%	51%	59%	49%	58%	50%	44%	51%	54%	55%	53%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	429	7	8	24	30	50	32	97	72	54	55	342	45	23	19
	28%	24%	31%	34%	47%	26%	16%	31%	23%	33%	34%	27%	30%	28%	31%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318	9	4	10	13	46	48	63	61	27	35	272	23	13	10
	21%	32%	17%	14%	20%	24%	25%	20%	19%	17%	22%	22%	15%	16%	16%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1481	1276	177	474	352	309	335	826	644	343	1063	410	463	333
Effective Weighted Sample	791	680	94	266	184	160	183	448	343	176	572	223	236	183
Total	1538	1324	185	448	341	337	396	789	733	339	1109	428	476	338
Very concerned	352	307	37	114	59	93	87	172	180	85	242	111	103	68
	23%	23%	20%	25%	17%	28%	22%	22%	25%	25%	22%	26%	22%	20%
Fairly concerned	439	375	57	140	116	72	110	256	182	113	313	93	154	109
	29%	28%	31%	31%	34%	21%	28%	32%	25%	33%	28%	22%	32%	32%
					c			c						
Neither/ nor	296	258	34	79	67	65	80	146	145	54	220	98	84	58
	19%	20%	18%	18%	20%	19%	20%	19%	20%	16%	20%	23%	18%	17%
Not very concerned	253	210	36	76	58	60	59	134	119	57	181	70	75	68
	16%	16%	20%	17%	17%	18%	15%	17%	16%	17%	16%	16%	16%	20%
Not at all concerned	176	154	18	36	35	45	55	72	100	30	138	53	52	35
	11%	12%	10%	8%	10%	13%	14%	9%	14%	9%	12%	12%	11%	10%
Don't know	22	20	3	3	6	2	5	9	7	-	14	2	8	*
	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-%	1%	*%	2%	*%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	791	682	94	254	174	165	197	428	362	199	556	205	257	176
	51%	52%	51%	57%	51%	49%	50%	54%	49%	59%	50%	48%	54%	52%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	429	364	54	112	93	105	114	205	219	87	320	123	127	104
	28%	27%	29%	25%	27%	31%	29%	26%	30%	26%	29%	29%	27%	31%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318	278	37	82	74	67	85	156	152	54	234	100	92	58
	21%	21%	20%	18%	22%	20%	21%	20%	21%	16%	21%	23%	19%	17%

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

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QP61. Some major mobile phone networks in the UK offer a block on Adult or 18+ content, which requires users to go through an age verification process before this content can be unblocked and received on the user's phone. Did you know about this block on Adult content before today? (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1481	99	139	313	494	436	744	737	73	380	906
Effective Weighted Sample	791	48	71	164	269	407	395	395	34	197	496
Total	1538	55	136	390	632	325	770	768	33	410	979
Yes	860	37	99	211	342	169	440	419	21	257	524
	56%	68%	73%	54%	54%	52%	57%	55%	64%	63%	53%
			cde								
No	618	16	32	163	267	140	291	326	10	137	423
	40%	29%	23%	42%	42%	43%	38%	43%	31%	33%	43%
			b	b	b						
Don't know	61	2	5	15	23	16	39	22	2	16	32
	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	3%	5%	4%	3%

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

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QP61. Some major mobile phone networks in the UK offer a block on Adult or 18+ content, which requires users to go through an age verification process before this content can be unblocked and received on the user's phone. Did you know about this block on Adult content before today? (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	1481	52	47	78	61	145	168	246	248	223	213	727	260	240	254
Effective Weighted Sample	791	24	24	39	32	78	86	134	135	207	201	546	236	200	215
Total	1538	29	26	72	64	194	196	312	320	163	162	1246	147	82	62
Yes	860	22	15	52	47	103	108	177	165	87	83	693	84	48	35
	56%	75%	59%	73%	74%	53%	55%	57%	52%	53%	51%	56%	57%	58%	56%
No	618	5	11	19	13	82	81	120	147	65	75	503	57	33	25
	40%	19%	41%	26%	20%	42%	42%	38%	46%	40%	46%	40%	38%	40%	41%
Don't know	61	2	-	1	4	10	6	15	8	12	4	51	6	2	2
	4%	6%	-%	1%	6%	5%	3%	5%	2%	7%	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%

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

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QP61. Some major mobile phone networks in the UK offer a block on Adult or 18+ content, which requires users to go through an age verification process before this content can be unblocked and received on the user's phone. Did you know about this block on Adult content before today? (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1481	1276	177	474	352	309	335	826	644	343	1063	410	463	333
Effective Weighted Sample	791	680	94	266	184	160	183	448	343	176	572	223	236	183
Total	1538	1324	185	448	341	337	396	789	733	339	1109	428	476	338
Yes	860 56%	747 56%	98 53%	261 58%	175 51%	184 54%	235 59%	436 55%	419 57%	207 61%	600 54%	250 59%	254 53%	198 59%
No	618 40%	525 40%	78 42%	180 40%	157 46%	127 38%	146 37%	337 43%	273 37%	129 38%	465 42%	165 39%	196 41%	139 41%
Don't know	61 4%	51 4%	9 5%	8 2%	8 2%	27 8%	15 4%	16 2%	41 6%	4 1%	45 4%	12 3%	26 5%	1 *%

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

QP62. Do you know whether this block on accessing Adult content is set up on your child's mobile phone? (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1481	99	139	313	494	436	744	737	73	380	906
Effective Weighted Sample	791	48	71	164	269	407	395	395	34	197	496
Total	1538	55	136	390	632	325	770	768	33	410	979
Block on Adult content is in place	538	29	69	148	217	74	269	270	15	179	306
	35%	53%	51%	38%	34%	23%	35%	35%	45%	44%	31%
		e	de	e	e					c	
Block on Adult content is not in place	198	1	17	35	83	62	110	88	1	41	145
	13%	3%	13%	9%	13%	19%	14%	12%	2%	10%	15%
						ac					
Don't know whether the block in Adult content is in place	100	2	7	23	42	25	48	52	2	28	65
	6%	3%	5%	6%	7%	8%	6%	7%	5%	7%	7%
Not applicable – child's phone is not able to go online	23	5	5	4	1	8	14	10	4	9	8
	2%	9%	4%	1%	*%	2%	2%	1%	11%	2%	1%
		cd	d			d			bc		
NOT AWARE OF BLOCK ON ADULT CONTENT	678	18	37	179	290	155	330	348	12	153	456
	44%	32%	27%	46%	46%	48%	43%	45%	36%	37%	47%
				b	b	b					

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

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QP62. Do you know whether this block on accessing Adult content is set up on your child's mobile phone? (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	1481	52	47	78	61	145	168	246	248	223	213	727	260	240	254
Effective Weighted Sample	791	24	24	39	32	78	86	134	135	207	201	546	236	200	215
Total	1538	29	26	72	64	194	196	312	320	163	162	1246	147	82	62
Block on Adult content is in place	538	17	12	32	37	64	84	115	102	40	34	440	49	28	21
	35%	60%	46%	45%	58%	33%	43%	37%	32%	25%	21%	35%	33%	34%	34%
		hij		j	hij		ij	j							
Block on Adult content is not in place	198	*	1	12	5	19	16	47	36	32	30	152	25	14	7
	13%	1%	5%	17%	8%	10%	8%	15%	11%	19%	19%	12%	17%	16%	12%
Don't know whether the block in Adult content is in place	100	2	*	5	2	15	8	15	27	11	14	82	8	5	5
	6%	6%	*%	7%	3%	8%	4%	5%	9%	7%	8%	7%	5%	6%	8%
Not applicable – child's phone is not able to go online	23	3	2	2	3	4	*	1	*	4	4	18	2	1	2
	2%	9%	8%	3%	5%	2%	*%	*%	*%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	3%
		fgh	gh												
NOT AWARE OF BLOCK ON ADULT CONTENT	678	7	11	20	17	92	87	135	154	76	79	554	63	34	27
	44%	25%	41%	27%	26%	47%	45%	43%	48%	47%	49%	44%	43%	42%	44%

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

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QP62. Do you know whether this block on accessing Adult content is set up on your child's mobile phone? (SINGLE CODE)

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

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	1481	1276	177	474	352	309	335	826	644	343	1063	410	463	333
Effective Weighted Sample	791	680	94	266	184	160	183	448	343	176	572	223	236	183
Total	1538	1324	185	448	341	337	396	789	733	339	1109	428	476	338
Block on Adult content is in place	538	464	65	174	104	109	147	277	256	125	381	162	146	140
	35%	35%	35%	39%	30%	32%	37%	35%	35%	37%	34%	38%	31%	41%
Block on Adult content is not in place	198	177	18	64	37	50	48	101	97	55	129	39	77	44
	13%	13%	10%	14%	11%	15%	12%	13%	13%	16%	12%	9%	16%	13%
Don't know whether the block in Adult content is in place	100	87	11	20	28	17	35	47	52	20	75	44	26	13
	6%	7%	6%	4%	8%	5%	9%	6%	7%	6%	7%	10%	5%	4%
Not applicable – child's phone is not able to go online	23	19	4	3	8	7	5	11	13	8	14	6	5	1
	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%
NOT AWARE OF BLOCK ON ADULT CONTENT	678	577	87	187	166	153	161	353	314	133	510	177	222	140
	44%	44%	47%	42%	49%	46%	41%	45%	43%	39%	46%	41%	47%	41%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox, Nintendo Switch, Nintendo DS or PS Vita)	1450 59%	74 23%	267 55%	474 73%	426 65%	208 64%	912 75%	538 44%	27 14%	681 62%	653 65%
		a	a	ab	ab	a	b	b	a	a	a
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1329 54%	112 34%	186 38%	391 60%	440 68%	199 61%	673 55%	656 54%	61 31%	514 47%	667 67%
		a	a	ab	ab	ab	a	a	a	a	ab
On a tablet	1216 50%	208 64%	317 65%	408 63%	203 31%	81 25%	589 48%	627 51%	115 58%	733 66%	315 31%
		de	de	de					c	c	
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	767 31%	25 8%	86 18%	260 40%	290 44%	106 32%	412 34%	355 29%	10 5%	296 27%	426 43%
		a	a	ab	abe	ab	a	a	a	a	ab
Through an app on a smart TV	226 9%	12 4%	57 12%	75 12%	61 9%	20 6%	113 9%	112 9%	5 3%	132 12%	78 8%
		a	a	a	a					a	
On a virtual reality gaming headset / device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	129 5%	4 1%	21 4%	27 4%	53 8%	24 7%	90 7%	40 3%	2 1%	45 4%	74 7%
		a	a	a	a	a	b			a	a

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	43 2%	3 1%	5 1%	6 1%	16 2%	13 4% c	24 2%	19 2%	1 *%	11 1%	31 3%
No, never play games	233 10%	63 19% bcd	47 10% c	19 3%	64 10% c	41 13% c	60 5%	173 14% a	54 27% bc	59 5%	102 10% b
SUMMARY											
CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2211 90%	263 81%	442 90% a	633 97% abde	588 90% a	285 87%	1162 95% b	1049 86%	145 73%	1046 95% ac	899 90% a

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

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Table 46

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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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox, Nintendo Switch, Nintendo DS or PS Vita)	1450 59%	46 28%	29 17%	166 68%	101 41%	291 89%	182 56%	275 84%	151 46%	134 82%	74 46%	1179 59%	136 62%	76 63%	58 60%
				abdhj	b	abcdfhj	ab	abcdfhj	ab	abcdfhj	ab				
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1329 54%	62 38%	50 31%	82 34%	104 42%	205 63%	187 57%	220 67%	221 68%	104 64%	95 58%	1092 54%	119 55%	74 61%	44 45%
						abcd	abc	abcd	abcd	abcd	abcd	d		d	
On a tablet	1216 50%	102 63%	106 65%	159 65%	157 64%	182 56%	226 69%	106 33%	97 30%	40 25%	41 25%	1015 51%	106 49%	52 43%	43 44%
		ghij	ghij	ghij	ghij	ghij	ghij								
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	767 31%	11 7%	15 9%	45 19%	41 17%	132 41%	128 39%	167 51%	123 38%	57 35%	48 30%	650 32%	59 27%	37 31%	21 22%
				a		abcd	abcd	abcdij	abcd	abcd	abd	d		d	
Through an app on a smart TV	226 9%	8 5%	5 3%	38 16%	19 8%	33 10%	42 13%	23 7%	38 12%	11 7%	9 6%	189 9%	20 9%	10 8%	6 6%
				abj			b		b						
On a virtual reality gaming headset / device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	129 5%	4 3%	* *%	11 4%	10 4%	19 6%	8 2%	39 12%	14 4%	16 10%	8 5%	102 5%	13 6%	11 9%	4 4%
						b		abf		abf	b			ad	

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

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	43 2%	2 1%	1 1%	5 2%	1 *%	5 2%	1 *%	7 2%	8 3%	5 3%	9 5%	31 2%	8 3%	4 3%	1 1%
No, never play games	233 10%	28 17%	35 22%	16 7%	30 12%	2 1%	16 5%	11 3%	53 16%	3 2%	38 23%	190 9%	20 9%	12 10%	10 11%
		efgi	cefgi	e	egi				efgi		cddefgi				
SUMMARY															
CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2211 90%	135 83%	128 78%	228 93%	214 88%	324 99%	309 95%	315 97%	273 84%	160 98%	125 77%	1819 91%	198 91%	108 90%	87 89%
				bj	j	abcdhj	abhj	abdhj		abdhj					

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
On a games console or games player (e.g. PlayStation, Xbox, Nintendo Switch, Nintendo DS or PS Vita)	1450 59%	1245 59%	181 57%	418 61%	341 59%	306 60%	373 59%	759 60%	678 59%	329 70% b	1067 58%	376 60%	445 59%	355 64%
On a mobile phone or smartphone	1329 54%	1151 55%	160 50%	381 56%	314 54%	279 54%	345 54%	695 55%	624 54%	290 62%	977 53%	367 59%	414 55%	310 56%
On a tablet	1216 50%	1042 50%	163 51%	338 49%	313 54%	266 52%	292 46%	650 51%	557 49%	210 45%	958 52%	261 42%	401 53% a	299 54% a
On a desktop computer, laptop, or netbook	767 31%	679 32%	81 25%	271 40% cdf	189 32%	139 27%	157 25%	460 36% cdf	295 26%	171 37%	551 30%	161 26%	254 34%	195 35% a
Through an app on a smart TV	226 9%	185 9%	31 10%	82 12%	52 9%	42 8%	48 8%	134 11%	90 8%	56 12%	158 9%	55 9%	57 8%	74 13%
On a virtual reality gaming headset / device (e.g. Oculus, Samsung Gear VR)	129 5%	116 6%	13 4%	51 8% d	33 6%	28 5%	17 3%	84 7%	45 4%	34 7%	91 5%	25 4%	38 5%	47 9%

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Using wearable technology like a smartwatch (such as an Apple Watch)	43 2%	42 2%	1 *%	19 3%	8 1%	8 2%	8 1%	27 2%	16 1%	11 2%	29 2%	9 1%	13 2%	18 3%
No, never play games	233 10%	184 9%	41 13%	67 10%	55 9%	44 9%	59 9%	123 10%	103 9%	27 6%	184 10%	52 8%	78 10%	39 7%
SUMMARY														
CHILD PLAYS GAMES IN ANY OF THESE WAYS	2211 90%	1910 91%	277 87%	617 90%	527 91%	469 91%	577 91%	1144 90%	1046 91%	441 94%	1658 90%	574 92%	676 90%	514 93%

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2171	393	448	487	462	381	1143	1028	253	960	829
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	208	240	265	252	357	609	539	122	517	451
Total	2211	263	442	633	588	285	1162	1049	145	1046	899
Rules about purchasing or downloading games or apps/ in-app purchasing	1435 65%	139 53%	288 65%	525 83%	381 65%	101 35%	780 67%	655 62%	79 54%	761 73%	540 60%
		e	ae	abde	e					ac	
Rules about only playing games with appropriate content (no violence/ nudity/ swearing etc.)	1249 56%	150 57%	278 63%	464 73%	302 51%	55 19%	645 56%	604 58%	74 51%	710 68%	408 45%
		e	de	ade	e					ac	
Rules about how much time they spend playing games	1242 56%	152 58%	269 61%	434 69%	310 53%	76 27%	686 59%	555 53%	87 60%	669 64%	445 49%
		e	e	de	e					c	
Rules about only playing games with an age appropriate rating	1182 53%	145 55%	285 64%	440 69%	262 45%	50 18%	596 51%	586 56%	75 52%	693 66%	364 40%
		e	de	ade	e					ac	
Rules about when they can play games	1142 52%	140 53%	265 60%	407 64%	269 46%	61 21%	618 53%	524 50%	78 54%	651 62%	375 42%
		e	de	de	e					c	
Rules about who they can play games with or play against	1037 47%	93 35%	201 46%	415 66%	265 45%	63 22%	587 51%	449 43%	47 33%	571 55%	382 42%
		e	e	abde	e		b			ac	

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2171	393	448	487	462	381	1143	1028	253	960	829
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	208	240	265	252	357	609	539	122	517	451
Total	2211	263	442	633	588	285	1162	1049	145	1046	899
Rules about whether they can play games online	855	109	214	352	141	38	436	419	60	534	233
	39%	41%	48%	56%	24%	13%	38%	40%	42%	51%	26%
		de	de	ade	e				c	c	
Other rules	29	9	8	7	2	2	13	17	5	20	3
	1%	3%	2%	1%	*%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	*%
									c		
No, do not have any rules	285	26	17	19	98	126	143	143	17	43	191
	13%	10%	4%	3%	17%	44%	12%	14%	12%	4%	21%
		c			bc	abcd			b		b
SUMMARY											
ANY RULES	1926	238	425	614	490	159	1019	906	128	1003	709
	87%	90%	96%	97%	83%	56%	88%	86%	88%	96%	79%
		e	de	ade	e					ac	

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2171	195	198	233	215	250	237	247	215	218	163	1018	396	369	388
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	105	103	126	115	136	129	135	116	202	155	810	347	297	321
Total	2211	135	128	228	214	324	309	315	273	160	125	1819	198	108	87
Rules about purchasing or downloading games or apps/ in-app purchasing	1435	68	71	152	137	276	249	222	159	62	39	1182	132	69	52
	65%	50%	56%	67%	64%	85%	81%	71%	58%	39%	31%	65%	67%	64%	60%
		j	ij	ij	ij	abcdghij	abdhij	aij	ij						
Rules about only playing games with appropriate content (no violence/ nudity/ swearing etc.)	1249	75	75	127	151	232	232	181	121	31	25	1042	102	59	46
	56%	55%	59%	56%	70%	72%	75%	57%	44%	19%	20%	57%	52%	55%	53%
		ij	ij	ij	hij	achij	abcghij	ij	ij						
Rules about how much time they spend playing games	1242	67	85	138	132	227	207	204	106	51	25	1021	113	60	48
	56%	50%	66%	60%	61%	70%	67%	65%	39%	32%	20%	56%	57%	55%	56%
		ij	hij	hij	hij	ahij	ahij	hij	j						
Rules about only playing games with an age appropriate rating	1182	72	73	134	151	209	230	151	111	29	21	983	102	56	41
	53%	53%	57%	59%	70%	65%	74%	48%	41%	18%	17%	54%	52%	52%	47%
		ij	ij	hij	aghij	ghij	abcghij	ij	ij						
Rules about when they can play games	1142	65	75	136	129	202	205	176	93	39	22	956	96	49	42
	52%	48%	59%	59%	60%	62%	66%	56%	34%	24%	18%	53%	49%	45%	48%
		ij	hij	hij	hij	hij	ahij	hij	j						
Rules about who they can play games with or play against	1037	48	44	113	88	213	202	174	90	39	25	864	90	47	36
	47%	36%	35%	50%	41%	66%	65%	55%	33%	24%	20%	48%	45%	44%	41%
		j	j	hij	ij	abcdhij	abdhij	abhij							

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

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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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2171	195	198	233	215	250	237	247	215	218	163	1018	396	369	388
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	105	103	126	115	136	129	135	116	202	155	810	347	297	321
Total	2211	135	128	228	214	324	309	315	273	160	125	1819	198	108	87
Rules about whether they can play games online	855 39%	53 39%	56 44%	103 45%	111 52%	186 58%	166 54%	67 21%	74 27%	26 16%	12 10%	715 39%	72 36%	39 36%	28 33%
		gij	gij	ghij	ghij	aghij	ghij		j						
Other rules	29 1%	5 4%	4 3%	6 2%	3 1%	1 *0%	7 2%	- -%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	23 1%	3 2%	2 2%	1 2%
No, do not have any rules	285 13%	15 11%	10 8%	14 6%	3 1%	11 3%	8 3%	46 14%	53 19%	56 35%	69 55%	236 13%	22 11%	16 15%	11 13%
		df						def	cdef	abcdefgh	abcdefghi				
SUMMARY															
ANY RULES	1926 87%	120 89%	118 92%	214 94%	211 99%	313 97%	301 97%	269 86%	221 81%	104 65%	56 45%	1583 87%	176 89%	93 85%	75 87%
		ij	ij	hij	aghij	ghij	aghij	ij	ij	j					

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2171	1853	292	696	569	418	473	1265	891	426	1652	554	713	506
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	991	143	371	300	217	268	670	486	224	871	299	348	282
Total	2211	1910	277	617	527	469	577	1144	1046	441	1658	574	676	514
Rules about purchasing or downloading games or apps/ in-app purchasing	1435 65%	1241 65%	176 64%	417 68%	338 64%	313 67%	359 62%	754 66%	672 64%	292 66%	1098 66%	343 60%	460 68%	347 67%
Rules about only playing games with appropriate content (no violence/ nudity/ swearing etc.)	1249 56%	1101 58%	145 52%	364 59%	292 55%	259 55%	323 56%	656 57%	582 56%	228 52%	976 59%	289 50%	393 58%	310 60%
Rules about how much time they spend playing games	1242 56%	1081 57%	156 56%	388 63% df	308 58%	253 54%	290 50%	696 61% df	543 52%	233 53%	972 59%	283 49%	385 57%	323 63% a
Rules about only playing games with an age appropriate rating	1182 53%	1030 54%	140 51%	330 53%	296 56%	255 54%	292 51%	626 55%	547 52%	221 50%	921 56%	271 47%	373 55%	295 57%
Rules about when they can play games	1142 52%	981 51%	155 56%	364 59% cdf	291 55%	219 47%	264 46%	656 57% cdf	483 46%	236 54%	876 53%	253 44%	359 53%	302 59% a
Rules about who they can play games with or play against	1037 47%	902 47%	121 44%	310 50%	256 48%	220 47%	245 42%	565 49%	465 44%	222 50%	778 47%	231 40%	334 49%	249 48%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2171	1853	292	696	569	418	473	1265	891	426	1652	554	713	506
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	991	143	371	300	217	268	670	486	224	871	299	348	282
Total	2211	1910	277	617	527	469	577	1144	1046	441	1658	574	676	514
Rules about whether they can play games online	855 39%	740 39%	106 38%	254 41%	204 39%	169 36%	227 39%	458 40%	396 38%	160 36%	658 40%	189 33%	279 41%	215 42%
Other rules	29 1%	18 1%	11 4% a	10 2%	8 2%	1 *%	10 2%	18 2%	11 1%	3 1%	25 2%	7 1%	9 1%	8 2%
No, do not have any rules	285 13%	248 13%	34 12%	56 9%	64 12%	65 14%	93 16% a	120 10%	158 15% a	52 12%	210 13%	85 15%	73 11%	64 12%
SUMMARY														
ANY RULES	1926 87%	1662 87%	243 88%	561 91% df	463 88%	404 86%	484 84%	1024 90%	888 85%	389 88%	1448 87%	489 85%	604 89%	451 88%

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2171	393	448	487	462	381	1143	1028	253	960	829
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	208	240	265	252	357	609	539	122	517	451
Total	2211	263	442	633	588	285	1162	1049	145	1046	899
Very concerned	443	70	102	147	79	46	233	210	34	250	136
	20%	27%	23%	23%	13%	16%	20%	20%	23%	24%	15%
		de	d	d						c	
Fairly concerned	619	38	105	226	188	62	355	264	23	302	273
	28%	14%	24%	36%	32%	22%	31%	25%	16%	29%	30%
				abe	ae					a	a
Neither/ nor	419	37	80	116	120	67	213	206	21	175	189
	19%	14%	18%	18%	20%	24%	18%	20%	15%	17%	21%
					a						
Not very concerned	398	41	79	103	116	59	215	183	23	179	170
	18%	16%	18%	16%	20%	21%	18%	17%	16%	17%	19%
Not at all concerned	304	68	74	39	78	45	129	175	36	133	120
	14%	26%	17%	6%	13%	16%	11%	17%	25%	13%	13%
		cde	c		c	c		a	bc		
Don't know	28	10	2	3	7	7	18	10	8	7	12
	1%	4%	*%	*%	1%	2%	2%	1%	5%	1%	1%
		c							bc		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1062	108	207	373	268	107	588	474	57	552	409
	48%	41%	47%	59%	46%	38%	51%	45%	40%	53%	45%
				abde						a	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	702	109	154	142	194	104	343	359	58	312	290
	32%	41%	35%	22%	33%	36%	30%	34%	40%	30%	32%
		c	c		c	c					
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	447	47	82	118	127	74	231	217	29	182	201
	20%	18%	18%	19%	22%	26%	20%	21%	20%	17%	22%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2171	195	198	233	215	250	237	247	215	218	163	1018	396	369	388	
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	105	103	126	115	136	129	135	116	202	155	810	347	297	321	
Total	2211	135	128	228	214	324	309	315	273	160	125	1819	198	108	87	
Very concerned	443	32	38	56	46	74	73	39	40	32	14	360	36	30	17	
	20%	24%	29%	25%	21%	23%	24%	12%	15%	20%	11%	20%	18%	28%	20%	
		j	ghj	j			j							ab		
Fairly concerned	619	23	15	70	35	123	103	101	88	39	23	506	58	27	28	
	28%	17%	11%	31%	17%	38%	33%	32%	32%	24%	18%	28%	29%	25%	32%	
				b		abdij	abdj	abdj	abd	b						
Neither/ nor	419	17	20	36	44	66	49	60	60	34	33	354	34	19	12	
	19%	12%	16%	16%	21%	21%	16%	19%	22%	22%	26%	19%	17%	17%	14%	
											a					
Not very concerned	398	19	22	41	38	46	57	79	37	29	30	324	38	20	17	
	18%	14%	17%	18%	18%	14%	18%	25%	13%	18%	24%	18%	19%	18%	19%	
Not at all concerned	304	36	32	24	51	14	25	33	45	22	23	249	30	12	12	
	14%	26%	25%	10%	24%	4%	8%	10%	16%	14%	18%	14%	15%	11%	14%	
		cefg	cefg		cefg				e	e	e					
Don't know	28	8	2	2	-	-	3	4	3	4	3	25	1	*	2	
	1%	6%	2%	1%	-%	-%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	*%	2%	
		de														
SUMMARY																
TOTAL CONCERNED	1062	55	52	125	81	197	176	140	128	70	37	866	94	57	45	
	48%	41%	41%	55%	38%	61%	57%	44%	47%	44%	30%	48%	48%	53%	52%	
				dj		abdij	dj		j	j						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	702	55	54	65	89	60	82	112	82	51	52	573	68	32	28	
	32%	41%	42%	28%	41%	19%	26%	36%	30%	32%	42%	32%	35%	30%	33%	
		e	e		e			e		e	ef					
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	447	25	22	38	44	66	52	63	63	38	35	379	35	19	13	
	20%	18%	17%	17%	21%	21%	17%	20%	23%	24%	28%	21%	18%	18%	15%	

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

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Base : Parents whose child aged 3-17 plays games

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2171	1853	292	696	569	418	473	1265	891	426	1652	554	713	506
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	991	143	371	300	217	268	670	486	224	871	299	348	282
Total	2211	1910	277	617	527	469	577	1144	1046	441	1658	574	676	514
Very concerned	443 20%	399 21%	40 14%	128 21%	96 18%	97 21%	120 21%	224 20%	216 21%	100 23%	318 19%	129 22%	118 17%	84 16%
Fairly concerned	619 28%	522 27%	86 31%	180 29%	157 30%	143 30%	135 23%	337 29%	278 27%	121 27%	471 28%	154 27%	218 32%	147 29%
Neither/ nor	419 19%	373 20%	45 16%	105 17%	96 18%	90 19%	121 21%	201 18%	210 20%	95 21%	303 18%	113 20%	118 17%	87 17%
Not very concerned	398 18%	328 17%	64 23%	122 20%	100 19%	78 17%	97 17%	222 19%	175 17%	67 15%	307 19%	100 17%	126 19%	113 22%
Not at all concerned	304 14%	263 14%	40 14%	79 13%	72 14%	58 12%	96 17%	150 13%	153 15%	56 13%	239 14%	76 13%	91 13%	80 15%
Don't know	28 1%	25 1%	3 1%	3 *%	7 1%	4 1%	9 2%	9 1%	13 1%	2 *%	19 1%	2 *%	6 1%	4 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1062 48%	921 48%	126 45%	308 50%	253 48%	239 51%	255 44%	561 49%	494 47%	220 50%	790 48%	283 49%	336 50%	231 45%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	702 32%	592 31%	104 37%	200 32%	172 33%	136 29%	193 33%	372 33%	328 31%	124 28%	547 33%	176 31%	216 32%	193 38%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	447 20%	398 21%	48 17%	108 18%	102 19%	94 20%	130 22%	211 18%	224 21%	97 22%	322 19%	115 20%	124 18%	90 18%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2171	393	448	487	462	381	1143	1028	253	960	829
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	208	240	265	252	357	609	539	122	517	451
Total	2211	263	442	633	588	285	1162	1049	145	1046	899
Very concerned	493	57	132	135	119	50	269	224	31	258	176
	22%	22%	30%	21%	20%	18%	23%	21%	21%	25%	20%
			e								
Fairly concerned	631	56	109	234	152	80	358	273	27	338	244
	29%	21%	25%	37%	26%	28%	31%	26%	19%	32%	27%
			abd							a	
Neither/ nor	414	49	76	119	119	52	223	192	27	185	174
	19%	18%	17%	19%	20%	18%	19%	18%	19%	18%	19%
Not very concerned	374	38	72	95	123	46	166	209	22	152	169
	17%	14%	16%	15%	21%	16%	14%	20%	15%	15%	19%
Not at all concerned	265	54	51	46	62	53	129	137	31	103	121
	12%	20%	12%	7%	10%	18%	11%	13%	22%	10%	14%
		bcd				cd			b		
Don't know	33	9	2	4	13	5	18	15	7	8	15
	1%	4%	*%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%	1%	2%
									b		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1124	114	241	369	271	129	627	497	58	596	420
	51%	43%	55%	58%	46%	45%	54%	47%	40%	57%	47%
				ade						ac	
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	640	92	123	142	185	98	294	346	53	256	290
	29%	35%	28%	22%	31%	35%	25%	33%	37%	24%	32%
		c				c		a	b		b
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	447	58	78	123	132	57	241	206	34	194	189
	20%	22%	18%	19%	22%	20%	21%	20%	23%	19%	21%

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2171	195	198	233	215	250	237	247	215	218	163	1018	396	369	388
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	105	103	126	115	136	129	135	116	202	155	810	347	297	321
Total	2211	135	128	228	214	324	309	315	273	160	125	1819	198	108	87
Very concerned	493	27	31	75	57	67	68	65	54	36	14	410	39	29	16
	22%	20%	24%	33%	27%	21%	22%	21%	20%	23%	11%	23%	20%	27%	18%
			j	j	j					j				d	
Fairly concerned	631	29	27	65	44	137	97	77	75	49	30	510	61	31	29
	29%	22%	21%	29%	21%	42%	31%	24%	28%	31%	24%	28%	31%	28%	34%
						abdgj									
Neither/ nor	414	26	23	43	32	58	60	68	51	28	25	357	30	16	12
	19%	19%	18%	19%	15%	18%	20%	21%	19%	17%	20%	20%	15%	15%	13%
Not very concerned	374	14	24	26	47	39	56	66	57	21	25	301	40	18	16
	17%	10%	19%	11%	22%	12%	18%	21%	21%	13%	20%	17%	20%	16%	18%
Not at all concerned	265	34	20	17	34	22	24	33	29	23	30	211	27	14	13
	12%	25%	16%	7%	16%	7%	8%	10%	11%	14%	24%	12%	14%	13%	14%
		cefg									cefg				
Don't know	33	6	3	2	-	1	3	7	6	3	2	30	1	*	2
	1%	4%	3%	1%	-%	*%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	*%	*%	2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1124	56	58	140	101	204	165	142	129	85	44	920	100	60	45
	51%	41%	45%	61%	47%	63%	53%	45%	47%	53%	35%	51%	51%	55%	52%
				agj		abgj	j			j					
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	640	48	44	43	81	61	81	99	86	44	54	512	67	32	28
	29%	35%	34%	19%	38%	19%	26%	31%	32%	28%	43%	28%	34%	29%	33%
		ce	ce		ce						cefi				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	447	32	26	45	32	59	64	74	58	30	27	387	31	17	13
	20%	24%	20%	20%	15%	18%	21%	24%	21%	19%	21%	21%	16%	16%	15%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2171	1853	292	696	569	418	473	1265	891	426	1652	554	713	506
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	991	143	371	300	217	268	670	486	224	871	299	348	282
Total	2211	1910	277	617	527	469	577	1144	1046	441	1658	574	676	514
Very concerned	493 22%	429 22%	54 19%	157 26%	100 19%	106 23%	130 23%	257 22%	236 23%	116 26%	347 21%	146 25%	128 19%	93 18%
Fairly concerned	631 29%	551 29%	76 27%	179 29%	136 26%	164 35%	149 26%	315 28%	313 30%	150 34%	451 27%	148 26%	207 31%	163 32%
Neither/ nor	414 19%	353 18%	58 21%	103 17%	109 21%	74 16%	120 21%	212 19%	193 18%	55 12%	330 20%	126 22%	113 17%	98 19%
Not very concerned	374 17%	314 16%	59 21%	110 18%	104 20%	64 14%	95 17%	214 19%	160 15%	75 17%	284 17%	85 15%	132 20%	94 18%
Not at all concerned	265 12%	231 12%	29 10%	65 11%	69 13%	57 12%	71 12%	134 12%	128 12%	43 10%	220 13%	66 11%	88 13%	59 11%
Don't know	33 1%	32 2%	1 *%	3 *%	9 2%	5 1%	11 2%	12 1%	16 2%	2 *%	25 1%	3 1%	8 1%	6 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1124 51%	980 51%	129 47%	336 54%	236 45%	270 57%	279 48%	572 50%	549 52%	266 60%	799 48%	294 51%	335 49%	257 50%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	640 29%	545 29%	88 32%	175 28%	173 33%	121 26%	167 29%	348 30%	288 28%	118 27%	504 30%	151 26%	220 33%	153 30%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	447 20%	385 20%	59 21%	106 17%	118 22%	79 17%	131 23%	224 20%	209 20%	57 13%	355 21%	129 22%	121 18%	105 20%

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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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2171	393	448	487	462	381	1143	1028	253	960	829
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	208	240	265	252	357	609	539	122	517	451
Total	2211	263	442	633	588	285	1162	1049	145	1046	899
Very concerned	549	65	116	192	123	53	296	253	28	288	203
	25%	25%	26%	30%	21%	19%	25%	24%	19%	28%	23%
				e							
Fairly concerned	601	38	115	203	172	72	337	264	23	305	244
	27%	14%	26%	32%	29%	25%	29%	25%	16%	29%	27%
			a	a	a	a				a	a
Neither/ nor	392	36	66	122	110	59	214	178	18	171	180
	18%	14%	15%	19%	19%	21%	18%	17%	13%	16%	20%
Not very concerned	346	34	67	78	113	54	171	175	20	144	158
	16%	13%	15%	12%	19%	19%	15%	17%	14%	14%	18%
Not at all concerned	295	82	74	37	61	42	130	166	49	131	101
	13%	31%	17%	6%	10%	15%	11%	16%	34%	13%	11%
		bcde	c			c			bc		
Don't know	28	8	4	1	10	6	15	13	6	6	14
	1%	3%	1%	*%	2%	2%	1%	1%	4%	1%	2%
		c							b		
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1150	103	232	395	295	125	633	517	50	593	446
	52%	39%	52%	62%	50%	44%	54%	49%	35%	57%	50%
			a	ade						a	a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	641	116	141	115	173	96	301	341	70	276	259
	29%	44%	32%	18%	29%	34%	26%	32%	48%	26%	29%
		bcd	c		c	c			bc		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	420	44	69	123	120	64	228	191	24	177	194
	19%	17%	16%	19%	20%	23%	20%	18%	17%	17%	22%

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

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Table 50

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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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2171	195	198	233	215	250	237	247	215	218	163	1018	396	369	388
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	105	103	126	115	136	129	135	116	202	155	810	347	297	321
Total	2211	135	128	228	214	324	309	315	273	160	125	1819	198	108	87
Very concerned	549	34	31	63	54	106	86	56	67	37	15	456	38	35	21
	25%	25%	24%	28%	25%	33%	28%	18%	25%	23%	12%	25%	19%	32%	24%
				j		gj	j			j				b	
Fairly concerned	601	18	20	76	40	103	100	101	71	39	33	489	65	25	23
	27%	13%	15%	33%	19%	32%	32%	32%	26%	25%	26%	27%	33%	23%	26%
				ab		ab	ab	ab					c		
Neither/ nor	392	22	14	33	33	70	52	54	56	34	24	330	31	17	14
	18%	16%	11%	14%	15%	22%	17%	17%	21%	22%	19%	18%	16%	16%	16%
Not very concerned	346	17	17	24	43	31	47	74	38	24	30	276	37	18	14
	16%	13%	14%	11%	20%	10%	15%	24%	14%	15%	24%	15%	19%	17%	17%
								ce			ce				
Not at all concerned	295	40	42	29	45	13	24	27	34	22	20	244	26	13	13
	13%	29%	33%	13%	21%	4%	8%	8%	12%	14%	16%	13%	13%	12%	16%
		cefg	cefg		efg					e	e				
Don't know	28	4	4	3	*	-	1	4	6	3	3	24	2	*	1
	1%	3%	3%	2%	*%	-%	*%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	*%	2%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL CONCERNED	1150	52	51	139	93	209	186	157	138	77	48	945	103	60	43
	52%	39%	40%	61%	44%	64%	60%	50%	51%	48%	39%	52%	52%	55%	50%
				abdj		abdj	abdj								
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	641	57	60	53	88	45	71	101	73	46	50	520	63	31	28
	29%	42%	47%	23%	41%	14%	23%	32%	27%	29%	40%	29%	32%	29%	32%
		cef	cefhi		cef			e		e	cef				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	420	26	17	37	33	70	52	57	62	38	27	354	32	18	15
	19%	19%	13%	16%	15%	22%	17%	18%	23%	24%	21%	19%	16%	16%	18%

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

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Table 50

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2171	1853	292	696	569	418	473	1265	891	426	1652	554	713	506
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	991	143	371	300	217	268	670	486	224	871	299	348	282
Total	2211	1910	277	617	527	469	577	1144	1046	441	1658	574	676	514
Very concerned	549 25%	488 26%	52 19%	153 25%	109 21%	135 29%	150 26%	262 23%	285 27%	113 26%	402 24%	142 25%	159 23%	116 23%
Fairly concerned	601 27%	510 27%	80 29%	162 26%	128 24%	151 32%	158 27%	290 25%	309 30%	150 34%	431 26%	173 30%	199 29%	123 24%
Neither/ nor	392 18%	351 18%	40 14%	124 20%	103 20%	57 12%	97 17%	227 20%	154 15%	69 16%	299 18%	106 19%	100 15%	103 20%
Not very concerned	346 16%	291 15%	53 19%	98 16%	95 18%	70 15%	82 14%	193 17%	152 15%	61 14%	268 16%	80 14%	119 18%	89 17%
Not at all concerned	295 13%	247 13%	47 17%	79 13%	85 16%	50 11%	80 14%	164 14%	131 13%	46 10%	238 14%	70 12%	96 14%	79 15%
Don't know	28 1%	22 1%	5 2%	2 *%	7 1%	6 1%	10 2%	8 1%	16 1%	2 *%	20 1%	3 *%	3 *%	5 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1150 52%	998 52%	132 48%	315 51%	237 45%	286 61%	308 53%	552 48%	594 57%	263 60%	833 50%	315 55%	358 53%	239 46%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	641 29%	538 28%	100 36%	177 29%	181 34%	120 26%	162 28%	357 31%	283 27%	107 24%	506 31%	150 26%	215 32%	168 33%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	420 19%	374 20%	45 16%	125 20%	110 21%	63 13%	106 18%	235 21%	170 16%	70 16%	319 19%	109 19%	103 15%	108 21%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2171	393	448	487	462	381	1143	1028	253	960	829
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	208	240	265	252	357	609	539	122	517	451
Total	2211	263	442	633	588	285	1162	1049	145	1046	899
Very concerned	618	68	130	213	150	58	330	289	31	322	230
	28%	26%	29%	34%	26%	20%	28%	28%	22%	31%	26%
				e							
Fairly concerned	684	40	115	252	193	83	368	316	23	346	292
	31%	15%	26%	40%	33%	29%	32%	30%	16%	33%	33%
			a	abe	a	a				a	a
Neither/ nor	287	35	56	57	81	58	151	136	23	104	133
	13%	13%	13%	9%	14%	21%	13%	13%	16%	10%	15%
					c						
Not very concerned	325	36	64	70	108	48	183	141	13	137	150
	15%	14%	14%	11%	18%	17%	16%	13%	9%	13%	17%
Not at all concerned	266	77	71	36	47	35	115	151	49	124	83
	12%	29%	16%	6%	8%	12%	10%	14%	34%	12%	9%
		bcd	cd		c				bc		
Don't know	31	7	7	5	9	3	15	16	6	13	10
	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	4%	1%	1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL CONCERNED	1302	109	245	465	343	140	698	604	54	667	523
	59%	41%	55%	73%	58%	49%	60%	58%	38%	64%	58%
			a	abde	a					a	a
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	591	112	135	106	155	83	298	292	62	261	233
	27%	43%	30%	17%	26%	29%	26%	28%	43%	25%	26%
		bcd	c		c	c			bc		
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318	43	63	62	90	61	166	153	28	117	143
	14%	16%	14%	10%	15%	22%	14%	15%	19%	11%	16%
						c					

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2171	195	198	233	215	250	237	247	215	218	163	1018	396	369	388
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	105	103	126	115	136	129	135	116	202	155	810	347	297	321
Total	2211	135	128	228	214	324	309	315	273	160	125	1819	198	108	87
Very concerned	618	35	33	73	57	109	103	75	75	38	20	513	44	37	25
	28%	26%	26%	32%	27%	34%	33%	24%	28%	24%	16%	28%	22%	34%	29%
				j		j	j							b	
Fairly concerned	684	21	19	68	47	133	120	98	95	48	34	561	68	32	23
	31%	16%	15%	30%	22%	41%	39%	31%	35%	30%	28%	31%	34%	30%	26%
				b		abd	abd	ab	ab	ab					
Neither/ nor	287	17	18	28	28	29	28	43	37	34	25	237	26	13	12
	13%	13%	14%	12%	13%	9%	9%	14%	14%	21%	20%	13%	13%	12%	14%
										ef	ef				
Not very concerned	325	20	15	29	34	38	32	73	35	23	25	261	35	14	15
	15%	15%	12%	13%	16%	12%	10%	23%	13%	14%	20%	14%	18%	12%	17%
								f							
Not at all concerned	266	38	39	24	47	15	21	22	26	17	18	218	24	13	11
	12%	28%	30%	11%	22%	5%	7%	7%	9%	10%	15%	12%	12%	12%	13%
		cefg	cefg		efghi						e				
Don't know	31	4	3	7	1	-	5	4	5	1	2	29	1	1	1
	1%	3%	3%	3%	*	-	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	*	*	1%

SUMMARY

TOTAL CONCERNED	1302	56	53	141	104	242	223	173	170	86	54	1074	112	69	47
	59%	41%	41%	62%	49%	75%	72%	55%	62%	54%	43%	59%	57%	64%	55%
				abj		abd	gdj		abj						
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	591	58	54	53	82	53	53	95	60	39	44	479	59	26	26
	27%	43%	42%	23%	38%	16%	17%	30%	22%	24%	35%	26%	30%	24%	30%
		cefhi	cefhi		efh			e			ef				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318	21	21	34	29	29	33	47	43	35	27	266	26	13	13
	14%	16%	17%	15%	13%	9%	11%	15%	16%	22%	21%	15%	13%	12%	15%
										ef	e				

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2171	1853	292	696	569	418	473	1265	891	426	1652	554	713	506
Effective Weighted Sample	1148	991	143	371	300	217	268	670	486	224	871	299	348	282
Total	2211	1910	277	617	527	469	577	1144	1046	441	1658	574	676	514
Very concerned	618 28%	552 29%	58 21%	171 28%	116 22%	156 33%	175 30%	287 25%	331 32%	133 30%	451 27%	171 30%	170 25%	136 26%
Fairly concerned	684 31%	587 31%	86 31%	200 32%	187 35%	151 32%	142 25%	386 34%	292 28%	159 36%	495 30%	155 27%	251 37%	156 30%
Neither/ nor	287 13%	251 13%	33 12%	67 11%	64 12%	60 13%	89 15%	131 11%	148 14%	56 13%	217 13%	93 16%	66 10%	60 12%
Not very concerned	325 15%	270 14%	54 19%	114 18%	85 16%	53 11%	70 12%	199 17%	123 12%	48 11%	260 16%	71 12%	113 17%	96 19%
Not at all concerned	266 12%	221 12%	43 16%	63 10%	64 12%	48 10%	90 16%	127 11%	138 13%	44 10%	210 13%	79 14%	76 11%	63 12%
Don't know	31 1%	28 1%	3 1%	2 *%	12 2%	2 *%	12 2%	14 1%	13 1%	1 *%	24 1%	5 1%	2 *%	4 1%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL CONCERNED	1302 59%	1139 60%	144 52%	370 60%	303 57%	307 65%	316 55%	673 59%	623 60%	292 66%	946 57%	326 57%	420 62%	292 57%
TOTAL NOT CONCERNED	591 27%	492 26%	97 35%	177 29%	149 28%	101 22%	160 28%	326 28%	261 25%	91 21%	470 28%	151 26%	188 28%	158 31%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	318 14%	279 15%	36 13%	70 11%	76 14%	61 13%	100 17%	145 13%	162 15%	57 13%	242 15%	98 17%	68 10%	64 13%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Strongly disagree	522 21%	112 34%	121 25%	127 20%	115 18%	47 14%	260 21%	261 21%	73 37%	239 22%	175 18%
		cde	e						bc		
Slightly disagree	558 23%	78 24%	128 26%	144 22%	160 25%	47 14%	278 23%	280 23%	49 25%	279 25%	197 20%
		e	e		e						
Neither agree nor disagree	362 15%	45 14%	62 13%	104 16%	86 13%	65 20%	175 14%	187 15%	26 13%	165 15%	147 15%
Slightly agree	643 26%	62 19%	127 26%	203 31%	167 26%	84 26%	298 24%	344 28%	38 19%	297 27%	276 28%
				a							
Strongly agree	346 14%	28 8%	51 10%	73 11%	115 18%	79 24%	202 16%	145 12%	12 6%	122 11%	195 19%
				a	abc						ab
Don't know	14 1%	- -%	* *%	* *%	9 1%	4 1%	9 1%	5 *%	- -%	* *%	10 1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL DISAGREE	1079 44%	191 59%	248 51%	272 42%	275 42%	94 29%	538 44%	541 44%	122 61%	519 47%	373 37%
		cde	e	e	e				bc	c	
TOTAL AGREE	989 40%	90 28%	178 36%	276 42%	282 43%	163 50%	500 41%	489 40%	50 25%	420 38%	471 47%
				a	a	ab				a	ab
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	376 15%	45 14%	63 13%	104 16%	95 15%	68 21%	184 15%	192 16%	26 13%	166 15%	157 16%
						b					

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Strongly disagree	522 21%	56 34%	56 34%	45 18%	76 31%	62 19%	65 20%	80 25%	35 11%	18 11%	29 18%	423 21%	49 22%	28 23%	22 22%
		cefhij	cefhij		hij			hi							
Slightly disagree	558 23%	35 22%	43 27%	67 27%	60 25%	68 21%	77 24%	88 27%	72 22%	20 12%	27 17%	464 23%	47 22%	23 19%	23 24%
			i	i	i		i	i							
Neither agree nor disagree	362 15%	22 13%	23 14%	24 10%	39 16%	53 16%	51 16%	47 14%	39 12%	30 19%	34 21%	299 15%	26 12%	23 19%	14 14%
											c			b	
Slightly agree	643 26%	31 19%	31 19%	72 30%	55 22%	96 29%	107 33%	58 18%	109 33%	41 25%	42 26%	521 26%	62 28%	32 26%	28 29%
							bg		abg						
Strongly agree	346 14%	19 11%	9 6%	37 15%	15 6%	48 15%	25 8%	47 14%	68 21%	51 31%	28 17%	291 15%	32 15%	14 12%	9 9%
									bdf	abcdefgj	bdf				
Don't know	14 1%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	6 2%	3 1%	2 1%	2 1%	11 1%	1 1%	- -%	1 1%
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	1079 44%	91 56%	99 61%	112 46%	136 56%	129 40%	142 44%	168 51%	107 33%	38 23%	56 35%	887 44%	96 44%	52 43%	45 46%
		ehij	efhij	i	ehij	i	i	hij							
TOTAL AGREE	989 40%	50 31%	40 25%	109 44%	69 28%	144 44%	132 41%	105 32%	177 54%	92 57%	71 43%	812 40%	94 43%	46 38%	37 39%
				bd		bd	b		abd	abdfgj	bd				
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	376 15%	22 13%	23 14%	24 10%	39 16%	53 16%	52 16%	53 16%	42 13%	33 20%	36 22%	310 15%	28 13%	23 19%	15 15%
										c	c				

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALITY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Strongly disagree	522 21%	461 22%	57 18%	125 18%	110 19%	122 24%	160 25%	235 19%	282 25% e	103 22%	402 22%	144 23%	143 19%	106 19%
Slightly disagree	558 23%	464 22%	86 27%	137 20%	151 26%	115 22%	151 24%	288 23%	266 23%	96 21%	426 23%	149 24%	172 23%	111 20%
Neither agree nor disagree	362 15%	319 15%	40 12%	68 10%	84 15%	87 17% a	114 18% a	153 12%	201 17% ae	66 14%	270 15%	92 15%	110 15%	61 11%
Slightly agree	643 26%	536 26%	98 31%	221 32% df	155 27%	126 25%	135 21%	376 30% df	261 23%	112 24%	502 27%	157 25%	212 28%	177 32%
Strongly agree	346 14%	302 14%	36 11%	132 19% df	76 13%	63 12%	73 11%	208 16%	136 12%	88 19%	236 13%	85 13%	117 15%	95 17%
Don't know	14 1%	13 1%	1 *%	2 *%	5 1%	* *%	2 *%	7 1%	3 *%	2 1%	7 *%	* *%	1 *%	3 *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	1079 44%	925 44%	143 45%	262 38%	261 45%	237 46%	311 49% a	523 41%	548 48% a	199 43%	828 45%	293 47%	314 42%	217 39%
TOTAL AGREE	989 40%	837 40%	134 42%	353 52% bcdf	231 40%	189 37%	208 33%	584 46% df	397 35%	200 43%	737 40%	242 39%	329 44%	272 49% a
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	376 15%	332 16%	40 13%	70 10%	90 15%	87 17%	116 18% a	160 13%	203 18% a	68 15%	277 15%	92 15%	111 15%	64 12%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Strongly disagree	176 7%	10 3%	27 6%	41 6%	74 11%	24 7%	99 8%	77 6%	5 3%	59 5%	99 10%
					a						ab
Slightly disagree	417 17%	25 8%	75 15%	118 18%	142 22%	57 18%	213 17%	203 17%	15 8%	170 15%	211 21%
			a	a	a	a					a
Neither agree nor disagree	294 12%	35 11%	61 12%	80 12%	71 11%	47 15%	153 13%	141 12%	15 7%	146 13%	114 11%
Slightly agree	787 32%	93 29%	149 30%	222 34%	215 33%	109 33%	365 30%	422 35%	58 29%	358 32%	322 32%
Strongly agree	754 31%	163 50%	174 35%	190 29%	144 22%	84 26%	382 31%	372 30%	104 53%	369 33%	248 25%
		bcde	de						bc	c	
Don't know	16 1%	1 *%	3 1%	* *%	7 1%	5 2%	10 1%	7 1%	1 *%	3 *%	8 1%
SUMMARY											
TOTAL DISAGREE	593 24%	35 11%	102 21%	159 24%	216 33%	81 25%	312 26%	281 23%	20 10%	229 21%	310 31%
			a	a	ab	a				a	ab
TOTAL AGREE	1541 63%	256 78%	323 66%	412 63%	359 55%	192 59%	747 61%	794 65%	163 82%	727 66%	570 57%
		bcde	d						bc	c	
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	310 13%	35 11%	64 13%	80 12%	77 12%	53 16%	162 13%	147 12%	15 8%	149 13%	121 12%

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Strongly disagree	176 7%	6 4%	4 2%	17 7%	10 4%	27 8%	15 4%	34 10% b	40 12% ab	15 9% b	8 5%	156 8%	10 5%	5 4%	6 6%
Slightly disagree	417 17%	11 7%	15 9%	38 15%	37 15%	70 21% ab	48 15%	67 21% ab	75 23% ab	28 17% a	29 18% a	338 17%	39 18%	22 19%	17 18%
Neither agree nor disagree	294 12%	19 11%	16 10%	30 12%	31 13%	47 14%	33 10%	33 10%	38 12%	25 15%	23 14%	248 12%	18 8%	18 15% b	9 9%
Slightly agree	787 32%	45 28%	48 29%	71 29%	78 32%	89 27%	133 41%	108 33%	107 33%	51 31%	58 35%	647 32%	79 36% c	30 25%	32 33%
Strongly agree	754 31%	82 50% efghij	81 50% efghij	86 35% h	88 36% h	94 29%	97 30%	80 25%	64 20%	41 25%	42 26%	607 30%	70 32%	46 38% a	31 32%
Don't know	16 1%	* *%	* *%	3 1%	1 *%	- -%	* *%	4 1%	3 1%	2 2%	3 2%	13 1%	1 *%	- -%	2 2% c
SUMMARY															
TOTAL DISAGREE	593 24%	17 10%	18 11%	55 22% a	47 19%	97 30% ab	63 19%	101 31% ab	115 35% abdf	43 27% ab	37 23% ab	494 25%	49 23%	27 22%	23 24%
TOTAL AGREE	1541 63%	127 78% efghij	128 79% ceghij	157 64%	166 68%	183 56%	229 70% hi	188 58%	171 52%	92 57%	100 62%	1253 62%	149 68%	76 63%	63 65%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	310 13%	19 12%	16 10%	33 13%	32 13%	47 14%	34 10%	37 11%	41 12%	27 17%	25 15%	262 13%	19 9%	18 15%	11 11%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Strongly disagree	176 7%	153 7%	23 7%	46 7%	37 6%	53 10%	40 6%	83 7%	93 8%	60 13%	109 6%	36 6%	66 9%	29 5%
Slightly disagree	417 17%	359 17%	52 16%	144 21% cf	108 19%	65 13%	94 15%	253 20% f	159 14%	98 21%	303 16%	83 13%	141 19%	119 21% a
Neither agree nor disagree	294 12%	267 13%	24 8%	66 10%	62 11%	65 13%	93 15%	128 10%	158 14%	45 10%	218 12%	99 16%	76 10%	56 10%
Slightly agree	787 32%	658 31%	110 35%	221 32%	219 38% d	170 33%	173 27%	440 35%	343 30%	159 34%	586 32%	183 29%	264 35%	184 33%
Strongly agree	754 31%	642 31%	108 34%	205 30%	153 26%	159 31%	229 36% b	358 28%	388 34%	106 23%	617 33% a	222 35%	207 27%	164 30%
Don't know	16 1%	15 1%	1 *%	2 *%	3 *%	2 *%	6 1%	4 *%	8 1%	1 *%	9 1%	3 1%	1 *%	* *%
SUMMARY														
TOTAL DISAGREE	593 24%	512 24%	74 23%	191 28%	145 25%	118 23%	134 21%	336 27%	252 22%	158 34% b	412 22%	119 19%	207 27% a	148 27%
TOTAL AGREE	1541 63%	1300 62%	218 69%	426 62%	372 64%	329 64%	402 63%	798 63%	731 64%	264 57%	1203 65%	405 65%	470 62%	348 63%
TOTAL NEITHER/ DON'T KNOW	310 13%	283 13%	25 8%	67 10%	65 11%	66 13%	100 16%	132 10%	166 14%	46 10%	227 12%	102 16%	77 10%	57 10%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - a,b - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
PRE-SCHOOL	198	198	1	-	-	-	100	98	198	-	-
	8%	61%	*%	-%	-%	-%	8%	8%	100%	-%	-%
		bcde							bc		
PRIMARY	1104	124	461	519	-	-	553	552	-	1104	-
	45%	38%	94%	80%	-%	-%	45%	45%	-%	100%	-%
		de	acde	ade						ac	
SECONDARY	1001	-	-	115	614	273	495	506	-	-	1001
	41%	-%	-%	18%	94%	84%	40%	41%	-%	-%	100%
				ab	abce	abc					ab
POST-SCHOOL	28	-	-	-	-	28	12	16	-	-	-
	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	9%	1%	1%	-%	-%	-%
						abcd					
UNKNOWN	112	4	27	18	38	25	62	50	-	-	-
	5%	1%	5%	3%	6%	8%	5%	4%	-%	-%	-%
			a		a	ac					

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

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Table 54

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL YEARS

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
PRE-SCHOOL	198	100	98	*	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	151	29	10	10
	8%	61%	60%	*%	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	8%	13%	8%	10%
		cdefghij	cdefghij										a		
PRIMARY	1104	60	64	235	226	257	262	-	-	-	-	918	93	51	43
	45%	37%	39%	96%	92%	79%	80%	-%	-%	-%	-%	46%	43%	42%	44%
		ghij	ghij	abefghij	abefghij	abghij	abghij								
SECONDARY	1001	-	-	-	-	58	56	300	314	136	136	836	73	54	39
	41%	-%	-%	-%	-%	18%	17%	92%	96%	84%	84%	42%	33%	45%	40%
						abcd	abcd	abcdef	abcdefij	abcdef	abcdef	b		b	
POST-SCHOOL	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	16	19	5	2	2
	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	-%	7%	10%	1%	2%	2%	2%
										abcdefgh	abcdefgh				
UNKNOWN	112	3	1	9	18	10	8	26	12	14	11	86	18	5	4
	5%	2%	1%	4%	7%	3%	2%	8%	4%	9%	7%	4%	8%	4%	4%
					b			b		ab	b		a		

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

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SUMMARY OF SCHOOL YEARS

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
PRE-SCHOOL	198 8%	166 8%	32 10%	40 6%	51 9%	37 7%	69 11%	91 7%	106 9%	26 5%	162 9%	52 8%	71 9%	34 6%
PRIMARY	1104 45%	930 44%	161 51%	293 43%	258 44%	266 52%	274 43%	551 43%	540 47%	178 38%	877 48%	292 47%	347 46%	256 46%
SECONDARY	1001 41%	869 41%	114 36%	330 48% cdf	239 41%	187 37%	232 36%	569 45% f	419 37%	233 50%	712 39%	260 42%	306 41%	250 45%
POST-SCHOOL	28 1%	21 1%	7 2%	5 1%	3 1%	8 2%	11 2%	8 1%	19 2%	8 2%	19 1%	10 2%	8 1%	4 1%
UNKNOWN	112 5%	108 5%	4 1%	17 3%	31 5%	14 3%	49 8%	48 4%	64 6%	23 5%	72 4%	12 2%	22 3%	9 2%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Yes	2223	288	436	610	598	291	1112	1112	176	1006	925
	91%	88%	89%	94%	92%	89%	91%	91%	88%	91%	92%
No	51	6	12	4	20	9	37	15	2	18	23
	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	3%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Child is bilingual/ trilingual – using English equally with one or more other languages	149	28	34	37	28	22	64	86	17	76	52
	6%	9%	7%	6%	4%	7%	5%	7%	9%	7%	5%
Prefer not to say	20	4	7	*	5	3	10	10	4	5	1
	1%	1%	2%	*%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Yes	2223	144	145	219	216	304	306	302	296	142	149	1826	203	104	90
	91%	88%	89%	90%	89%	93%	94%	93%	91%	87%	91%	91%	93%	86%	93%
No	51	5	*	10	2	1	3	13	7	8	2	46	2	2	1
	2%	3%	*%	4%	1%	*%	1%	4%	2%	5%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
										be					
Child is bilingual/ trilingual – using English equally with one or more other languages	149	11	16	10	23	20	17	11	18	11	11	118	12	14	5
	6%	7%	10%	4%	9%	6%	5%	3%	5%	6%	7%	6%	5%	12%	6%
													abd		
Prefer not to say	20	2	2	5	3	*	-	-	5	2	1	19	1	*	*
	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	*%	-%	-%	2%	2%	1%	1%	*%	*%	*%

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

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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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Yes	2223	1898	293	626	545	479	557	1171	1035	431	1694	562	686	528
	91%	91%	92%	92%	94%	93%	88%	92%	90%	92%	92%	90%	91%	95%
No	51	48	3	9	4	7	26	12	33	11	26	19	8	4
	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%
							be							a
Child is bilingual/ trilingual – using English equally with one or more other languages	149	129	21	49	32	27	35	81	63	25	110	40	57	21
	6%	6%	6%	7%	6%	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	6%	8%	4%
Prefer not to say	20	20	1	1	2	*	17	3	17	*	11	5	3	-
	1%	1%	*%	*%	*%	*%	3%	*%	2%	*%	1%	1%	*%	-%
							ae		e					

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

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C2. Which of these groups best describes your child's ethnic group or background? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
WHITE											
English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	1862	247	368	510	489	249	929	933	155	847	766
	76%	76%	75%	78%	75%	76%	76%	76%	78%	77%	77%
Irish	22	6	2	5	4	6	14	8	5	6	11
	1%	2%	*%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%
Gypsy, Traveller or Irish Traveller	2	1	*	-	*	-	*	1	-	1	*
	*%	*%	*%	-%	*%	-%	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%
Any other white background	87	16	15	20	20	16	40	47	10	41	27
	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	4%	5%	4%	3%
MIXED OR MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS											
White and Black Caribbean	60	12	9	10	25	4	32	28	-	27	27
	2%	4%	2%	2%	4%	1%	3%	2%	-%	2%	3%
White and Black African	23	*	-	8	8	7	12	11	*	4	18
	1%	*%	-%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	*%	*%	2%
						ab					
White and Asian	34	5	13	6	6	4	19	15	4	21	10
	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Any other mixed/ multiple ethnic background	45	4	20	10	6	6	16	30	1	30	11
	2%	1%	4%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%

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

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		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
ASIAN AND BRITISH ASIAN											
Indian	50 2%	2 1%	10 2%	18 3%	16 2%	3 1%	26 2%	24 2%	2 1%	24 2%	24 2%
Pakistani	67 3%	11 3%	10 2%	23 3%	15 2%	8 2%	30 2%	37 3%	6 3%	31 3%	26 3%
Bangladeshi	29 1%	3 1%	6 1%	6 1%	8 1%	5 1%	17 1%	12 1%	* *%	13 1%	13 1%
Chinese	13 1%	* *%	2 *%	* *%	8 1%	2 1%	10 1%	3 *%	* *%	3 *%	10 1%
Any other Asian background	32 1%	2 1%	4 1%	6 1%	18 3%	1 *%	16 1%	16 1%	2 1%	6 1%	20 2%
BLACK AND BLACK BRITISH											
Caribbean	9 *%	- -%	- -%	6 1%	3 *%	- -%	6 *%	4 *%	- -%	6 1%	3 *%
African	37 1%	10 3%	8 2%	7 1%	4 1%	7 2%	21 2%	15 1%	6 3%	19 2%	11 1%
Any other black/ African/ Caribbean background	2 *%	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	2 1%	1 *%	1 *%	* *%	- -%	2 *%
OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS											
Arab	16 1%	- -%	- -%	5 1%	9 1%	2 1%	12 1%	4 *%	- -%	5 *%	11 1%

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

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C2. Which of these groups best describes your child's ethnic group or background? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Any other ethnic background	13	4	4	6	-	-	3	10	4	10	-
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-%	-%	*%	1%	2%	1%	-%
									c		
Prefer not to say	41	4	16	5	13	3	19	22	4	10	10
	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%

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

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C2. Which of these groups best describes your child's ethnic group or background? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION				
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441	
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363	
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97	
WHITE																
English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	1862	124	122	189	179	248	261	245	244	122	127	1486	197	108	70	
	76%	76%	75%	77%	73%	76%	80%	75%	75%	75%	78%	74%	91%	90%	72%	
													ad	ad		
Irish	22	4	2	1	1	3	2	3	1	4	2	4	-	1	18	
	1%	2%	1%	*%	*%	1%	1%	1%	*%	2%	1%	*%	-%	*%	18%	
															abc	
Gypsy, Traveller or Irish Traveller	2	-	1	-	*	-	-	*	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	
	*%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	*%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	1%	-%	
Any other white background	87	7	9	8	8	8	12	7	13	10	6	76	6	2	3	
	4%	4%	5%	3%	3%	2%	4%	2%	4%	6%	4%	4%	3%	2%	3%	
MIXED OR MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS																
White and Black Caribbean	60	4	8	5	4	7	3	16	9	-	4	56	1	2	2	
	2%	2%	5%	2%	2%	2%	1%	5%	3%	-%	3%	3%	*%	1%	2%	
			i					i				b				
White and Black African	23	-	*	-	-	4	3	3	5	5	2	22	1	1	-	
	1%	-%	*%	-%	-%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	*%	1%	-%	
White and Asian	34	5	1	6	7	6	-	-	6	2	2	31	1	1	1	
	1%	3%	*%	2%	3%	2%	-%	-%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	
Any other mixed/ multiple ethnic background	45	1	3	7	13	5	6	-	6	3	3	43	1	*	1	
	2%	1%	2%	3%	5%	1%	2%	-%	2%	2%	2%	2%	*%	*%	1%	
					g											

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

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C2. Which of these groups best describes your child's ethnic group or background? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
ASIAN AND BRITISH ASIAN															
Indian	50 2%	2 1%	- -%	5 2%	5 2%	6 2%	12 4%	9 3%	6 2%	3 2%	- -%	46 2%	* *%	2 2%	1 1%
Pakistani	67 3%	3 2%	8 5%	5 2%	6 2%	12 4%	11 3%	6 2%	10 3%	5 3%	3 2%	62 3%	4 2%	* *%	- -%
Bangladeshi	29 1%	2 1%	1 1%	4 1%	3 1%	6 2%	- -%	4 1%	4 1%	1 *%	4 2%	27 1%	1 *%	1 1%	- -%
Chinese	13 1%	* *%	- -%	2 1%	- -%	* *%	- -%	5 1%	3 1%	2 1%	- -%	11 1%	1 1%	- -%	* *%
Any other Asian background	32 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -%	4 2%	4 1%	3 1%	10 3%	8 3%	1 1%	- -%	31 2%	1 *%	- -%	- -%
BLACK AND BLACK BRITISH															
Caribbean	9 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	4 1%	3 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	9 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%
African	37 1%	7 4%	3 2%	6 3%	2 1%	5 2%	2 1%	* *%	4 1%	2 1%	5 3%	36 2%	* *%	* *%	- -%
Any other black/ African/ Caribbean background	2 *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	1 *%	1 1%	2 *%	* *%	- -%	- -%
OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS															
Arab	16 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	5 2%	- -%	6 2%	2 1%	1 1%	1 1%	15 1%	- -%	1 1%	- -%

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

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C2. Which of these groups best describes your child's ethnic group or background? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Any other ethnic background	13	*	3	-	4	3	3	-	-	-	-	13	1	-	-
	1%	*%	2%	-%	2%	1%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	1%	*%	-%	-%
Prefer not to say	41	2	1	7	9	*	4	8	5	1	2	38	1	1	1
	2%	1%	1%	3%	4%	*%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%

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

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
WHITE														
English/ Welsh/ Scottish/ Northern Irish/ British	1862 76%	1547 74%	287 90% a	529 77%	454 78%	415 81% d	453 71%	983 78%	867 76%	355 76%	1439 78%	480 77%	584 77%	462 84%
Irish	22 1%	16 1%	7 2%	7 1%	4 1%	6 1%	6 1%	11 1%	11 1%	5 1%	17 1%	8 1%	5 1%	6 1%
Gypsy, Traveller or Irish Traveller	2 *%	* *%	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	1 *%	* *%	* *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	1 *%
Any other white background	87 4%	80 4%	7 2%	24 3%	12 2%	20 4%	29 5%	36 3%	49 4%	11 2%	62 3%	17 3%	36 5%	10 2%
MIXED OR MULTIPLE ETHNIC GROUPS														
White and Black Caribbean	60 2%	56 3%	* *%	10 1%	5 1%	24 5% be	22 3% e	14 1%	46 4% be	17 4%	43 2%	20 3%	12 2%	10 2%
White and Black African	23 1%	23 1%	- -%	13 2%	5 1%	3 1%	1 *%	19 1%	4 *%	10 2%	13 1%	3 1%	12 2%	3 1%
White and Asian	34 1%	33 2%	1 *%	13 2%	8 1%	3 1%	10 2%	21 2%	14 1%	9 2%	21 1%	18 3%	5 1%	8 1%

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Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Any other mixed/ multiple ethnic background	45 2%	43 2%	2 1%	12 2%	17 3%	3 1%	13 2%	29 2%	17 1%	9 2%	32 2%	11 2%	14 2%	8 1%
ASIAN AND BRITISH ASIAN														
Indian	50 2%	49 2%	* *%	27 4% cf	12 2%	* *%	11 2%	39 3% c	11 1%	6 1%	41 2%	7 1%	23 3%	12 2%
Pakistani	67 3%	65 3%	1 *%	9 1%	11 2%	9 2%	34 5% ae	21 2%	43 4%	15 3%	41 2%	26 4%	12 2%	6 1%
Bangladeshi	29 1%	29 1%	- -%	1 *%	5 1%	11 2% a	10 2%	6 *%	22 2%	7 1%	19 1%	15 2% bc	1 *%	- -%
Chinese	13 1%	13 1%	- -%	2 *%	8 1%	- -%	3 *%	10 1%	3 *%	1 *%	11 1%	1 *%	5 1%	2 *%
Any other Asian background	32 1%	32 2%	- -%	11 2%	4 1%	- -%	10 2%	15 1%	10 1%	3 1%	28 2%	4 1%	6 1%	7 1%
BLACK AND BLACK BRITISH														
Caribbean	9 *%	9 *%	- -%	- -%	3 *%	6 1%	- -%	3 *%	6 1%	3 1%	6 *%	- -%	9 1%	- -%
African	37 1%	33 2%	4 1%	12 2%	11 2%	5 1%	6 1%	24 2%	11 1%	9 2%	21 1%	7 1%	14 2%	6 1%

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Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Any other black/ African/ Caribbean background	2	2	-	*	1	1	-	1	1	-	2	1	1	-
	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%	*%	-%
OTHER ETHNIC GROUPS														
Arab	16	16	-	6	7	-	3	13	3	2	11	3	6	3
	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%	-%	1%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	1%	*%
Any other ethnic background	13	11	2	3	3	-	5	5	5	-	13	1	6	6
	1%	1%	1%	*%	*%	-%	1%	*%	*%	-%	1%	*%	1%	1%
Prefer not to say	41	36	5	6	11	5	18	17	23	7	21	4	3	2
	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	*%	*%

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C3. Which of these – if any – impact or limit your child's daily activities? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4 a	5-7 b	8-11 c	12-15 d	16-17 e	MALE a	FEMALE b	PRE-SCHOOL a	PRIMARY b	SECONDARY c
Significance Level: 99%											
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Hearing? Poor hearing, partial hearing, or are deaf	47 2%	5 2%	6 1%	17 3%	13 2%	6 2%	21 2%	26 2%	3 2%	23 2%	19 2%
Eyesight? Poor vision, colour blindness, partial sight, or are blind	105 4%	12 4%	11 2%	30 5%	32 5%	21 6%	64 5%	42 3%	10 5%	38 3%	56 6%
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	27 1%	4 1%	9 2%	4 1%	5 1%	6 2%	20 2%	7 1%	3 1%	13 1%	10 1%
Dexterity? Limited ability to reach/ difficulty opening things with their hands/ difficulty using a telephone handset/ television remote control/ computer keyboard etc.	32 1%	* **%	10 2%	13 2%	7 1%	1 **%	19 2%	12 1%	1 **%	13 1%	12 1%
Breathing? Breathlessness or chest pains	33 1%	1 **%	12 3%	8 1%	5 1%	6 2%	16 1%	17 1%	2 1%	20 2%	11 1%

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	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Mental abilities? Such as learning, understanding, concentration, memory, communicating, cognitive loss or deterioration.	126 5%	8 2%	15 3%	51 8% a	39 6%	15 4%	84 7% b	42 3%	7 4%	48 4%	67 7%
Social/ behavioural? Conditions associated with this such as autism, attention deficit disorder, Asperger's, etc.	160 7%	16 5%	30 6%	57 9%	39 6%	19 6%	104 9% b	56 5%	8 4%	81 7%	64 6%
Their mental health? Anxiety, depression, or trauma-related conditions, for example	141 6%	* *%	8 2%	46 7% ab	49 8% ab	38 12% ab	65 5%	76 6%	* *%	41 4%	86 9% ab
Other illnesses/ conditions which impact or limit their daily activities	60 2%	5 2%	14 3%	12 2%	23 3%	6 2%	32 3%	27 2%	4 2%	25 2%	25 2%

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Nothing – no impairments or conditions that impact or limit their daily activities	1842	269	391	499	460	223	876	966	162	877	712
	75%	83%	80%	77%	71%	68%	72%	79%	82%	79%	71%
		de	e					a	c	c	
Don't know	58	11	15	1	21	10	28	30	8	20	26
	2%	3%	3%	*%	3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%
		c	c		c	c					
Prefer not to say	76	8	12	16	26	14	51	25	2	29	30
	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%	4%	4%	2%	1%	3%	3%
SUMMARY											
ANY IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	468	38	70	135	146	79	267	201	26	178	233
	19%	12%	14%	21%	22%	24%	22%	16%	13%	16%	23%
				a	a	ab					ab

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

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Hearing? Poor hearing, partial hearing, or are deaf	47 2%	5 3%	- -%	3 1%	3 1%	4 1%	13 4%	6 2%	7 2%	3 2%	4 2%	38 2%	6 3%	3 2%	1 1%
Eyesight? Poor vision, colour blindness, partial sight, or are blind	105 4%	3 2%	9 5%	6 3%	5 2%	22 7%	8 2%	20 6%	12 4%	13 8%	8 5%	85 4%	10 5%	6 5%	4 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	27 1%	1 *%	3 2%	7 3%	2 1%	4 1%	* *%	4 1%	1 *%	5 3%	1 *%	20 1%	4 2%	2 2%	1 1%
Dexterity? Limited ability to reach/ difficulty opening things with their hands/ difficulty using a telephone handset/ television remote control/ computer keyboard etc.	32 1%	* *%	* *%	7 3%	3 1%	8 2%	5 1%	2 1%	4 1%	1 1%	- -%	22 1%	7 3%	1 1%	1 1%
Breathing? Breathlessness or chest pains	33 1%	1 1%	* *%	5 2%	8 3%	8 2%	1 *%	1 *%	4 1%	1 1%	4 3%	26 1%	5 2%	1 1%	1 1%

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

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION				
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441	
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363	
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97	
Mental abilities? Such as learning, understanding, concentration, memory, communicating, cognitive loss or deterioration.	126 5%	7 4%	1 *%	8 3%	6 3%	34 10% b	17 5%	26 8% b	12 4%	9 5% b	6 4%	105 5%	9 4%	6 5%	7 7%	
Social/ behavioural? Conditions associated with this such as autism, attention deficit disorder, Asperger's, etc.	160 7%	9 6%	6 4%	21 9%	9 4%	37 11%	20 6%	26 8%	13 4%	11 7%	8 5%	129 6%	15 7%	7 6%	9 9%	
Their mental health? Anxiety, depression, or trauma-related conditions, for example	141 6%	* *%	- -%	3 1%	5 2%	33 10% abcd	13 4%	16 5% b	33 10% abcd	12 8% abc	25 16% abcdfg	113 6%	14 7%	9 8%	4 4%	
Other illnesses/ conditions which impact or limit their daily activities	60 2%	2 1%	3 2%	10 4%	4 2%	9 3%	3 1%	7 2%	16 5%	4 2%	2 1%	48 2%	5 3%	3 2%	3 3%	
Nothing – no impairments or conditions that impact or limit their daily activities	1842 75%	130 79% i	140 86% eghij	179 73%	212 87% ceghij	230 71%	269 83% i	229 70%	230 71%	108 66%	115 71%	1507 75%	169 78%	91 76%	74 77%	

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	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Don't know	58	7	4	11	4	1	1	4	16	5	5	49	4	4	1
	2%	4%	3%	5%	2%	*%	*%	1%	5%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%
Prefer not to say	76	6	2	11	2	9	7	16	10	10	4	68	4	3	2
	3%	4%	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%	5%	3%	6%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%
										d					
SUMMARY															
ANY IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	468	20	17	43	27	87	49	77	69	40	39	385	40	23	19
	19%	12%	11%	18%	11%	27%	15%	24%	21%	25%	24%	19%	19%	19%	20%
						abd		bd		abd	abd				

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Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
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Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Hearing? Poor hearing, partial hearing, or are deaf	47 2%	40 2%	4 1%	12 2%	14 2%	12 2%	10 2%	25 2%	21 2%	47 10% b	- -%	17 3%	13 2%	5 1%
Eyesight? Poor vision, colour blindness, partial sight, or are blind	105 4%	92 4%	14 4%	36 5%	17 3%	31 6%	21 3%	53 4%	52 5%	105 23% b	- -%	37 6%	29 4%	13 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	27 1%	22 1%	5 2%	14 2%	1 *%	4 1%	7 1%	15 1%	11 1%	27 6% b	- -%	16 3%	5 1%	5 1%
Dexterity? Limited ability to reach/ difficulty opening things with their hands/ difficulty using a telephone handset/ television remote control/ computer keyboard etc.	32 1%	29 1%	2 1%	11 2%	6 1%	7 1%	8 1%	17 1%	15 1%	32 7% b	- -%	11 2%	16 2%	1 *%

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Mental abilities? Such as learning, understanding, concentration, memory, communicating, cognitive loss or deterioration.	126 5%	108 5%	14 4%	29 4%	16 3%	28 6%	52 8% be	45 4%	81 7% be	126 27% b	- -%	50 8% c	38 5%	13 2%
Social/ behavioural? Conditions associated with this such as autism, attention deficit disorder, Asperger's, etc.	160 7%	138 7%	19 6%	38 6%	29 5%	40 8%	52 8%	68 5%	92 8%	160 34% b	- -%	55 9% c	56 7%	19 3%
Their mental health? Anxiety, depression, or trauma-related conditions, for example	141 6%	120 6%	21 7%	34 5%	24 4%	37 7%	46 7%	58 5%	83 7%	141 30% b	- -%	41 7%	46 6%	20 4%

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

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	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTENTIALLY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Other illnesses/ conditions which impact or limit their daily activities	60 2%	54 3%	5 2%	14 2%	10 2%	20 4%	15 2%	24 2%	35 3%	60 13% b	- -%	18 3%	13 2%	11 2%
Nothing – no impairments or conditions that impact or limit their daily activities	1842 75%	1572 75%	247 78%	538 79% df	480 82% cdf	365 71%	439 69%	1018 80% cdf	804 70%	- -%	1842 100% a	433 69%	583 77%	473 85% ab
Don't know	58 2%	47 2%	8 3%	8 1%	15 3%	4 1%	30 5% ace	23 2%	33 3%	- -%	- -%	26 4% b	6 1%	10 2%
Prefer not to say	76 3%	67 3%	10 3%	19 3%	8 1%	13 3%	32 5% b	26 2%	45 4%	- -%	- -%	14 2%	16 2%	4 1%
SUMMARY														
ANY IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS	468 19%	409 20%	52 17%	119 17%	80 14%	132 26% be	135 21%	199 16%	267 23% be	468 100% b	- -%	154 25% c	150 20% c	66 12%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
16-24	34 1%	19 6%	15 3%	- -%	- -%	- -%	16 1%	18 1%	16 8%	14 1%	- -%
		cde	cde						bc		
25-34	535 22%	152 47%	170 35%	139 21%	49 8%	25 8%	263 22%	272 22%	91 46%	337 31%	89 9%
		bcde	cde	de					bc	c	
35-44	944 39%	138 42%	212 43%	299 46%	188 29%	107 33%	466 38%	478 39%	81 41%	506 46%	316 32%
		d	de	de						c	
45-54	658 27%	6 2%	50 10%	150 23%	324 50%	129 40%	349 29%	309 25%	3 1%	164 15%	450 45%
			a	ab	abce	abc				a	ab
55-64	101 4%	4 1%	6 1%	10 2%	40 6%	41 13%	44 4%	57 5%	3 2%	10 1%	79 8%
					abc	abcd					ab
65-74	8 *%	* *%	1 *%	3 *%	2 *%	1 *%	6 1%	1 *%	* *%	5 *%	3 *%
75-79	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%
Refused	163 7%	7 2%	35 7%	51 8%	48 7%	22 7%	78 6%	86 7%	4 2%	69 6%	63 6%
			a	a	a	a					

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

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
16-24	34 1%	9 6%	10 6%	6 2%	9 4%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	28 1%	2 1%	3 2%	1 1%
		efghij	efghij												
25-34	535 22%	72 44%	80 49%	82 33%	88 36%	72 22%	67 20%	24 7%	26 8%	14 8%	11 7%	439 22%	50 23%	27 22%	20 20%
		efghij	cefg hij	ghij	fg hij	ghij	ghij								
35-44	944 39%	70 43%	68 42%	105 43%	108 44%	156 48%	143 44%	86 26%	102 31%	50 30%	58 35%	771 38%	89 41%	45 38%	39 40%
		g	g	g	g	ghi	g								
45-54	658 27%	3 2%	3 2%	26 10%	24 10%	80 24%	70 22%	171 53%	152 47%	69 43%	60 37%	554 28%	57 26%	28 23%	20 21%
				ab	ab	abcd	abd	abcdefj	abcdef	abcdef	abcdf				
55-64	101 4%	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	4 2%	1 *%	10 3%	19 6%	21 6%	20 12%	21 13%	76 4%	5 2%	14 11%	7 7%
								e	e	abcdef	abcdef			ab	ab
65-74	8 *%	- -%	* *%	1 1%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	2 1%	* *%	- -%	1 *%	7 *%	* *%	- -%	* *%
75-79	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%
Refused	163 7%	6 4%	1 1%	23 9%	12 5%	15 5%	36 11%	24 7%	24 7%	10 6%	12 8%	135 7%	15 7%	4 4%	9 9%
				b			b	b	b	b	b				c

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

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Table 58

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C4. AGE OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
16-24	34 1%	31 1%	3 1%	1 *%	3 1%	14 3%	14 2%	4 *%	28 2%	4 1%	27 1%	17 3%	7 1%	* *%
						ae	ae		ae			c		
25-34	535 22%	471 22%	58 18%	76 11%	116 20%	130 25%	211 33%	191 15%	341 30%	124 26%	375 20%	192 31%	213 28%	46 8%
					a	ae	abe		abe			c	c	
35-44	944 39%	807 39%	124 39%	268 39%	242 42%	198 39%	224 35%	510 40%	423 37%	168 36%	751 41%	241 38%	270 36%	259 47%
														b
45-54	658 27%	558 27%	91 29%	256 37%	153 26%	119 23%	124 20%	409 32%	244 21%	123 26%	503 27%	127 20%	206 27%	203 37%
				bcd				cd						ab
55-64	101 4%	74 4%	25 8%	40 6%	19 3%	21 4%	22 3%	59 5%	43 4%	15 3%	83 4%	25 4%	33 4%	25 4%
65-74	8 *%	8 *%	- -%	2 *%	1 *%	1 *%	3 *%	4 *%	4 *%	2 *%	4 *%	3 *%	1 *%	2 *%
75-79	* *%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%	* *%	- -%	- -%	* *%	- -%
Refused	163 7%	146 7%	17 5%	41 6%	48 8%	30 6%	38 6%	89 7%	67 6%	31 7%	99 5%	21 3%	25 3%	18 3%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Man	650	63	133	170	188	97	345	305	39	280	294
	27%	19%	27%	26%	29%	30%	28%	25%	20%	25%	29%
				a	a						
Woman	1751	261	347	469	449	225	853	897	157	809	692
	72%	80%	71%	72%	69%	69%	70%	73%	79%	73%	69%
		de									
Non-binary	8	2	-	3	1	1	5	3	2	3	2
	*%	1%	-%	*%	*%	*%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%
Prefer not to say	35	*	9	10	14	2	19	16	-	12	12
	1%	*%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-%	1%	1%

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

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. Data is tested at the 95% confidence level.

C5. GENDER OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Man	650	35	28	65	68	84	86	105	83	57	40	526	60	35	29
	27%	21%	17%	27%	28%	26%	27%	32%	25%	35%	24%	26%	27%	29%	30%
Woman	1751	126	135	175	172	238	231	211	238	103	122	1446	153	86	66
	72%	77%	83%	72%	70%	73%	71%	65%	73%	63%	75%	72%	71%	71%	68%
		i	gi												
Non-binary	8	2	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	1	5	2	*	*
	*%	1%	-%	-%	-%	1%	*%	-%	*%	-%	1%	*%	1%	*%	*%
Prefer not to say	35	-	*	5	5	2	8	10	4	2	-	32	2	*	1
	1%	-%	*%	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	-%	2%	1%	*%	1%

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

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C5. GENDER OF PARENT/ GUARDIAN INTERVIEWED (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Man	650	540	109	285	149	112	95	434	207	112	504	120	188	236
	27%	26%	34%	42%	26%	22%	15%	34%	18%	24%	27%	19%	25%	43%
				bcd	d			bcd						ab
Woman	1751	1516	204	389	416	395	535	805	930	349	1312	501	566	313
	72%	72%	64%	57%	71%	77%	84%	64%	81%	75%	71%	80%	75%	57%
				a	ae	abe		abe				c	c	
Non-binary	8	8	-	2	4	*	1	6	1	2	6	5	1	2
	*%	*%	-%	*%	1%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%	*%	1%	*%	*%
Prefer not to say	35	31	4	8	13	6	4	21	10	5	20	1	-	2
	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	*%	-%	*%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
In full time employment	1115	115	195	318	324	164	568	547	67	477	522
	46%	35%	40%	49%	50%	50%	46%	45%	34%	43%	52%
			a	a	ab						ab
In part time employment	602	106	119	178	121	77	302	300	65	302	213
	25%	33%	24%	27%	19%	24%	25%	25%	33%	27%	21%
		d						c			
Unemployed	185	22	52	42	51	19	91	94	16	81	73
	8%	7%	11%	6%	8%	6%	7%	8%	8%	7%	7%
A student	34	9	10	6	8	1	13	21	5	18	9
	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	*%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%
Full-time responsibility for home/ family	353	65	81	64	102	41	169	183	40	165	127
	14%	20%	17%	10%	16%	13%	14%	15%	20%	15%	13%
		c									
Retired	27	*	5	5	5	11	13	13	*	10	7
	1%	*%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	*%	1%	1%
					a						
Other	70	6	11	24	19	9	37	33	4	32	32
	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Prefer not to say	59	3	16	14	22	3	28	31	1	20	19
	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION				
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d	
Significance Level: 99%																
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441	
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363	
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97	
In full time employment	1115 46%	59 36%	56 34%	90 37%	104 43%	164 50%	155 47%	168 51%	156 48%	88 54%	77 47%	899 45%	106 49%	58 48%	52 53%	
In part time employment	602 25%	43 27%	63 39%	70 28%	50 20%	90 28%	88 27%	63 19%	59 18%	37 23%	40 25%	492 24%	65 30%	27 22%	19 19%	
Unemployed	185 8%	16 10%	6 4%	22 9%	30 12%	29 9%	13 4%	15 5%	36 11%	9 6%	9 6%	165 8%	7 3%	7 5%	7 7%	
A student	34 1%	5 3%	4 3%	3 1%	7 3%	5 1%	1 *%	- -%	8 2%	1 *%	1 *%	26 1%	4 2%	3 3%	1 1%	
Full-time responsibility for home/ family	353 14%	36 22%	29 18%	37 15%	44 18%	29 9%	35 11%	51 16%	51 16%	16 10%	25 15%	292 15%	28 13%	19 16%	14 15%	
Retired	27 1%	* *%	* *%	3 1%	2 1%	- -%	5 1%	4 1%	1 *%	6 4%	5 3%	20 1%	1 *%	5 4%	1 1%	
Other	70 3%	3 2%	3 2%	8 3%	3 1%	7 2%	18 5%	14 4%	5 2%	5 3%	4 2%	66 3%	3 1%	1 1%	* *%	
Prefer not to say	59 2%	1 *%	2 1%	12 5%	4 2%	3 1%	11 4%	11 4%	11 3%	1 1%	2 1%	50 2%	5 2%	1 1%	3 3%	

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

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C6. What is your working status? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
In full time employment	1115	937	168	465	351	203	90	816	293	179	886	134	409	414
	46%	45%	53%	68%	60%	40%	14%	64%	25%	38%	48%	21%	54%	75%
				cdf	cdf	df		cdf	d		a		a	ab
In part time employment	602	529	68	136	129	189	143	266	332	109	480	188	213	84
	25%	25%	21%	20%	22%	37%	23%	21%	29%	23%	26%	30%	28%	15%
						abde			ae			c	c	
Unemployed	185	177	5	8	4	8	160	12	168	44	110	103	30	6
	8%	8%	1%	1%	1%	2%	25%	1%	15%	9%	6%	16%	4%	1%
		b					abcef		abce			bc		
A student	34	27	6	3	16	9	6	19	15	17	17	8	12	2
	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%	1%	2%	1%
				*	a					b				*
Full-time responsibility for home/ family	353	298	44	37	50	71	191	87	262	96	244	161	68	27
	14%	14%	14%	5%	9%	14%	30%	7%	23%	20%	13%	26%	9%	5%
						ae	abce		abce	b		bc		
Retired	27	17	9	8	5	5	8	13	14	3	17	4	7	4
	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Other	70	54	16	21	5	26	16	26	41	13	51	22	15	9
	3%	3%	5%	3%	1%	5%	2%	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%	2%	2%
						b			b					
Prefer not to say	59	56	2	5	22	2	22	27	24	8	36	6	3	6
	2%	3%	1%	1%	4%	1%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%
					ac									

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Income Support	77 3%	13 4%	15 3%	8 1%	21 3%	20 6% c	39 3%	39 3%	7 3%	29 3%	38 4%
Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance	40 2%	3 1%	6 1%	12 2%	12 2%	8 2%	21 2%	20 2%	2 1%	18 2%	19 2%
Pensions Credit (Guaranteed Credit)	29 1%	2 1%	6 1%	7 1%	6 1%	7 2%	16 1%	13 1%	2 1%	14 1%	14 1%
Pensions Credit (no Guaranteed Credit)	20 1%	- -%	1 *%	12 2%	3 1%	3 1%	6 1%	13 1%	* *%	13 1%	7 1%
Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)	75 3%	7 2%	12 2%	8 1%	29 4%	18 5% c	42 3%	33 3%	4 2%	20 2%	47 5% b
Universal Credit (and household has other earnings)	334 14%	69 21% bde	55 11%	91 14%	79 12%	39 12%	169 14%	165 14%	38 19%	151 14%	133 13%
Universal Credit (and household has no other earnings)	193 8%	35 11%	61 12% de	42 6%	39 6%	17 5%	109 9%	84 7%	21 10%	105 9%	61 6%
Personal Independence Payment (PIP)	183 7%	12 4%	29 6%	47 7%	54 8%	41 12% ab	96 8%	86 7%	8 4%	69 6%	96 10%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Carer's allowance	126	9	24	41	33	19	72	54	6	59	57
	5%	3%	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%	4%	3%	5%	6%
Other	82	7	14	22	36	4	41	41	4	38	38
	3%	2%	3%	3%	6%	1%	3%	3%	2%	3%	4%
				e							
None of these - Do not receive any of these benefits	1428	170	285	408	376	188	697	730	107	663	601
	58%	52%	58%	63%	58%	58%	57%	60%	54%	60%	60%
Don't know	37	8	10	7	6	5	13	24	4	21	8
	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%
Prefer not to say	165	14	42	29	56	24	93	72	12	49	55
	7%	4%	9%	4%	9%	7%	8%	6%	6%	4%	6%
SUMMARY											
ANY BENEFITS	815	133	152	207	214	109	419	396	75	371	337
	33%	41%	31%	32%	33%	33%	34%	32%	38%	34%	34%

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Income Support	77 3%	7 5%	6 4%	7 3%	8 3%	6 2%	2 1%	6 2%	15 5%	12 8% f	7 5%	66 3%	4 2%	3 2%	4 4%
Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance	40 2%	* *%	3 2%	4 2%	2 1%	9 3%	2 1%	3 1%	9 3%	4 2%	4 2%	33 2%	5 2%	2 2%	* *%
Pensions Credit (Guaranteed Credit)	29 1%	* *%	2 1%	5 2%	1 *%	7 2%	* *%	- -%	6 2%	4 2%	3 2%	26 1%	2 1%	1 1%	* *%
Pensions Credit (no Guaranteed Credit)	20 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	1 1%	6 2%	6 2%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	3 2%	15 1%	4 2%	1 *%	* *%
Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)	75 3%	5 3%	2 1%	12 5%	* *%	3 1%	5 1%	12 4%	17 5%	10 6% d	8 5% d	64 3%	4 2%	2 2%	4 4%
Universal Credit (and household has other earnings)	334 14%	29 18% d	40 25% dgij	38 16%	17 7%	49 15%	42 13%	31 10%	48 15%	22 13%	17 11%	282 14% d	27 12%	18 15% d	8 8%
Universal Credit (and household has no other earnings)	193 8%	22 13% fi	13 8%	28 12% f	32 13% fi	36 11% f	6 2%	16 5%	22 7%	7 4%	10 6%	165 8%	11 5%	9 7%	9 9%
Personal Independence Payment (PIP)	183 7%	6 4%	6 4%	16 7%	12 5%	31 10%	16 5%	22 7%	32 10%	21 13% ab	20 12% ab	156 8%	12 6%	8 6%	6 6%

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

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Carer's allowance	126	4	4	14	10	24	17	15	18	14	5	102	12	6	7
	5%	3%	3%	6%	4%	7%	5%	5%	5%	9%	3%	5%	5%	5%	7%
Other	82	4	3	9	4	5	16	22	14	1	3	72	4	5	1
	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	2%	5%	7%	4%	1%	2%	4%	2%	4%	1%
								i						d	
None of these - Do not receive any of these benefits	1428	90	80	137	148	192	216	193	182	85	103	1159	143	69	56
	58%	55%	49%	56%	61%	59%	66%	59%	56%	52%	63%	58%	66%	57%	58%
							bi						a		
Don't know	37	3	5	3	7	1	5	3	3	2	4	29	4	2	1
	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	*%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Prefer not to say	165	8	7	20	22	19	10	33	23	13	11	129	15	9	12
	7%	5%	4%	8%	9%	6%	3%	10%	7%	8%	6%	6%	7%	7%	12%
															a
SUMMARY															
ANY BENEFITS	815	62	71	85	67	113	94	96	118	63	46	692	56	40	27
	33%	38%	44%	35%	27%	35%	29%	29%	36%	39%	28%	34%	26%	33%	28%
			dj									b			

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

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C8. Could you please tell us whether you or anyone in your household currently receives any of the following benefits? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Income Support	77 3%	76 4%	1 *%	35 5% bc	5 1%	4 1%	32 5% bc	39 3%	36 3%	28 6% b	41 2%	42 7% b	11 1%	17 3%
Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance	40 2%	39 2%	1 *%	25 4% bf	3 *%	4 1%	8 1%	28 2%	12 1%	21 4% b	14 1%	19 3%	8 1%	13 2%
Pensions Credit (Guaranteed Credit)	29 1%	27 1%	2 1%	19 3% f	5 1%	2 *%	4 1%	23 2%	6 1%	10 2%	16 1%	6 1%	4 1%	12 2%
Pensions Credit (no Guaranteed Credit)	20 1%	20 1%	- -%	12 2%	5 1%	1 *%	1 *%	17 1%	3 *%	8 2%	11 1%	4 1%	5 1%	11 2%
Employment and Support Allowance (ESA)	75 3%	72 3%	- -%	15 2%	3 1%	4 1%	53 8% abce	19 1%	56 5% bce	27 6% b	42 2%	42 7% bc	13 2%	10 2%
Universal Credit (and household has other earnings)	334 14%	307 15%	25 8%	36 5%	55 10%	101 20% abe	134 21% abe	91 7%	235 20% abe	87 19%	239 13%	170 27% bc	93 12% c	21 4%
Universal Credit (and household has no other earnings)	193 8%	174 8%	13 4%	14 2%	13 2%	19 4%	145 23% abcef	27 2%	164 14% abce	70 15% b	104 6%	104 17% bc	40 5%	12 2%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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? (SINGLE CODE)

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Personal Independence Payment (PIP)	183 7%	164 8%	11 4%	28 4%	29 5%	43 8%	82 13%	57 5%	125 11%	76 16%	98 5%	90 14%	46 6%	28 5%
							abe		abe	b		bc		
Carer's allowance	126 5%	108 5%	9 3%	10 2%	17 3%	26 5%	70 11%	27 2%	96 8%	57 12%	54 3%	64 10%	30 4%	11 2%
						a	abe		abe	b		bc		
Other	82 3%	65 3%	17 5%	14 2%	26 5%	16 3%	24 4%	41 3%	39 3%	23 5%	56 3%	30 5%	34 5%	10 2%
None of these - Do not receive any of these benefits	1428 58%	1180 56%	235 74% a	536 78% cdf	413 71% cdf	294 57% df	177 28%	948 75% cdf	471 41% d	175 37%	1207 66% a	196 31%	510 68% a	480 87% ab
Don't know	37 2%	34 2%	3 1%	1 *% a	11 2%	8 2%	15 2% a	13 1%	23 2% a	5 1%	28 2%	16 3%	4 *% a	2 *% a
Prefer not to say	165 7%	152 7%	13 4%	29 4%	38 6%	27 5%	61 10% ae	67 5%	89 8%	29 6%	94 5%	12 2%	16 2%	3 1%
SUMMARY														
ANY BENEFITS	815 33%	729 35% b	67 21%	118 17%	121 21%	184 36% abe	382 60% abcef	239 19%	566 49% abce	259 55% b	512 28%	403 64% bc	226 30% c	67 12%

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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 GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
Up to £199 per week / Up to £10,399 per year	203 8%	43 13% c	35 7%	37 6%	60 9%	28 9%	115 9%	88 7%	23 12%	81 7%	90 9%
From £200 to £299 per week / From £10,400 to £15,599 per year	213 9%	27 8%	58 12%	47 7%	58 9%	23 7%	98 8%	115 9%	12 6%	107 10%	89 9%
From £300 to £499 per week / From £15,600 to £25,999 per year	325 13%	39 12%	76 16%	97 15%	56 9%	57 17% d	177 14%	148 12%	29 15%	163 15%	116 12%
From £500 to £699 per week / From £26,000 to £36,399 per year	312 13%	60 18%	57 12%	76 12%	75 12%	43 13%	139 11%	173 14%	33 17%	144 13%	126 13%
From £700 to £999 per week / From £36,400 to £51,999 per year	345 14%	44 14%	61 13%	96 15%	107 16%	36 11%	183 15%	162 13%	25 13%	152 14%	156 16%
£1,000 and above per week / £52,000 and above per year	537 22%	57 18%	91 19%	174 27%	144 22%	70 22%	247 20%	290 24%	34 17%	249 23%	241 24%
Don't know	124 5%	19 6%	40 8%	28 4%	22 3%	15 4%	52 4%	72 6%	13 7%	61 6%	36 4%
Prefer not to say	386 16%	36 11%	69 14%	98 15%	128 20% a	54 17%	212 17%	174 14%	28 14%	148 13%	148 15%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e - 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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4	FEMALE 3-4	MALE 5-7	FEMALE 5-7	MALE 8-11	FEMALE 8-11	MALE 12-15	FEMALE 12-15	MALE 16-17	FEMALE 16-17	ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	a	b	c	d
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Up to £199 per week / Up to £10,399 per year	203 8%	28 17%	15 9%	21 9%	14 6%	33 10%	3 1%	20 6%	40 12%	12 7%	16 10%	170 8%	13 6%	10 8%	9 10%
		dfgj	f	f		f			f	f	f				
From £200 to £299 per week / From £10,400 to £15,599 per year	213 9%	13 8%	14 8%	22 9%	36 15%	26 8%	21 6%	28 8%	31 9%	8 5%	14 9%	176 9%	16 8%	14 12%	6 7%
					i										
From £300 to £499 per week / From £15,600 to £25,999 per year	325 13%	16 10%	23 14%	51 21%	25 10%	41 13%	56 17%	35 11%	21 7%	34 21%	22 14%	248 12%	36 17%	26 21%	15 15%
				h			h			adgh				a	
From £500 to £699 per week / From £26,000 to £36,399 per year	312 13%	30 19%	30 18%	23 9%	34 14%	32 10%	44 14%	37 11%	38 12%	17 11%	26 16%	247 12%	37 17%	13 11%	14 14%
From £700 to £999 per week / From £36,400 to £51,999 per year	345 14%	17 11%	27 17%	28 11%	33 14%	60 18%	36 11%	56 17%	51 16%	21 13%	15 9%	284 14%	28 13%	16 13%	17 17%
£1,000 and above per week / £52,000 and above per year	537 22%	37 23%	20 12%	43 18%	48 20%	61 19%	112 34%	69 21%	75 23%	36 22%	34 21%	452 23%	51 24%	18 15%	15 15%
							bdeej					cd	cd		
Don't know	124 5%	5 3%	15 9%	20 8%	20 8%	13 4%	15 5%	12 4%	10 3%	2 1%	12 8%	108 5%	4 2%	10 8%	3 3%
			i	i	i						i	b		bd	

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

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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										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
Prefer not to say	386	16	20	36	34	60	38	69	59	31	23	323	31	14	18
	16%	10%	12%	15%	14%	18%	12%	21%	18%	19%	14%	16%	14%	12%	18%

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

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Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Up to £199 per week / Up to £10,399 per year	203 8%	189 9%	13 4%	17 2%	13 2%	49 10% abe	122 19% abce	29 2%	171 15% abe	46 10%	138 8%	203 32% bc	- -%	- -%
From £200 to £299 per week / From £10,400 to £15,599 per year	213 9%	193 9%	15 5%	14 2%	30 5%	39 8% ae	125 20% abce	44 3%	164 14% abce	56 12%	144 8%	153 24% bc	60 8% c	- -%
From £300 to £499 per week / From £15,600 to £25,999 per year	325 13%	280 13%	40 13%	27 4%	90 15% ae	85 17% ae	123 19% ae	117 9% a	207 18% ae	76 16%	243 13%	196 31% bc	129 17% c	- -%
From £500 to £699 per week / From £26,000 to £36,399 per year	312 13%	261 12%	36 11%	53 8%	93 16% ad	109 21% ade	54 8%	147 12%	163 14% a	74 16%	231 13%	65 10% c	246 33% ac	- -%
From £700 to £999 per week / From £36,400 to £51,999 per year	345 14%	282 13%	60 19%	128 19% df	104 18% df	87 17% df	22 3%	232 18% df	109 9% d	52 11%	275 15%	10 2%	319 42% ac	16 3%
£1,000 and above per week / £52,000 and above per year	537 22%	427 20%	105 33% a	343 50% bcdef	136 23% cdf	46 9% d	11 2%	480 38% bcdf	57 5%	66 14%	457 25% a	- -%	- -%	537 97% ab

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
Don't know	124	113	12	17	18	40	49	35	89	23	91	-	-	-
	5%	5%	4%	3%	3%	8%	8%	3%	8%	5%	5%	-%	-%	-%
						ae	abe		abe					
Prefer not to say	386	349	37	84	97	59	130	182	189	75	262	-	-	-
	16%	17%	11%	12%	17%	11%	20%	14%	16%	16%	14%	-%	-%	-%
							ac							

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

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NUMBER OF ADULTS IN THE HOUSEHOLD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
1	470	57	97	138	132	45	246	224	41	202	197
	19%	18%	20%	21%	20%	14%	20%	18%	20%	18%	20%
2	1594	245	343	451	368	188	784	810	141	800	575
	65%	75%	70%	69%	56%	58%	64%	66%	71%	72%	57%
		de	de	de					c	c	
3	267	15	27	48	106	71	132	134	10	65	170
	11%	4%	6%	7%	16%	22%	11%	11%	5%	6%	17%
					abc	abc					ab
4	88	8	16	11	38	15	53	36	7	27	47
	4%	3%	3%	2%	6%	5%	4%	3%	3%	2%	5%
5	16	-	3	-	8	5	5	11	-	3	11
	1%	-%	1%	-%	1%	1%	*%	1%	-%	*%	1%
6	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	3	-
	*%	-%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%
8	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1
	*%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%	-%	*%

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

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NUMBER OF ADULTS IN THE HOUSEHOLD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
1	470 19%	29 18%	29 18%	54 22%	44 18%	81 25% i	57 17%	61 19%	71 22%	21 13%	24 15%	392 19%	40 18%	23 19%	16 16%
2	1594 65%	126 77% ghij	119 73% ghj	160 65%	183 75% ghij	218 67%	233 71% gj	182 56%	186 57%	98 60%	90 55%	1299 65%	151 69%	78 65%	66 68%
3	267 11%	5 3%	10 6%	18 7%	9 4%	20 6%	29 9%	54 17% abde	51 16% ad	35 22% abcdef	36 22% abcdef	215 11%	23 11%	18 14%	11 12%
4	88 4%	4 2%	4 3%	11 4%	6 2%	7 2%	3 1%	26 8% f	11 4%	5 3%	10 6% f	80 4%	3 1%	2 1%	4 4%
5	16 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	- -%	2 *%	7 2%	3 2%	2 1%	16 1%	1 *%	- -%	- -%
6	3 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%
8	1 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%

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

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NUMBER OF ADULTS IN THE HOUSEHOLD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
1	470 19%	431 21%	38 12%	62 9%	132 23%	64 12%	202 32%	194 15%	266 23%	106 23%	328 18%	147 23%	175 23%	50 9%
					ace		abcef	a	ace			c	c	
2	1594 65%	1330 64%	238 75%	525 77%	385 66%	356 69%	315 50%	909 72%	671 58%	273 58%	1245 68%	334 53%	519 69%	428 77%
			a	bdf	d	df		df			a		a	a
3	267 11%	235 11%	29 9%	71 10%	44 8%	67 13%	81 13%	115 9%	147 13%	57 12%	196 11%	88 14%	54 7%	51 9%
												b		
4	88 4%	74 4%	11 3%	22 3%	16 3%	17 3%	33 5%	38 3%	50 4%	26 6%	58 3%	39 6%	6 1%	24 4%
												b		b
5	16 1%	16 1%	1 *%	3 *%	3 *%	9 2%	2 *%	6 *%	11 1%	2 *%	10 1%	11 2%	- -%	- -%
												b		
6	3 *%	3 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	3 *%	- -%	3 *%	3 1%	- -%	- -%
8	1 *%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	- -%

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

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NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN THE HOUSEHOLD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	2444	501	501	501	503	438	1228	1216	344	1035	919
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	262	267	273	276	409	644	639	167	552	502
Total	2444	326	489	652	652	326	1222	1222	198	1104	1001
1	943	97	145	236	317	148	516	428	72	343	470
	39%	30%	30%	36%	49%	45%	42%	35%	36%	31%	47%
					abc	ab	b				b
2	1097	159	242	333	260	103	523	574	88	566	392
	45%	49%	49%	51%	40%	32%	43%	47%	44%	51%	39%
		e	e	de						c	
3	299	54	78	62	55	50	142	157	34	143	102
	12%	17%	16%	9%	8%	15%	12%	13%	17%	13%	10%
		d	d			d					
4	83	11	19	20	16	17	32	51	5	42	25
	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	5%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%
5	13	3	3	1	*	6	7	6	1	6	6
	1%	1%	1%	*%	*%	2%	1%	*%	*%	1%	1%
6	7	2	-	-	3	2	2	5	-	2	5
	*%	1%	-%	-%	*%	1%	*%	*%	-%	*%	*%
7	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-
	*%	-%	1%	-%	-%	-%	-%	*%	-%	*%	-%

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

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NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN THE HOUSEHOLD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER										NATION			
		MALE 3-4 a	FEMALE 3-4 b	MALE 5-7 c	FEMALE 5-7 d	MALE 8-11 e	FEMALE 8-11 f	MALE 12-15 g	FEMALE 12-15 h	MALE 16-17 i	FEMALE 16-17 j	ENGLAND a	SCOTLAND b	WALES c	N IRELAND d
Significance Level: 99%															
Unweighted total	2444	251	250	250	251	252	249	252	251	223	215	1141	438	424	441
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	130	132	135	132	137	136	138	137	207	202	904	383	340	363
Total	2444	163	163	244	244	326	326	326	326	163	163	2009	218	121	97
1	943 39%	51 31%	46 28%	80 33%	66 27%	130 40%	107 33%	177 54%	140 43%	79 48%	69 43%	758 38%	94 43%	54 45%	38 39%
2	1097 45%	81 50%	77 47%	116 48%	125 51%	158 48%	175 54%	117 36%	144 44%	51 31%	52 32%	924 46%	84 39%	52 43%	37 38%
3	299 12%	21 13%	33 20%	41 17%	38 15%	26 8%	36 11%	29 9%	26 8%	26 16%	24 15%	237 12%	31 14%	12 10%	18 19%
4	83 3%	5 3%	6 4%	6 2%	13 5%	13 4%	7 2%	3 1%	13 4%	6 4%	12 7%	70 3%	8 4%	2 2%	3 3%
5	13 1%	3 2%	1 *%	2 1%	* *%	- -%	1 *%	- -%	* *%	2 1%	4 2%	11 1%	* *%	1 1%	1 1%
6	7 *%	2 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	2 1%	7 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%
7	3 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 1%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	- -%	3 *%	- -%	- -%	- -%

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

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NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN THE HOUSEHOLD

Base : All parents of 3-17 year olds

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN a	RURAL b	AB a	C1 b	C2 c	DE d	ABC1 e	C2DE f	ANY a	NONE b	MOST a	POTEN- TIALY b	LEAST c
Significance Level: 99%														
Unweighted total	2444	2062	351	778	645	465	533	1423	998	457	1873	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1282	1099	166	413	336	241	298	748	539	239	980	327	393	308
Total	2444	2094	318	684	582	513	635	1267	1149	468	1842	626	755	553
1	943 39%	800 38%	125 39%	227 33%	235 40%	241 47% ae	229 36%	461 36%	470 41%	190 41%	710 39%	141 23%	408 54% ac	184 33% a
2	1097 45%	953 46%	136 43%	381 56% cdf	272 47%	186 36%	249 39%	652 52% cdf	435 38%	198 42%	863 47%	284 45%	308 41%	305 55% b
3	299 12%	247 12%	46 15%	68 10%	59 10%	57 11%	112 18% abe	126 10%	169 15% e	58 12%	202 11%	123 20% bc	39 5%	58 10% b
4	83 3%	73 3%	10 3%	7 1%	12 2%	27 5% ae	34 5% ae	19 1%	61 5% ae	19 4%	54 3%	58 9% bc	- -%	6 1%
5	13 1%	13 1%	- -%	2 *% *	* *% *	1 *% *	9 1%	3 *% *	10 1%	2 *% *	8 *% *	12 2% b	- -%	- -%
6	7 *% *	7 *% *	- -% -	- -% -	5 1% *	1 *% *	- -% -	5 *% *	1 *% *	1 *% *	3 *% *	5 1% *	- -% -	- -% -
7	3 *% *	3 *% *	- -% -	- -% -	- -% -	- -% -	3 *% *	- -% -	3 *% *	- -% -	3 *% *	3 *% *	- -% -	- -% -

Columns Tested: a,b - a,b,c,d,e,f - 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					CHILD'S GENDER		SCHOOL YEAR		
		3-4	5-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	MALE	FEMALE	PRE-SCHOOL	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	c	d	e	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1983	426	411	399	402	345	996	987	292	853	755
Effective Weighted Sample	1027	222	214	219	215	323	515	512	138	453	411
Total	1934	270	379	526	501	257	958	976	157	895	817
Most Financially Vulnerable	626	100	148	126	150	103	315	312	52	292	260
	32%	37%	39%	24%	30%	40%	33%	32%	33%	33%	32%
		c	c			c					
Potentially Financially Vulnerable	755	113	139	219	201	83	386	368	71	347	306
	39%	42%	37%	42%	40%	32%	40%	38%	45%	39%	37%
Least Financially Vulnerable	553	57	93	181	150	71	257	296	34	256	250
	29%	21%	24%	35%	30%	28%	27%	30%	22%	29%	31%
				a							

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

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FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY

Base : Those where it is possible to calculate the Financial Vulnerability Index

	CHILD'S AGE AND GENDER											NATION			
	Total	FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		FEMALE		ENGLAND	SCOTLAND	WALES	N IRELAND
	MALE 3-4	3-4	MALE 5-7	5-7	MALE 8-11	8-11	MALE 12-15	12-15	MALE 16-17	16-17	a	b	c	d	
Significance Level: 99%	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j					
Unweighted total	1983	219	207	199	212	196	203	204	198	178	167	909	372	341	361
Effective Weighted Sample	1027	114	108	107	107	105	113	107	108	165	158	715	324	275	299
Total	1934	142	128	188	191	253	273	245	256	130	128	1578	183	97	76
Most Financially Vulnerable	626	53	47	81	67	67	58	67	82	46	57	513	52	36	25
	32%	37%	37%	43%	35%	27%	21%	27%	32%	36%	45%	32%	29%	37%	33%
		f	f	f						efg					
Potentially Financially Vulnerable	755	52	61	64	75	121	98	102	99	47	36	601	76	42	35
	39%	37%	47%	34%	39%	48%	36%	42%	39%	36%	28%	38%	41%	43%	46%
			j			j									
Least Financially Vulnerable	553	37	20	43	50	65	116	75	75	37	35	464	55	19	15
	29%	26%	16%	23%	26%	26%	43%	31%	29%	28%	27%	29%	30%	19%	20%
							abcdej	b				cd	cd		

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

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FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY

Base : Those where it is possible to calculate the Financial Vulnerability Index

	Total	AREA		SOCIAL GRADE						IMPACTING OR LIMITING CONDITIONS		FINANCIAL VULNERABILITY INDEX		
		URBAN	RURAL	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	ANY	NONE	MOST	POTENTIALLY	LEAST
Significance Level: 99%		a	b	a	b	c	d	e	f	a	b	a	b	c
Unweighted total	1983	1659	293	672	531	382	387	1203	769	368	1548	612	812	559
Effective Weighted Sample	1027	871	139	356	272	197	211	628	408	191	801	327	393	308
Total	1934	1632	270	583	467	414	456	1050	871	370	1488	626	755	553
Most Financially Vulnerable	626 32%	545 33%	66 24%	60 10%	90 19%	161 39%	308 67%	149 14%	469 54%	154 42%	433 29%	626 100%	- -%	- -%
					a	abe	abcef		abce	b		bc		
Potentially Financially Vulnerable	755 39%	647 40%	95 35%	171 29%	237 51%	207 50%	137 30%	407 39%	345 40%	150 41%	583 39%	- -%	755 100%	- -%
					adef	ade		a	a				ac	
Least Financially Vulnerable	553 29%	439 27%	109 40%	352 60%	141 30%	46 11%	11 3%	493 47%	57 7%	66 18%	473 32%	- -%	- -%	553 100%
			a	bcdef	cdf	d		bcdf			a			ab

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