



Napolitan News Service Survey
of 1,000 Registered Voters
Conducted November 10-11, 2025

1 Do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of the federal government's food stamps program?*

30% Very favorable
34% Somewhat favorable
20% Somewhat unfavorable
9% Very unfavorable
7% Not sure

Total			
	Favorable	Unfavorable	Net
November 10-11, 2025	64%	29%	+35
May 14-15, 2025	67%	25%	+42
March 9-10, 2023	63%	29%	+34
Source: Napolitan News Service			

2 Suppose a family of four earns \$60,000 a year. Should they be eligible to receive food stamps?*

40% Yes
39% No
21% Not sure

Total			
	Yes	No	Net
November 10-11, 2025	40%	39%	+1
May 14-15, 2025	46%	39%	+7
March 9-10, 2023	37%	41%	-4
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3a [Among all voters] Suppose a family of four earns \$30,000 a year. Should they be eligible to receive food stamps?*

40% Not asked, say a family making \$60,000 should be eligible
45% Yes
7% No
8% Not sure

Total			
	Yes	No	Net
November 10-11, 2025	45%	7%	+38
May 14-15, 2025	37%	8%	+29
March 9-10, 2023*	83%	9%	+74
Source: Napolitan News Service			

*Asked of all voters

3b [Among those who say a family making \$60,000 should not be eligible or are not sure] Suppose a family of four earns \$30,000 a year. Should they be eligible to receive food stamps?*

75% Yes
11% No
13% Not sure

Total			
	Yes	No	Net
November 10-11, 2025	75%	11%	+64
May 14-15, 2025	69%	15%	+54
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4 Should people who have significant assets like bank accounts, houses, and stocks, be eligible for food stamps?*

29% Yes
55% No
17% Not sure

5 Suppose someone is eligible for other, smaller welfare benefits with less strict eligibility requirements. Should that person automatically become eligible for food stamps as well?*

45% Yes
29% No
26% Not sure

6 From what you know, which is the bigger problem: too many people receive food stamps who should not be eligible for government assistance, or too many people who are eligible for food stamps are not getting the assistance they need?*

37% Too many people receive food stamps
54% Too many people are not getting the assistance they need
9% Not sure

Total			
	Too many people receive food stamps	Too many people are not getting the assistance they need	Net
November 10-11, 2025	37%	54%	-17
May 14-15, 2025	30%	62%	-32
February 9-12, 2023	34%	51%	-17
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7 If someone is able to work, should he or she be required to work or seek work in order to receive food stamps?*

67% Yes
20% No
13% Not sure

Total			
	Yes	No	Net
November 10-11, 2025	67%	20%	+47
May 14-15, 2025	73%	12%	+61
Source: Napolitan News Service			

8a [Among all voters] Generally speaking, should those who are able to work be expected to work full-time, around 40 hours a week, to receive food stamps?*

33% Not asked, did not say those who are able should be required to work
35% Yes
20% No
12% Not sure

Total			
	Yes	No	Net
November 10-11, 2025	35%	20%	+15
May 14-15, 2025	39%	23%	+16
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8b [Among those who say those who are able should be required to work] Generally speaking, should those who are able to work be expected to work full-time, around 40 hours a week, to receive food stamps?*

52% Yes
30% No
18% Not sure

Total			
	Yes	No	Net
November 10-11, 2025	52%	30%	+22
May 14-15, 2025	54%	32%	+22
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9 Currently, more than 41 million Americans, or about 12% of the population, are on food stamps. Are most of these people truly in need of government assistance to buy food, or is there widespread abuse of the system?*

49% Most of these people are truly in need
40% There is widespread abuse of the system
11% Not sure

Total			
	Most of these people are truly in need	There is widespread abuse of the system	Net
November 10-11, 2025	49%	40%	+9
May 14-15, 2025	51%	39%	+12
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10 The government spends around \$100 billion per year on SNAP, the federal food stamp program. Is this too much or too little?*

20% Far too much
20% Somewhat too much
25% About the right amount
12% Somewhat too little
7% Much too little
17% Not sure

Total			
	Too much	Too little	Net
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May 14-15, 2025	36%	26%	+10
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11 How likely is it that large numbers of young, able-bodied people are choosing not to work because they receive food stamps and other government assistance?*

33% Very likely
30% Somewhat likely
17% Not very likely
11% Not at all likely
8% Not sure

Total	
	Very likely
November 10-11, 2025	33%
May 14-15, 2025	30%
Source: Napolitan News Service	

Methodology

This survey of 1,000 Registered Voters was conducted online by Scott Rasmussen on November 10-11, 2025. Field work for the survey was conducted by RMG Research, Inc. Certain quotas were applied, and the sample was lightly weighted by geography, gender, age, race, education, internet usage, and political party to reasonably reflect the nation's population of Registered Voters. Other variables were reviewed to ensure that the final sample is representative of that population.

The margin of sampling error for the full sample is +/- 3.1 percentage points.

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