



Christian Institute – Parenting Survey

METHODOLOGY NOTE

ComRes interviewed 2,049 GB adults online between 31st January and 2nd February 2014. Data were weighted to be representative of all GB adults aged 18+. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules.

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ONLINE Fieldwork : 31st January - 2nd February 2014

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that it is sometimes necessary for a parent to smack a naughty child?

Base: All respondents

	Gender			Age						Social Class				Region					Parent/Non parent	
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land	Parent	Non-Parent
Unweighted base	2049	983	1066	178	318	425	368	311	449	692	495	312	550	565	524	517	275	168	629	1397
Weighted base	2049	1004	1045	246	328	390	348	307	430	553	594	430	471	521	541	514	295	178	607	1420
Agree	1330	688	642	134	179	220	233	216	349	360	377	283	311	339	377	343	170	102	336	986
	65%	69%	61%	54%	55%	56%	67%	70%	81%	65%	63%	66%	66%	65%	70%	67%	57%	57%	55%	69%
Disagree	454	198	256	63	86	118	72	62	53	138	133	93	90	110	104	108	85	48	190	258
	22%	20%	24%	26%	26%	30%	21%	20%	12%	25%	22%	22%	19%	21%	19%	21%	29%	27%	31%	18%
Don't know	265	118	147	49	63	51	44	30	28	56	84	55	70	72	60	63	40	28	81	176
	13%	12%	14%	20%	19%	13%	13%	10%	6%	10%	14%	13%	15%	14%	11%	12%	14%	16%	13%	12%