



North Carolina Survey Results

- Q1** The starting teaching pay in North Carolina public schools is \$30,000, and it takes 15 years to earn \$40,000 a year. Do you think teachers are paid too little, about the right salary, or too much?
- Too little* 76%
 - About right* 19%
 - Too much* 3%
 - Not sure* 2%
- Q2** Do you think that teachers should be given a pay increase for completing a masters degree, or not?
- Yes* 83%
 - No* 11%
 - Not sure* 6%
- Q3** Do you think North Carolina can keep the best and most qualified teachers with the current pay scale for teachers, or not?
- Yes* 17%
 - No* 71%
 - Not sure* 12%
- Q4** In the last presidential election, did you vote for Barack Obama or Mitt Romney?
- Barack Obama* 46%
 - Mitt Romney* 48%
 - Someone else/Don't remember* 6%
- Q5** Would you describe yourself as very liberal, somewhat liberal, moderate, somewhat conservative, or ve ry conservative?
- Very liberal* 8%
 - Somewhat liberal* 15%
 - Moderate* 35%
 - Somewhat conservative* 24%
 - Very conservative* 19%

- Q6** If you are a woman, press 1. If a man, press 2.
- Woman* 52%
 - Man* 48%
- Q7** If you are a Democrat, press 1. If a Republican, press 2. If you are an independent or identify with another party, press 3.
- Democrat* 44%
 - Republican* 33%
 - Independent/Other* 23%
- Q8** If you are white, press 1. If African-American, press 2. If other, press 3.
- White* 72%
 - African-American* 18%
 - Other* 9%
- Q9** If you are 18 to 29 years old, press 1. If 30 to 45, press 2. If 46 to 65, press 3. If you are 65 or older, press 4.
- 18 to 29* 15%
 - 30 to 45* 22%
 - 46 to 65* 41%
 - Older than 65* 22%
- Q10** Area Code
- 252* 8%
 - 336* 19%
 - 704* 20%
 - 828* 14%
 - 910* 16%
 - 919* 23%





Crosstabs

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
NC Teachers Paid Too Little/About Right/Too Much?				
Too little	76%	87%	64%	72%
About right	19%	11%	27%	26%
Too much	3%	1%	5%	-
Not sure	2%	1%	3%	2%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Raise for Masters Degree?				
Yes	83%	91%	75%	81%
No	11%	6%	16%	17%
Not sure	6%	3%	9%	2%

	Base	2012 Vote		
		Barack Obama	Mitt Romney	Someone else/Don't remember
Can NC Keep Best Teachers @ Current Pay?				
Yes	17%	16%	19%	8%
No	71%	75%	66%	74%
Not sure	12%	9%	16%	17%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
NC Teachers Paid Too Little/About Right/Too Much?						
Too little	76%	96%	93%	77%	57%	67%
About right	19%	4%	4%	16%	35%	30%
Too much	3%	-	-	6%	2%	-
Not sure	2%	-	2%	1%	6%	3%





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	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Raise for Masters Degree?						
Yes	83%	100%	96%	83%	71%	77%
No	11%	-	3%	10%	19%	18%
Not sure	6%	-	2%	7%	9%	6%

	Base	Ideology				
		Very liberal	Somewhat liberal	Moderate	Somewhat conservative	Very conservative
Can NC Keep Best Teachers @ Current Pay?						
Yes	17%	16%	11%	18%	17%	18%
No	71%	74%	84%	74%	59%	65%
Not sure	12%	10%	5%	8%	24%	17%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
NC Teachers Paid Too Little/About Right/Too Much?			
Too little	76%	79%	72%
About right	19%	15%	24%
Too much	3%	3%	3%
Not sure	2%	3%	1%

	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Raise for Masters Degree?			
Yes	83%	86%	79%
No	11%	8%	15%
Not sure	6%	6%	6%





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	Base	Gender	
		Woman	Man
Can NC Keep Best Teachers @ Current Pay?			
Yes	17%	15%	19%
No	71%	72%	69%
Not sure	12%	13%	12%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
NC Teachers Paid Too Little/About Right/Too Much?				
Too little	76%	85%	64%	72%
About right	19%	10%	31%	21%
Too much	3%	3%	0%	5%
Not sure	2%	2%	4%	1%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Raise for Masters Degree?				
Yes	83%	91%	77%	74%
No	11%	4%	17%	18%
Not sure	6%	5%	6%	8%

	Base	Party		
		Democrat	Republican	Independent/Other
Can NC Keep Best Teachers @ Current Pay?				
Yes	17%	15%	20%	17%
No	71%	74%	65%	72%
Not sure	12%	12%	15%	11%





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	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
NC Teachers Paid Too Little/About Right/Too Much?				
Too little	76%	75%	81%	69%
About right	19%	21%	11%	26%
Too much	3%	2%	5%	-
Not sure	2%	2%	2%	5%

	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
Raise for Masters Degree?				
Yes	83%	83%	85%	80%
No	11%	11%	12%	14%
Not sure	6%	7%	3%	6%

	Base	Race		
		White	African-American	Other
Can NC Keep Best Teachers @ Current Pay?				
Yes	17%	15%	19%	26%
No	71%	72%	72%	56%
Not sure	12%	13%	9%	18%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
NC Teachers Paid Too Little/About Right/Too Much?					
Too little	76%	83%	76%	77%	67%
About right	19%	13%	18%	19%	25%
Too much	3%	4%	5%	1%	2%
Not sure	2%	-	-	3%	5%





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	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Raise for Masters Degree?					
Yes	83%	83%	82%	84%	82%
No	11%	17%	8%	10%	11%
Not sure	6%	-	10%	6%	7%

	Base	Age			
		18 to 29	30 to 45	46 to 65	Older than 65
Can NC Keep Best Teachers @ Current Pay?					
Yes	17%	32%	18%	12%	14%
No	71%	64%	74%	77%	61%
Not sure	12%	5%	8%	11%	25%

	Base	Area Code					
		252	336	704	828	910	919
NC Teachers Paid Too Little/About Right/Too Much?							
Too little	76%	67%	79%	77%	71%	71%	80%
About right	19%	31%	17%	20%	14%	27%	14%
Too much	3%	-	4%	1%	9%	-	3%
Not sure	2%	3%	1%	2%	6%	2%	3%

	Base	Area Code					
		252	336	704	828	910	919
Raise for Masters Degree?							
Yes	83%	82%	87%	88%	75%	82%	81%
No	11%	11%	12%	9%	8%	16%	11%
Not sure	6%	7%	1%	3%	17%	2%	8%





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	Base	Area Code					
		252	336	704	828	910	919
Can NC Keep Best Teachers @ Current Pay?							
Yes	17%	24%	23%	17%	6%	14%	16%
No	71%	63%	65%	74%	68%	70%	76%
Not sure	12%	13%	11%	9%	26%	16%	8%

