

Topline: Teens survey

2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S TEENS SURVEY Teens & Technology (Teens Ages 13-17) September 25-October 9, 2025

TOPLINE
N=1,458

NOTE: ALL NUMBERS ARE PERCENTAGES UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. THE PERCENTAGES LESS THAN 0.5% ARE REPLACED BY AN ASTERISK (*). ROWS/COLUMNS MAY NOT TOTAL 100% DUE TO ROUNDING.

PN = Programming note

	Sample size	Margin of error at 95% confidence level
U.S. teens ages 13-17	1,458	+/- 3.3 percentage points

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD

TCBAN1

ASK ALL:

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4 OR 4-1, ANCHOR 5]

Would you support or oppose a ban that prevents middle and high school students (grades 6-12) from using cellphones during class?

Sep 25-Oct 9, 2025

14	Strongly support a ban on using cellphones during class
27	Somewhat support a ban on using cellphones during class
26	Somewhat oppose a ban on using cellphones during class
25	Strongly oppose a ban on using cellphones during class
9	Not sure
*	No answer

TCBAN2

ASK IF SUPPORT BANNING CELLPHONES DURING CLASS (TCBAN1=1,2) [N=557]:

[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4 OR 4-1 IN THE SAME ORDER AS TCBAN1; ANCHOR 5]

Would you support or oppose a ban that prevents middle and high school students (grades 6-12) from using cellphones during the entire school day, including lunch, during class and between classes?

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16	Strongly support a ban on using cellphones during the entire school day
26	Somewhat support a ban on using cellphones during the entire school day
32	Somewhat oppose a ban on using cellphones during the entire school day
24	Strongly oppose a ban on using cellphones during the entire school day
2	Not sure
0	No answer

**TCBAN1/TCBAN2 COMBO TABLE
BASED ON ALL TEENS:**

Sep 25-Oct 9, 2025

17	NET Support a ban on using cellphones during the entire school day (Strongly/Somewhat support TCBAN2)
73	NET Oppose a ban on using cellphones during the entire school day (Strongly/Somewhat oppose either TCBAN1 OR TCBAN2)
10	NET Not sure (Not sure for either TCBAN1 OR TCBAN2)
*	No answer to TCBAN1 OR TCBAN2

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