

GALLUP NEWS SERVICE  
PROPOSED FEDERAL TAX CHANGES

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Results are based on telephone interviews with a random sample of 1,020-- national adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, conducted December 1-2, 2017.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, the margin of error is  $\pm 4$  percentage points at the 95%

cell phone respondents and 30% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained this sample from Survey Sampling International. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member is the next birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, nonresponse, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics

1. How closely have you been following the news about the tax bill being debated in Congress that would make major changes to the federal tax code for individuals and businesses ~~very~~ <sup>very</sup> closely, somewhat closely, not too closely or not at all

	<u>Very closely</u>	<u>Somewhat closely</u>	<u>Not too closely</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Dec 12	30	34	21	14	1

2. From what you've heard or read about ~~them~~ <sup>them</sup>, would you say you approve or disapprove of ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> proposed changes to the tax code?

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2017 Dec 12	29	56	16

For comparison (1986 tax reform) *From what you've heard or read about it, would you say that you approve or disapprove of the tax reform bill passed by the House and Senate conference committee?*

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1986 Sep 13	39	33	28

For comparison (1986 tax reform) *From what you've heard or read about it, would you say you approve or disapprove of the latest tax reform proposal?*

	<u>Approve</u>	<u>Disapprove</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
1986 Jun 9	39	34	27