



### **Detailed Results**

## 14TH ANNUAL PARENTS, KIDS & MONEY SURVEY

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## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

### **Executive Overview**

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The pandemic continues to exacerbate existing financial gaps and barriers to building wealth for Black and Latinx families. Black and Latinx parents are most likely to report negative financial impacts of the pandemic and to have experienced barriers to building wealth like low wages, poor credit and a lack of financial knowledge. However, nearly 90% of parents, across all races and ethnicities, are confident they will be able to pass wealth down to their kids. Parents with more wealth can put their money toward investments, not just paying down debt, and they report higher levels of both financial and emotional well-being.

2

The pandemic economy has forced many families to downshift to a single-income household and is taking a toll on women's mental health. Parents of newly single-income households are less confident when talking to their kids about money, and many have relied on the Child Tax Credit to keep their families afloat. Three in four women whose employment was impacted by the pandemic say their mental health has suffered, and they are twice as likely as men to worry, lose sleep, or have lower self-esteem. Looking to the future, women are more likely than men to look for a new position and to prioritize a remote working environment—if they return at all.

3

Cryptocurrency is grabbing kids' interest, and some parents are using it as an opportunity to talk to their children about finances. Many kids are already more familiar with crypto than their parents, and nearly a third of parents aware of crypto say their kids actively trade crypto/digital assets more than they do. Still, kids look to their parents for advice when it comes to investing, even more so than social media. While parents generally understand crypto, meme stocks, and NFTs pose higher risks than blue chip stocks, many are starting to invest in crypto/meme stocks, and those who do have more frequent conversations with their kids about finances.



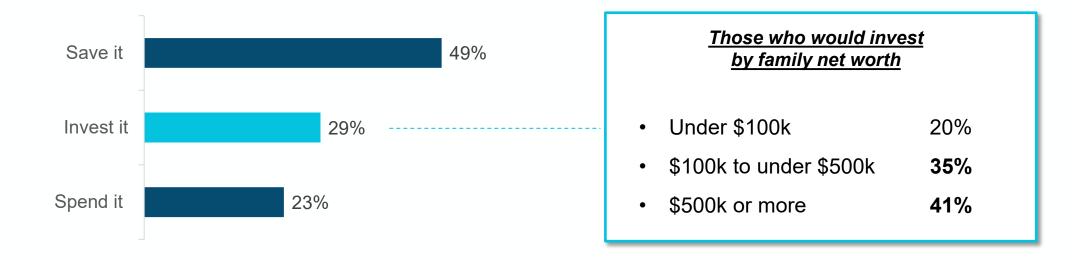
# Cryptocurrencies, Meme Stocks, and Investing

## Given \$100 to Save, Spend, or Invest, Nearly a Third of Kids Say They Would Invest It

This is especially true for those in high-net-worth homes

#### If Given \$100, Kids Would...

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids)



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Q53. If someone gave you \$100 and said that you had to save, spend or invest it, what would you do? By invest we mean using your money to try and make more money. Base: Total (n=2138), Under \$100k (n=975), \$100k to under \$500k (n=786), \$500k or more (n=329)

## **Kids Are More Interested in Buying in to Cryptocurrency Than Any Other Investment Type**

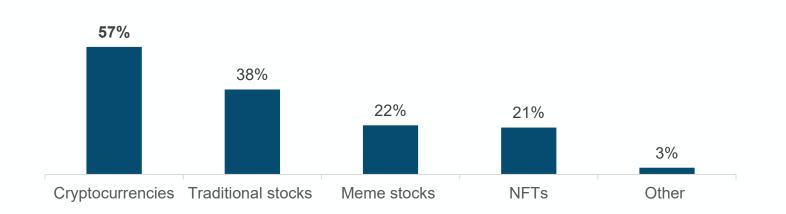
Majority of kids familiar with cryptocurrency believe that it's the future of investing

#### Interest in Investing in...

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids Interested in Investing)

#### **Statement Agreement**

(Shown: % Selected Response "Agree" among Kids Familiar With Cryptocurrency)



51%

Of kids who are familiar with crypto agree that it is the future of investing

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Q55. You mentioned you would invest the \$100 given to you. What would you invest it in? Base: Kids who would invest the \$100 given to them. Total (n=611)
Q57. Finally, how much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Base: Kids familiar with cryptocurrency (n=1570)

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## **Kids Are Already More Familiar With Crypto Than Their Parents, Especially Those Ages 11-14**

Nearly one-third of parents say their kids actively trade crypto or digital assets more than they do

#### Who Knows More - Parents or Kids?

(Shown: % Selected "Yes" Among Kids, Top 2 Box Agree/Familiar Among Parents)

47%

Of parents are familiar with cryptocurrency

(White 48%, Black 53%, Asian 52%, Latinx 45%)

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Of kids are familiar with cryptocurrency

(Kids ages 11-14 (65%) and boys (60%) are more likely to be familiar)

Of parents familiar with crypto say their kids actively trade crypto/digital assets more than they do

(White 34%, Black 26%, Asian 19%, Latinx 27%)

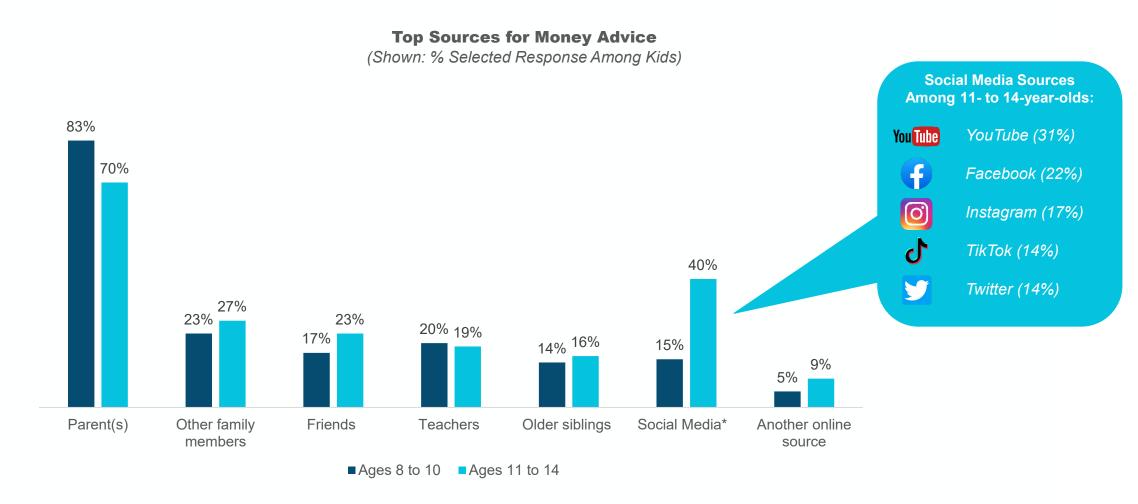
Q34. Now, thinking about investments, which of the following are you familiar with? Base: Total (n=2138) White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528). Latinx Americans (n=516). Asian Americans (n=505)

Q45. Thinking about cryptocurrency, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Parents familiar with cryptocurrency (n=1013), White Americans (n=740), Black Americans (n=281), Latinx Americans (n=233), Asian Americans (n=261) Q50. Have you ever heard of...? Base: Total children (n=2138), Total Boys (n=1233), Total children aged 11-14 (n=1186)

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## Yet Parents Are Kids' Most Trusted Source of Information for Investing

Kids increasingly turn to social media, particularly YouTube, for this information as they age



Note: Those 8-10 were only shown "social media" rather than specific sources

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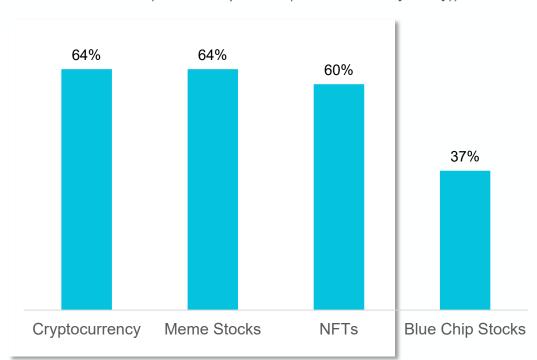
Q49. Who or where would you go if you wanted advice about money? Base: Total (n=2138), Children aged 8-10 (n=948), Children aged 11-14 (n=1186)

## Some Parents Are Concerned That Crypto, Digital Currency, and Meme Stocks Are More Risky Investments

Half fear that cryptocurrency is a short-term fad or a bubble that will burst, and nearly the same amount say they are concerned about the environmental impacts

#### **Risk Associated With Investment Types**

(Shown: Top 2 Box (Somewhat/Very Risky))



#### **Statement Agreement**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Those Familiar With or Have Money in Cryptocurrency)







Q35. How much risk do you associate with each of the following? Base: Varies according to familiarity; Cryptocurrency (n=1013), Meme stocks (n=474), Blue chip stocks (n=829), NFTs (n=513)

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Those in the middle net worth bucket are more likely than any other group to worry the bubble will burst, and fear that it's a short-term fad

#### **Statement Agreement**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Those With Money in Cryptocurrency)

<b>53</b> %	Of parents with money in crypto worry that it's a <u>bubble that will</u> <u>burst</u>						
Under \$10	48%						
\$100K – u	57%						
\$500K or	56%						

<b>52%</b> Of parents fear crypto/digital assets are a <u>short-term fad</u>							
Under \$100K	43%						
\$100K – under \$500K	59%						
\$500K or more	54%						

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Q45. Thinking about cryptocurrency, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Those with money invested in cryptocurrency: Total (n=592), Under \$100K (n=215), Under \$100K - Under \$500K (n=256), \$500K or more (n=118)

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## **But Others Are Buying in to Crypto and Meme Stocks Themselves and See It as an Opportunity to Diversify**

#### **Money Invested In**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

28% Of parents have money invested in cryptocurrency

Of parents have money invested in meme stocks

#### **Statement Agreement**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Parents Familiar With Cryptocurrency)

64%

Of parents familiar with crypto agree that investing in cryptocurrency is a way to diversify your financial portfolio

Compared with White (66%), Black (61%), Latinx (56%), and Asian parents (57%)

Q36. Which of the following do you have money in? Base: Total (n=2138)

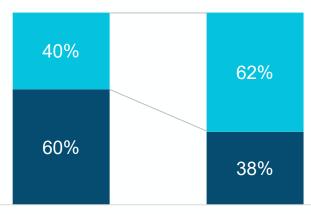
Q45. Thinking about cryptocurrency, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Those familiar with cryptocurrency (n=1013), White Americans (n=740), Black Americans (n=281), Latinx Americans (n=233), Asian Americans (n=261)

## Parents Who Own Crypto or Meme Stocks Are More Likely to **Have Regular Financial Conversations With Their Children**

In fact, 42% of parents report having regular conversations about finances with their kids because of cryptocurrency

#### **Frequency of Financial Conversations**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Parents Invested in Cryptocurrency or Meme Stocks )



Parents invested in blue chip stocks are also more likely to talk to their kids weekly or more (55%) compared with those NOT invested in blue chip stocks (45%)

Parents NOT Invested in Crypto/Meme Stocks

Parents Invested in Crypto/Meme Stocks

■ Less Than Weekly

■ Weekly or More Often

#### **Statement Agreement - Cryptocurrency**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Parents Familiar With Cryptocurrency)



4 in 10 parents (42%) who are familiar with crypto agree: "My kids and I have regular conversations about finances because of cryptocurrency."

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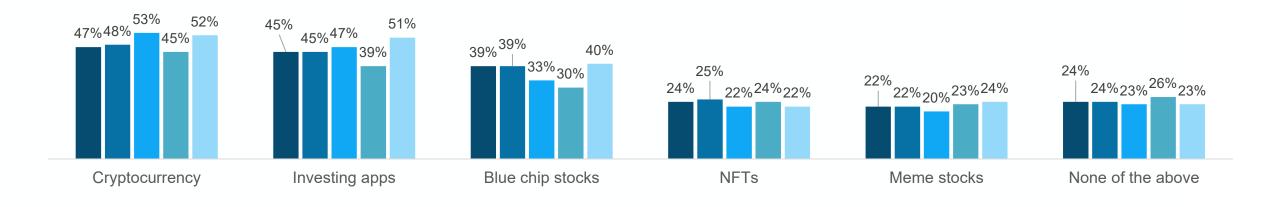
Q15. How often in the past year have you talked to your child about finances? Base: Parents Invested in Crypto or Meme Stocks; Total (n=716), Parents not invested in Crypto or Meme Stocks; Total (n=1422), Parents invested in Blue Chip Stocks (n=494), Parents not invested in Blue Chip Stocks (n=1644) Q44. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Those familiar with cryptocurrency: Total (n=1013)

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### **Parents' Familiarity With Investments**

#### **Familiarity With Investment Types**

(Shown: % Selected Response)



■ Total ■ White Americans ■ Black Americans ■ Latinx Americans ■ Asian Americans

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Q34. Now, thinking about investments, which of the following are you familiar with? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

### **Parents' Investment Portfolio**

#### **Investment Portfolio**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Mutual funds	29%	31%	17%	20%	32%
Cryptocurrency (Like Bitcoin, Ethereum, or Dogecoin)	28%	28%	32%	25%	29%
Blue chip stocks (Well-established stocks like Microsoft, Apple, McDonald's)	23%	22%	21%	20%	31%
Certificate of deposit	19%	20%	14%	14%	19%
Money market	18%	18%	12%	16%	18%
Bonds	17%	19%	11%	16%	16%
ETFs	14%	14%	9%	12%	15%
NFTs (Digital assets like Bored Ape Yacht Club, Cryptopunks)	13%	14%	9%	12%	8%
Meme stocks (Recently viral stocks like GameStop, AMC)	11%	11%	11%	13%	8%
None of the above	31%	29%	38%	40%	30%

Q36. Which of the following do you have money in? Base: Total (n=2138) White Americans (n=1551) Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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### **Parents' Frequency in Trading Stocks**

#### **Frequency of Trading Stocks**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Those Using An Investment Platform or Who Have a Wealth Manager)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Daily	9%	9%	12%	9%	5%
Few times a week	22%	23%	24%	24%	17%
Few times a month	29%	29%	26%	27%	33%
Few times a year	19%	20%	16%	16%	22%
Once a year	2%	2%	2%	3%	5%
Less than once a year	5%	5%	5%	4%	7%
I have only bought or traded once	6%	5%	7%	9%	6%
I am not sure, my advisor/manager does this for me	7%	7%	7%	8%	6%

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Q39. How frequently do you buy or trade stocks? Base: Those who use investment apps personally or have a manager handling investments; Total (n=1378), White Americans (n=1022), Black Americans (n=307), Latinx Americans (n=315), Asian Americans (n=332)

### **Sentiments Around Stocks**

#### **Statement Agreement Regarding Stocks**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Investing in stocks is a way to diversify your financial portfolio	78%	80%	71%	70%	70%
Investing in stocks is a way to build wealth	76%	79%	72%	69%	69%
I'm hoping gains in stocks will help me make up for shortfalls in savings	64%	65%	64%	65%	57%
I am excited to talk to my kids about stocks	62%	64%	62%	58%	47%
The money I have invested in stocks is earmarked for a particular goal	61%	62%	59%	60%	51%
Investing in stocks is a way to make money fast	57%	59%	56%	58%	45%
My social media feed contains a lot of content about stocks	52%	55%	49%	51%	36%
I can afford significant losses in stocks because it is not earmarked for a particular goal	50%	52%	37%	50%	38%
I have lost sleep trading stocks or feeling anxious or excited about trading stocks	43%	44%	38%	48%	34%
My kids actively trade stocks more than I do	39%	42%	27%	38%	21%

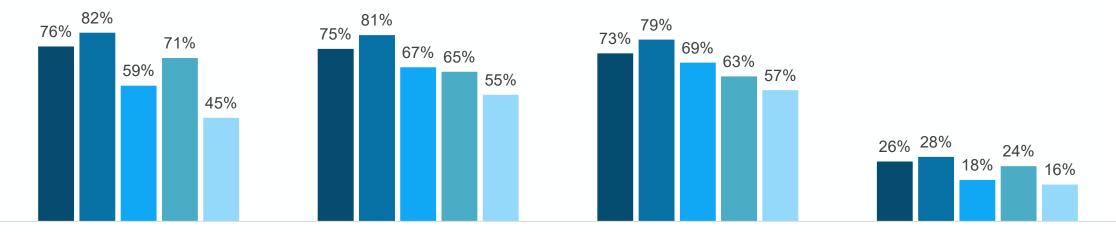
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Q40. Thinking about stocks in general, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

### **Sentiments Around Meme Stocks**

#### **Meme Stock Perceptions**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree)



I started to actively trade as a result of Investing in meme stocks is a way to I find meme stocks a way to make fast. My children trade meme stocks more meme stocks\* build wealth\* money\* than I do

■ Total ■ White Americans ■ Black Americans ■ Latinx Americans ■ Asian Americans

Q41. Thinking about meme stocks, how much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

\*Base: Those who have money currently invested in meme stocks; Total (n=233), White Americans (n=166), Black Americans (n=58\*), Latinx Americans (n=65\*), Asian Americans (n=42\*) \*Note: Small sample size, findings should be considered directional only.

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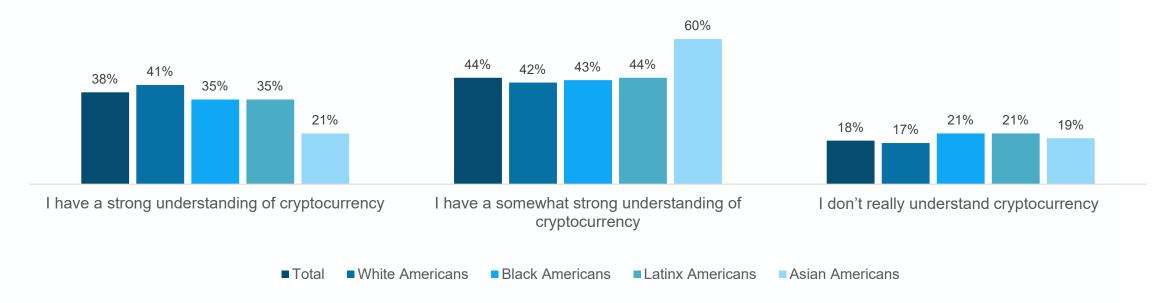
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### **Parents' Understanding of Cryptocurrency**

#### **Understanding of Cryptocurrency**

(Shown: % Selected Response)



Q42. You also indicated you are familiar with or have invested in cryptocurrency. How would you characterize your understanding of it? Base: Those familiar with or invested in cryptocurrency. Total (n=1110), White Americans (n=802), Black Americans (n=304), Latinx Americans (n=261), Asian Americans (n=279)

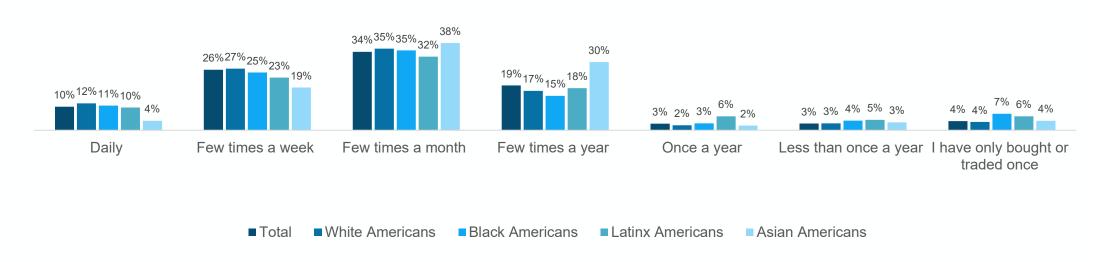
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## **Parents' Frequency of Trading Cryptocurrency**

#### **Frequency of Trading Cryptocurrency**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Those Invested in Cryptocurrency)



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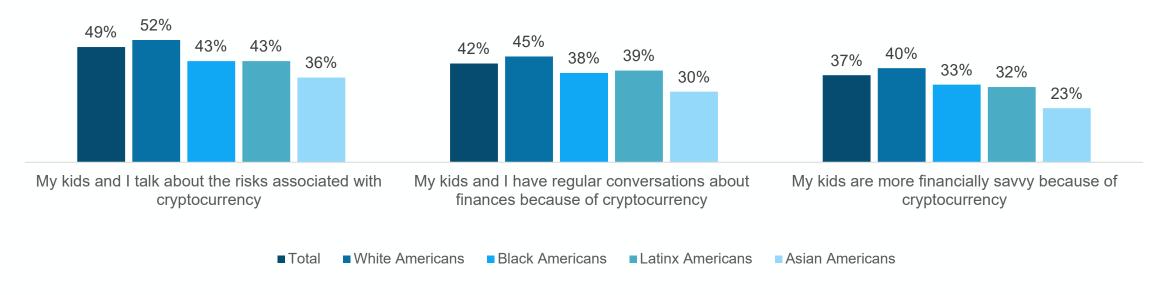
Q43. How frequently do you buy or trade cryptocurrency? Base: Those who have money in cryptocurrency; Total (n=592), White Americans (n=434) Black Americans (n=167), Latinx Americans (n=131), Asian Americans (n=145)

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## **Kids' Financial Understanding Due to Cryptocurrency**

#### **Cryptocurrency Influence on Kids' Financial Understanding**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Those Familiar With Cryptocurrency)



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Q44. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Base: Those who are familiar with cryptocurrency. Total (n=1013), White Americans (n=240), Black Americans (n=281), Latinx Americans (n=233), Asian Americans (n=261)

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## **Sentiments Around Cryptocurrency**

#### **Cryptocurrency Perceptions**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Those Familiar With or Have Money Invested in Crypto)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
I'm hoping gains in cryptocurrency will help me make up for shortfalls in savings	68%	70%	63%	67%	53%
More people I know have engaged in cryptocurrencies/digital assets over the past year	64%	66%	59%	56%	57%
Investing in cryptocurrency is a way to diversify your financial portfolio	64%	66%	61%	56%	57%
I can make more money investing in cryptocurrency/digital assets than I can with stocks and bonds	63%	65%	51%	63%	46%
Investing in cryptocurrency is a way to build wealth	60%	62%	61%	61%	52%
The money I have invested in cryptocurrency is earmarked for a particular goal	56%	59%	59%	51%	41%
I worry that cryptocurrency is a bubble that will burst	53%	56%	41%	50%	51%
Cryptocurrency is a way to level the investment playing field	53%	55%	56%	53%	44%

Q45. Thinking about cryptocurrency, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Those that are familiar with or have money invested in cryptocurrency. Total (n=1013), White Americans (n=740), Black Americans (n=281), Latinx Americans (n=233), Asian Americans (n=261)

## **Sentiments Around Cryptocurrency (continued)**

#### **Cryptocurrency Perceptions**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Those Familiar With or Have Money Invested in Crypto)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Investing in cryptocurrency is a way to make money fast	52%	55%	51%	48%	38%
I fear cryptocurrency/digital assets are a short-term fad	52%	55%	41%	53%	41%
My social media feed contains a lot of content about cryptocurrency	50%	52%	50%	42%	41%
I can afford significant losses in cryptocurrency because it is not earmarked for a particular goal	49%	52%	39%	47%	44%
I am excited to talk to my kids about cryptocurrency/digital assets	48%	50%	50%	45%	41%
I am concerned about the environmental impact of cryptocurrency	46%	47%	44%	36%	41%
I have lost sleep trading cryptocurrency or feeling anxious or excited about trading it	40%	41%	37%	40%	30%
My kids actively trade cryptocurrency/digital assets more than I do	32%	34%	26%	27%	19%

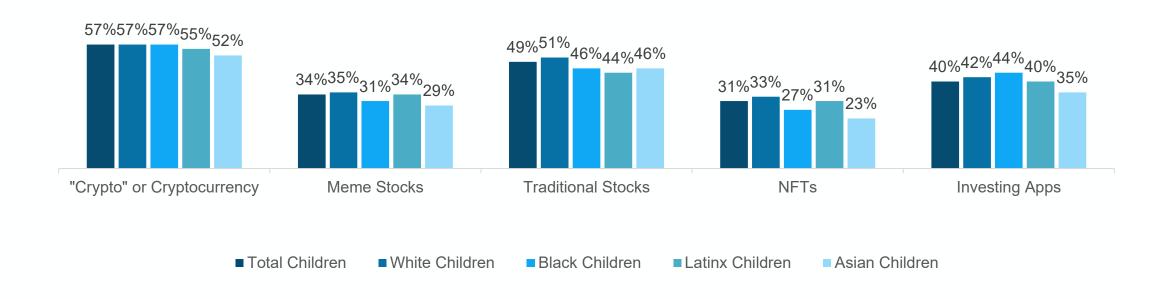
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### **Kids Have Heard About...**

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#### **Familiarity With Investment Types**

(Shown: % Selected Response "Yes" Among Kids)

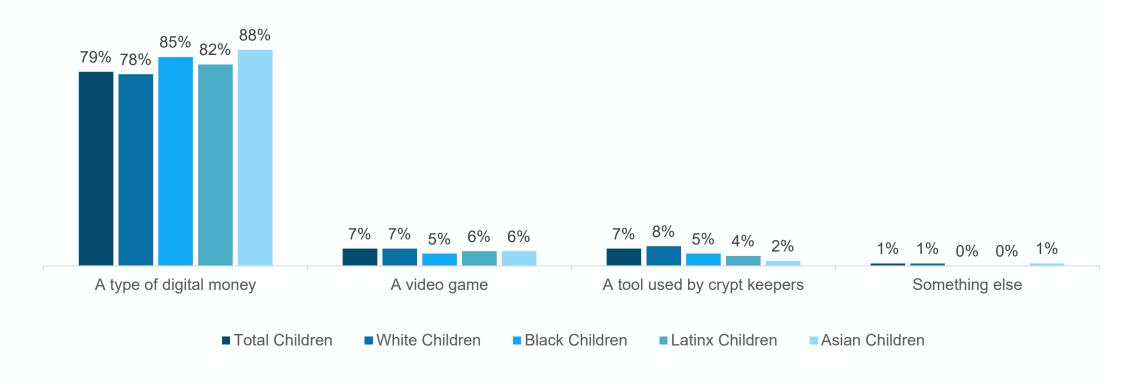


Q50. Have you heard of? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

## What Is "Crypto" or Cryptocurrency

#### **Kids' Understanding of Cryptocurrency**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids Familiar with It)



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Q51. What do you think "crypto" or cryptocurrency is? Base: Kids who are familiar with cryptocurrency; Total (n=1219), White Americans (n=890), Black Americans (n=301), Latinx Americans (n=282), Asian Americans (n=265)

## Kids vs. Parents' Investment Knowledge

#### **Child vs. Parent Investment Knowledge**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids)

	Total		White		Black		Latinx		Asian	
	Child knows more	Parents knows more								
Cryptocurrency	21%	61%	23%	58%	18%	69%	22%	63%	14%	68%
Meme Stocks	34%	50%	35%	51%	32%	50%	34%	51%	30%	45%
Traditional Stocks	16%	74%	18%	72%	14%	74%	12%	76%	10%	81%
NFTs	32%	57%	33%	56%	30%	60%	30%	54%	37%	49%
Investing Apps	23%	68%	24%	66%	18%	72%	24%	63%	13%	75%

Q52. Who knows more about the following things – you or your parent(s)? Base: Those familiar with each investment type - **Cryptocurrency**: Total (n=1219), White Americans (n=890), Black Americans (n=301), Latinx Americans (n=265), Asian Americans (n=265); **Meme stocks**: Total (n=732), White Americans (n=539), Black Americans (n=165), Latinx Americans (n=174), Asian Americans (n=144); **Traditional stocks**: Total (n=1054), White Americans (n=797), Black Americans (n=244), Latinx Americans (n=225), Asian Americans (n=234); **NFTs**: Total (n=669), White Americans (n=505), Black Americans (n=142), Latinx Americans (n=162), Asian Americans (n=115); **Investing Apps**: Total (n=864), White Americans (n=644), Black Americans (n=204), Asian Americans (n=178)

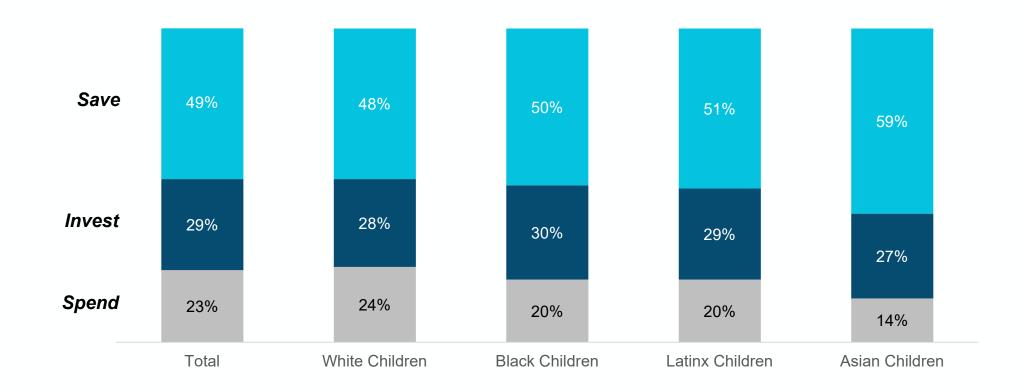
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## Will Kids Save, Spend, or Invest \$100

#### **Money Management of \$100**

(Shown:% Response Among Kids)



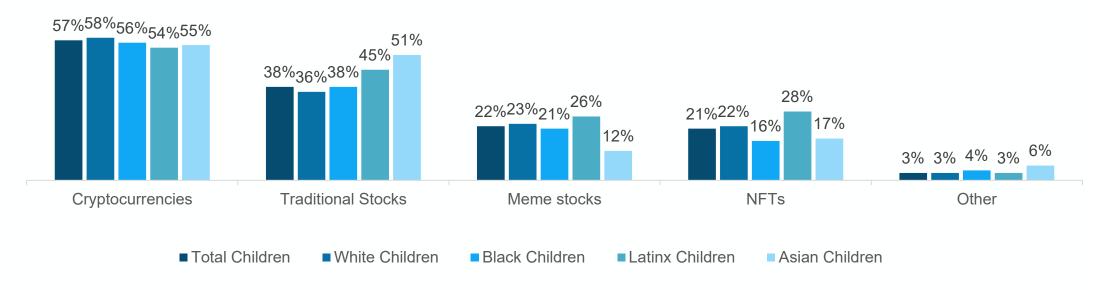
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Q53. If someone gave you \$100 and said that you had to save, spend or invest it, what would you do? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

### **How Kids Would Invest \$100**

#### **How Kids Would Invest \$100 Given to Them**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids Who Would Invest It)



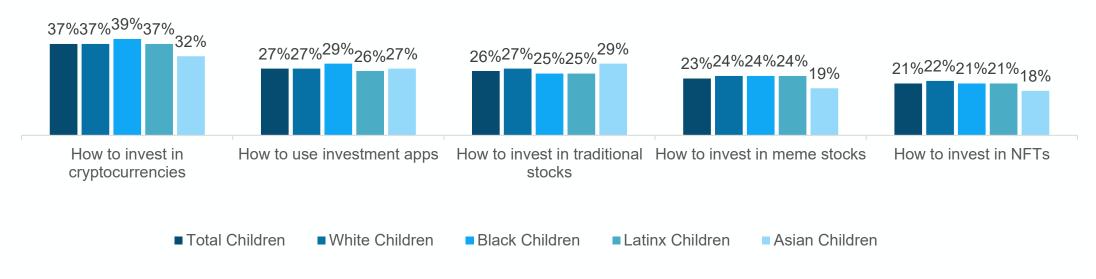
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Q55. You mentioned you would invest the \$100 dollars given to you. What would you invest it in? Base: Kids who would invest money given to them; Total (n=611), White Americans (n=439), Black Americans (n=159), Latinx Americans (n=151), Asian Americans (n=138)

### **Kids Excited to Learn More About...**

#### **Excitement to Learn About Investment Types**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids)



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Q56. Would you be excited to learn about...? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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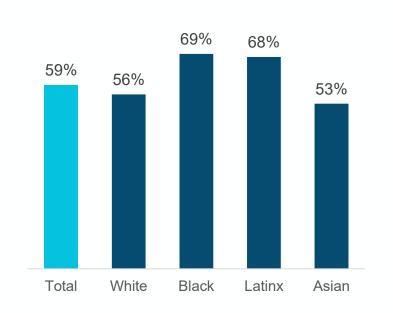
# Single-Income Households and the "She-Cession"

## Most Parents' Employment Has Been Impacted by the Pandemic, Particularly Black and Latinx parents

One in five families have downshifted to single-income households due to the pandemic

#### **Negative Employment Impacts of Pandemic**

(Shown: % Selected Any Response)



#### **Negative Employment Impacts of Pandemic**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
I work fewer hours	28%	29%	27%	30%	20%
We went from a two-income to a one-income household	18%	17%	26%	24%	18%
I have had to defer my student loan debt	13%	13%	17%	12%	7%
I had to quit work for virtual school or child-care	13%	12%	17%	16%	12%
l was laid off	11%	10%	14%	12%	9%
l was furloughed	8%	7%	8%	8%	6%

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Q5. How have you been impacted, if at all, by the pandemic? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

## Parents of New Single-Income Households Are Less Confident When Talking to Their Kids About Money



1 in 5 families have downsized to single-income households due to the pandemic (18%)

This is especially true for Black (26%) and Latinx (24%) families as a quarter have been impacted

#### **Emotions Associated With Financial Conversations**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Single-Income Households vs. Not)

**Downsized to Single-Income** 

32%

Of parents are **confident** about financial conversations with kids

<u>Did Not Downsize to Single-</u> Income

45%

Of parents are **confident** about financial conversations with kids

Q5. How have you been impacted, if at all, by the pandemic? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

Q18. What is the main emotion you experience when thinking about discussing finances with your child? Base: Those that downsized incomes; Total (n=392). Did not downsize incomes; Total (n=1746)

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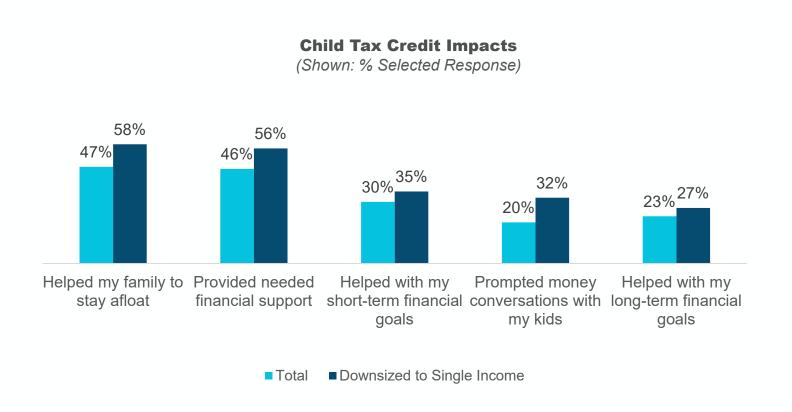
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## For New Single-Income Households, the Child Tax Credit Was Essential to Helping Families Stay Financially Afloat

#### They were using these funds to purchase necessities and pay off debt



#### **Child Tax Credit Uses**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total	Downsized to Single-Income
Household necessities	<b>54%</b>	64%
Children's school expenses	34%	43%
To pay off debt	29%	35%
Child-care costs	29%	33%

Q13. Beginning in July 2021 through the American Rescue Plan Act (designed as a pandemic relief measure), the Child Tax Credit allows parents to receive a tax credit of up to \$3,000 per child under age 18, and \$3,600 for kids under age 6. How, if at all, are you using this money?

Base: Total (n=2138), Downsized Total (n=392)

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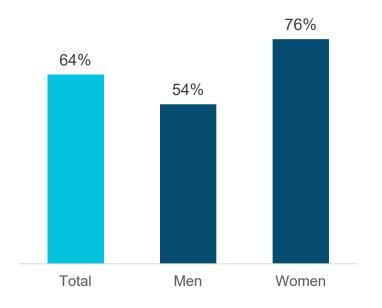
Q14. What, if any, are the impacts of the Child Tax Credit on your family overall? It has... Base: Total using Child Tax Credit (n=1835), Downsized using Child Tax Credit (n=354)

## Three in Four Women Impacted by Employment Changes **Report Mental Health Challenges**

Women are twice as likely as men to report greater worry, sleep disturbance, and lower self-esteem

#### **Negative Mental Health Impact From Employment Change**

(Shown: % Selected Any Negative Impact Among Those With an Employment Change)



#### **Negative Mental Health Impacts from Employment Change**

(Shown: % Selected Among Those With an Employment Change)

	Total	Men	Women	1	
Worry more often	46%	32%	61%		Women are
Do not sleep as well	29%	18%	41%		more likely
Less confidence	24%	18%	31%		than men t report individual
Lower self-esteem	20%	14%	27%		negative impacts

Q6. You mentioned you experienced a change in employment status due to the pandemic. How has this impacted your mental health? Base: Those that experienced a change in employment status due to the pandemic; Total Women (n=459) Total Men (n=540), White American Women (n=287), Black American Women (n=187), Latinx American Women (n=177), Asian American Women (n=147)

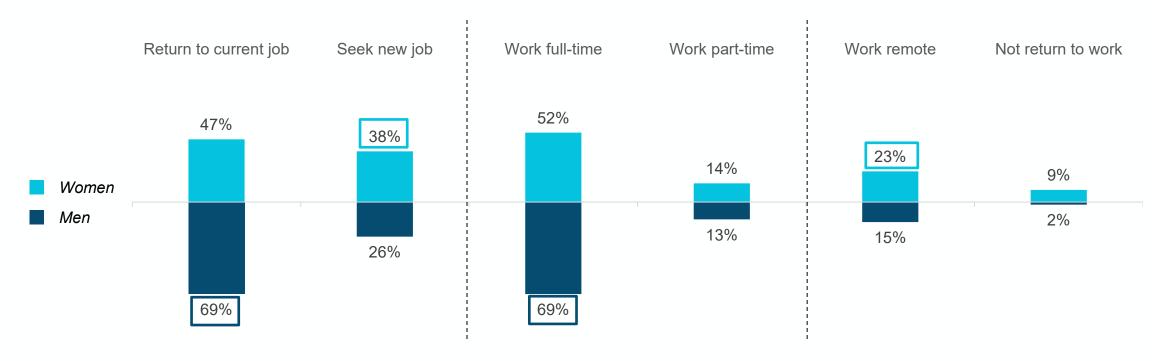
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## Men Expect to Return Full-Time to Their Old Jobs, but Women Are More Likely to Seek New, Remote Employment

#### **Return to Work Plans**

(Shown: % Selected Among Those With an Employment Change)



Q7. Thinking about a post-pandemic world, which best describes your return-to-work plans? Base: Those that experienced a change in employment status due to the pandemic; Total Women (n=459), Total Men (n=540)

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# Black Women are More Likely to Seek a New Job or Remote Work, While Latinx Women are Most Likely to Not Return to Work

#### **Return to Work Plans by Gender & Ethnicity**

(Shown: % Selected Among Those With an Employment Change)

	Total				
	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Return to current job	58%	65%	41%	48%	53%
Seek new job	32%	27%	45%	35%	35%
Work full-time	61%	66%	51%	49%	53%
Work part-time	13%	14%	12%	16%	15%
Work remote	19%	15%	27%	24%	24%
Not return to work	5%	5%	8%	9%	8%

		Men		
Total	White	Black*	Latinx*	Asian*
69%	72%	62%	57%	64%
26%	24%	28%	33%	25%
69%	73%	62%	56%	61%
13%	12%	13%	19%	11%
15%	12%	19%	21%	25%
2%	2%	6%	5%	4%

Women							
Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian			
47%	54%	32%	44%	48%			
38%	31%	53%	36%	39%			
52%	55%	47%	45%	50%			
14%	15%	11%	14%	17%			
23%	19%	32%	26%	23%			
9%	8%	9%	12%	10%			

Q7. Thinking about a post-pandemic world, which best describes your return-to-work plans? Base: Those that experienced a change in employment status due to the pandemic; Total (n=1002), White (n=707), Black (n=273), Latinx (n=275), Asian (n=203); Total Women (n=459), White Women (n=287), Black Women (n=187), Latinx Women (n=177), Asian Women (n=147); Total Men (n=540), White Men (n=418), Black Men (n=86\*), Latinx Men (n=97\*), Asian Men (n=56\*) \*Note: Small sample size, findings should be considered directional only.

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## **Generational Wealth Transfer**

# The Pandemic Continues to Exacerbate Existing Financial Gaps for Multicultural Groups

Black and Latinx parents are especially likely to report pandemic impacts on their finances and to report lower levels of wealth and financial well-being

		Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Pandemic Impacts	Experienced a negative impact on employment status in the pandemic	<b>59%</b>	56%	69%	68%	53%
	Experienced a decrease in household income in the past year	38%	34%	49%	48%	42%
Wealth and Financial Well-being	Reported a household net worth of less than \$100,000	46%	40%	75%	62%	50%
	Described their financial well-being as "below average" or "very poor"	25%	23%	35%	32%	23%

Q1. Thinking about your household net worth, how would you classify it? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

Q4. Thinking about your current well-being, how would you rate the following? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505) Note: Trending data not available for this question.

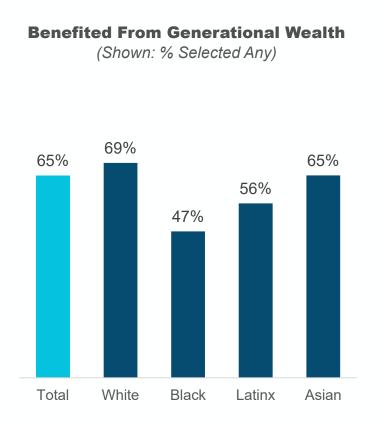
Q5. How have you been impacted, if at all, by the pandemic? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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Q8. When thinking about your finances in the past year, please tell us if there was an increase, decrease or no change for the following. Base: Total (n=2318). White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

## This Further Limits Generational Wealth Transfer for Those **Who Have Historically Inherited Less**

White and Asian parents are most likely to have received some type of support from past generations, while Black and Latinx parents are least likely



#### **Financial Support Received From Past Generations**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian	
Helped pay for college/education 39%	42%	25%	33%	45%	
Helped pay for/gifted a house 21%	22%	13%	19%	16%	
Helped pay for/gifted a car $42\%$	43%	37%	46%	38%	
Paid for a wedding $16\%$	19%	7%	10%	16%	
Gifted a CD or savings bond 13%	15%	9%	9%	10%	
Left an inheritance 13%	15%	8%	9%	8%	

Q27. What financial support, if any, did you receive from your parents/grandparents? Select all that apply. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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# Household Income and Net Worth Are Determinants in How Confident Parents Feel Providing For Their Kids

Low-income households are more likely to pay for education and cars, and they are also more likely than the general population to pay for weddings

#### **Wealth Transfer by HHI & Net Worth**

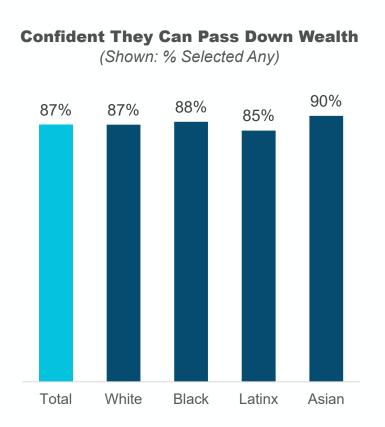
(Shown: % Selected Response)

<u> </u>	Household Inco	ome (HHI)		<u>Net Worth</u>			
Total	Under \$100K o \$100K More		Under \$100K	\$100K to Under \$500K	\$500K or More		
<b>58%</b>	52%	67%	49%	64%	72%		
27%	20%	37%	18%	34%	40%		
<b>58%</b>	57%	61%	56%	60%	63%		
27%	29%	22%	22%	30%	37%		
<b>25</b> %	26%	26%	19%	29%	36%		
30%	28%	37%	22%	33%	44%		
	Total 58% 27% 58% 27% 25%	Total       Under \$100K         58%       52%         27%       20%         58%       57%         27%       29%         25%       26%	Total       \$100K       More         58%       52%       67%         27%       20%       37%         58%       57%       61%         27%       29%       22%         25%       26%       26%	Total       Under \$100K       \$100K or More       Under \$100K         58%       52%       67%       49%         27%       20%       37%       18%         58%       57%       61%       56%         27%       29%       22%       22%         25%       26%       19%	Total         Under \$100K         \$100K or More         Under \$100K         \$100K to Under \$500K           58%         52%         67%         49%         64%           27%         20%         37%         18%         34%           58%         57%         61%         56%         60%           27%         29%         22%         22%         30%           25%         26%         19%         29%		

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Q28. Which of the following do you feel confident you would be able to provide for your kids? Select all that apply. Base: Total (n=2138), HHI Under \$100K (n=1206), HHI \$100K or more (n=932), Net worth under \$100K (975), \$100k to under \$500K (n=786), \$500K or more (329)

## Still, Parents Are Confident That They Will Be Able to Pass **Wealth Down to Their Kids in Some Way**



#### **What Parents Can Pass Down**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Help pay for college/education 58%	59%	53%	52%	69%
Help pay for/gift a house $\frac{27\%}{}$	27%	31%	24%	26%
Help pay for/gift a car 58%	57%	61%	59%	58%
Pay for a wedding $\frac{27\%}{}$	29%	22%	19%	25%
Gift a CD or savings bond $25\%$	26%	26%	19%	21%
Leave an inheritance 30%	28%	37%	26%	31%

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Q28. Which of the following do you feel confident you would be able to provide for your kids? Select all that apply. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

## **Yet Parents May Expect Their Kids to Contribute More Than Originally Planned or Consider Alternative Education Paths**

#### **Perceptions of College Affordability**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree)

**58%** 

Of parents say their child will likely have to take out student loans if they want to attend college

49%

Of parents say their child will have to help more financially to pay for college than originally planned

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
I will encourage my child to look at more affordable 4-year colleges	62%	64%	57%	58%	54%
I will encourage my child to look more seriously at community colleges	57%	61%	46%	54%	45%
I will encourage my child to look at <b>trade schools as</b> <b>an alternative to college</b>	50%	53%	46%	49%	37%

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Q23. When thinking about college in the past year, how much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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## In General, the Vast Majority Have Encountered Barriers to **Building Generational Wealth, Especially Black Parents**

High debt is a universal barrier for wealth building that cuts across race and ethnicity

## **Experience Barriers to Building Wealth** (Shown: % Selected Any) 83% 79% 75% 74% 74% Latinx Asian

Black

#### **Barriers to Building Wealth**

(Shown: % Selected Response; Top 6 Responses)

То	tal	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Low wages 35	%	33%	41%	37%	37%
High debt 32	%	32%	32%	30%	31%
Poor credit 28	%	27%	37%	31%	18%
_ack of financial knowledge 25	%	25%	34%	29%	27%
The system is failing me 20	%	19%	22%	20%	20%
Limited education 15	%	16%	16%	15%	16%

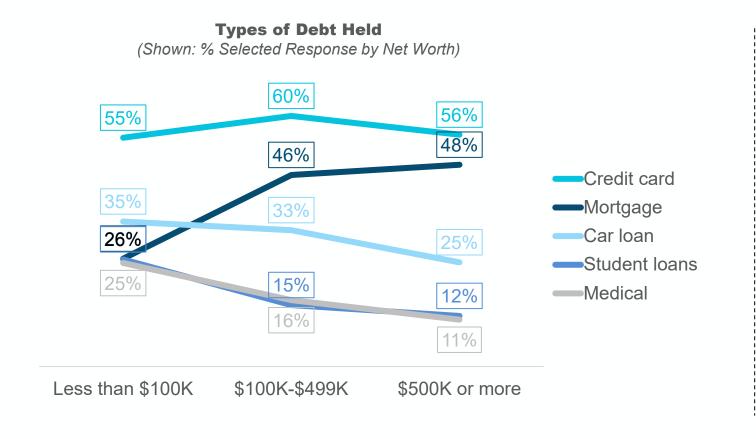
White

Total

Q12. What barriers have you encountered in trying to build wealth? Select all that apply. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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# Those With Less Wealth Are More Likely to Be Stuck Paying Down Debt from Student Loans, Car Loans, and Medical bills...



49%

Of parents say they spend most of their money paying down debt

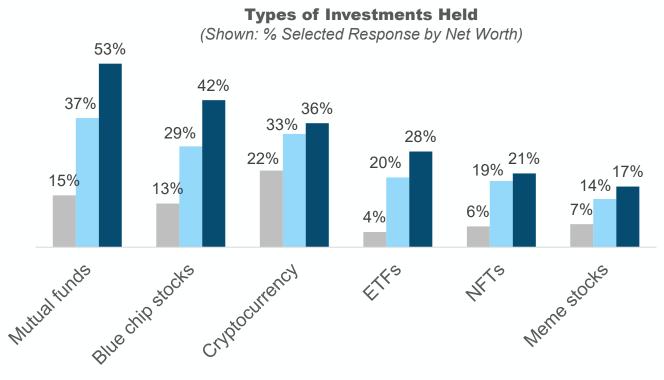
(White 50%, Black 47%, Latinx 49%, Asian 52%)

Q2. Which of the following types of debt do you have? Base: Low Net Worth (n=975), Middle Net Worth (n=786), High Net Worth (n=329)
Q11. Earlier you indicated that you have debt. Thinking about your debt, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?
Base: Those with debt, Total (n=1793), White Americans (n=1291), Black Americans (n=428), Latinx Americans (n=436), Asian Americans (n=439)

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# ...Rather Than Being Able to Invest Their Money as Part of Their Wealth Building Strategy

Those with low net worth invest heaviest in cryptocurrency while those with higher net worth invest heaviest in mutual funds



76% Of parents agree investing in stocks is a way to build wealth

(White 79%, Black 72%, Latinx 69%, Asian 69%)

60% Of parents agree investing in crypto is a way to build wealth

(White 62%, Black 61%, Latinx 61%, Asian 52%)

■ Less than \$100K ■ \$100K - \$499K ■ \$500k or More

Q36. Which of the following do you have money in? Base: Total (n=2138), Low Net Worth (n=975), Middle Net Worth (n=786), High Net Worth (n=329) Q40. Thinking about stocks in general, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Those that use investment apps or have a professional manager; Total (n=1378)

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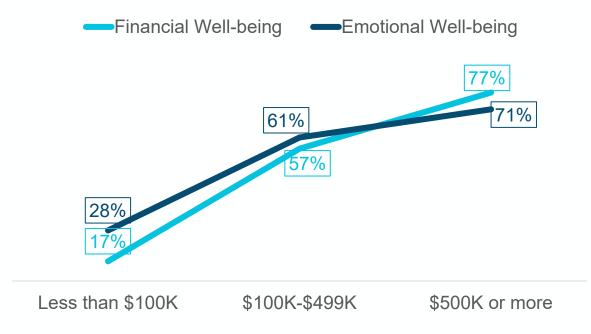
Q45. Thinking about cryptocurrency, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: Those that are familiar with or are currently invested in cryptocurrency; Total (n=1013; n=592)

# Generational Wealth Is Not Only Tied to Financial Well-being, but It Also Correlates With Mental Health

Those with a net worth of at least \$100K are significantly more likely to report above average emotional and financial well-being, which holds true across Black and Latinx parents

#### **Financial and Emotional Well-Being**

(Shown: Top 2 Box by Net Worth)



	<\$100K	\$100- \$499K	\$500K+
\\/\bita	17%	59%	78%
White	28%	63%	73%
DI I	18%	47%	69%
Black	28%	57%	76%
Latinx	14%	46%	70%
Laurix	25%	47%	67%
Asian	18%	41%	53%
Asian	32%	46%	38%

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Note: Trending data not available for this question. \*Note: Small sample size, findings should be considered directional only.

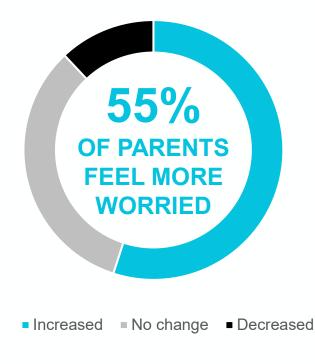
Q1. Thinking about your household net worth, how would you classify it? Base: Total (n=2183), Net worth less than \$100K (n=975), \$100K-\$499K (n=786), \$500K or more (n=329). White Americans (n=1551), Net worth less than \$100K (n=630), \$100K-\$499K (n=634), \$500K or more (n=260). Black Americans (n=528), Net worth less than \$100K (n=398), \$100K-\$499K (n=91\*), \$500K or more (n=29\*). Latinx Americans (n=516), Net worth less than \$100K (n=318) \$100K-\$499K (n=133), \$500K or more (n=46\*). Asian Americans (n=505), Less than \$100K (n=253), \$100K-\$499K (n=159), \$500K or more (n=73\*).

Q4. Thinking about your current well-being, how would you rate the following? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551) Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

# Parents Are Increasingly Worried About Money, and Kids Are More Aware of This Stress Than Parents Realize

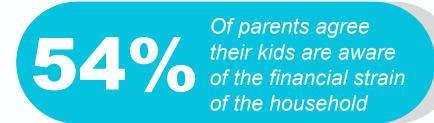
#### **Increase in Financial Worries**

(Shown: % Selected)



#### **Perceptions of Financial Stress at Home**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Parents and Percent "Yes" among Kids)





Q9. When thinking of your family over the last year, please tell us if there was an increase, decrease or no change in the following. Base: Total (n=2138) Q10. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Base: (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

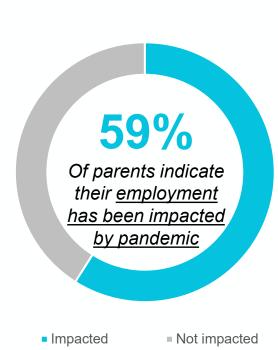
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Q47. Do your parent(s) seem worried about money? If so, how often? Base: (n=2138)

## **Employment Impacts of Pandemic**

#### **Employment Impacts of the Pandemic**

(Shown: % Selected Response)



Race/Ethnic	city Breaks
White	56%
Black	69%
Asian	53%
Latinx	68%

	<b>Total</b> (∆ <i>from</i> '21)	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
I work fewer hours	28% (+4)	29%	27%	30%	20%
We went from a two-income to a one-income household	18% (+5)	17%	26%	24%	18%
I have had to defer my student loan debt*	13% ()	13%	17%	12%	7%
I had to quit work for virtual school or childcare	13% (+5)	12%	17%	16%	12%
I was laid off	11% (+2)	10%	14%	12%	9%
I was furloughed	8% <i>(-2)</i>	7%	8%	8%	6%

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Q5. How have you been impacted, if at all, by the pandemic? Base: Total 2021 (n=2023); Total 2022 (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

<sup>\*</sup>Note: New response option so no trending data available. Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

### **Post-Pandemic Return to Work Plans**

32%

of parents impacted <u>plan to</u> <u>find new jobs in some capacity</u>

Compared to White(27%) Black (45%), Asian (35%), and Latinx (35%) parents

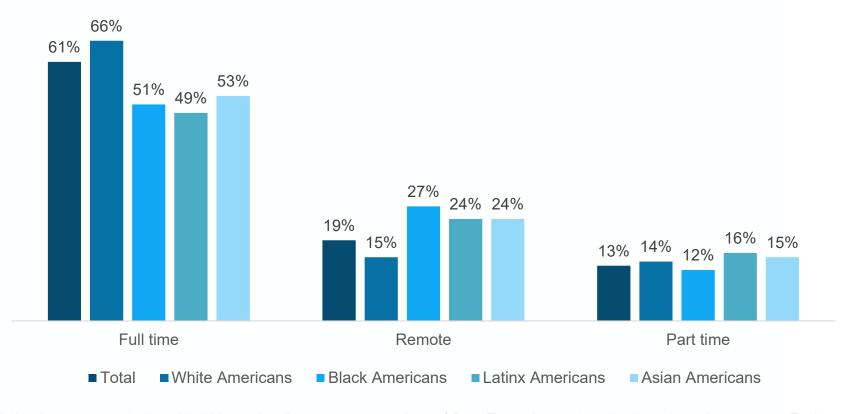
**58%** 

of parents impacted plan to return to their current jobs in some capacity

Compared to White (65%), Black (41%), Asian (53%), and Latinx (48%) parents

#### **Post-Pandemic Return to Work Plans**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Those Impacted by Employment Change)



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Q7. Thinking about a post-pandemic world, which best describes your return-to-work plans? Base: Those who experienced a change in employment status; Total (n=1002), White Americans (n=707), Black Americans (n=273), Latinx Americans (n=275), Asian Americans (n=203)

# **Increases and Decreases in Finances Over Past Year**

#### **Increases/Decreases in Finances in Past Year**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total F	arents	Wh	White Black		Latinx		Asian		
	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Spending money on groceries	53%	19%	55%	17%	55%	20%	46%	26%	55%	18%
Housing costs	38%	14%	37%	14%	40%	17%	43%	17%	43%	13%
Credit card debt	35%	19%	34%	19%	37%	21%	40%	21%	39%	15%
Medical costs	35%	15%	37%	14%	27%	18%	34%	17%	33%	12%
Spending money on carryout/going out to dinner	28%	42%	28%	40%	27%	48%	29%	45%	29%	42%
Home repairs/renovations	27%	28%	28%	26%	20%	29%	25%	32%	30%	24%
Saving for other goals	26%	37%	26%	35%	23%	45%	22%	44%	21%	39%
Holiday spending	25%	42%	26%	40%	20%	51%	24%	46%	21%	45%

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Q8. When thinking about your finances in the past year, please tell us if there was an increase, decrease or no change for the following. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

# **Increases and Decreases in Finances Over Past Year (continued)**

#### **Increases/Decreases in Finances in Past Year**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total F	Parents	White		Black		Latinx		Asian	
	Increase	Decrease								
Spontaneous spending	25%	42%	26%	41%	22%	49%	22%	48%	25%	46%
Income	25%	38%	26%	34%	23%	49%	22%	48%	19%	42%
Giving kids money	24%	32%	25%	30%	20%	43%	21%	40%	18%	33%
Education costs	24%	20%	25%	19%	20%	22%	21%	22%	24%	17%
Contribution to retirement savings	21%	28%	23%	26%	16%	33%	14%	35%	17%	31%
Kids' allowance	18%	28%	19%	25%	16%	38%	17%	36%	16%	27%
Non-retirement investments	17%	26%	18%	25%	13%	29%	15%	32%	15%	29%
Contributions to college savings	15%	28%	16%	26%	11%	34%	14%	36%	13%	27%

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Q8. When thinking about your finances in the past year, please tell us if there was an increase, decrease or no change for the following. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

## **Barriers to Wealth Building**

#### **Barriers to Building Wealth**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Low wages	35%	33%	41%	37%	37%
High debt	32%	32%	32%	30%	31%
Poor credit	28%	27%	37%	31%	18%
Lack of financial knowledge	25%	25%	34%	29%	27%
The system is failing me	20%	19%	22%	20%	20%
Lack of education	15%	16%	16%	15%	16%
Poor health	14%	13%	13%	15%	10%
I have not encountered any barriers	25%	26%	17%	21%	26%

**75%** of parents <u>have</u> encountered a barrier to <u>wealth</u>

Compared to Black (83%),White (74%), Asian (74%) and Latinx (79%) parents

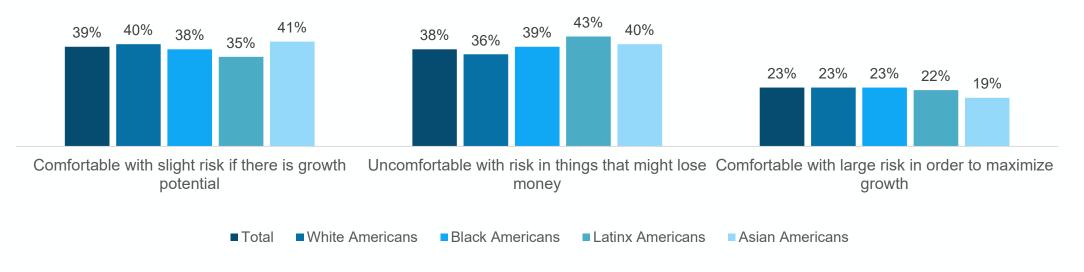
Q12. What barriers have you encountered in trying to build wealth? Select all that apply. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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## **Parents' Investing Risk Tolerance**

#### **Investing Risk Tolerance**

(Shown: % Selected Response)



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Q33. Now, thinking about investments, which of the following are you familiar with? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)



## Financial and Emotional Well-Being

## **Types of Debt Americans Have**

#### **Types of Debt**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total			White	Black	Latinx	Asian
	2021	2022	Difference		20	022	
Credit cards	57%	57%		57%	50%	56%	58%
Mortgage	46%	37%	-9	37%	24%	34%	52%
Car loan	32%	32%		32%	27%	32%	37%
Student loans	18%	20%	+2	18%	33%	23%	15%
Medical debt	16%	19%	+3	19%	18%	22%	11%
Children's education	11%	13%	+2	13%	11%	15%	10%
Tax debt	9%	9%		9%	7%	9%	6%
Payday loan	7%	8%	+1	8%	11%	9%	4%
Children's student loans	9%	6%	-3	7%	5%	6%	3%

Q2. Which of the following types of debt do you have? Base: 2021 Total (n=2023), 2022 Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

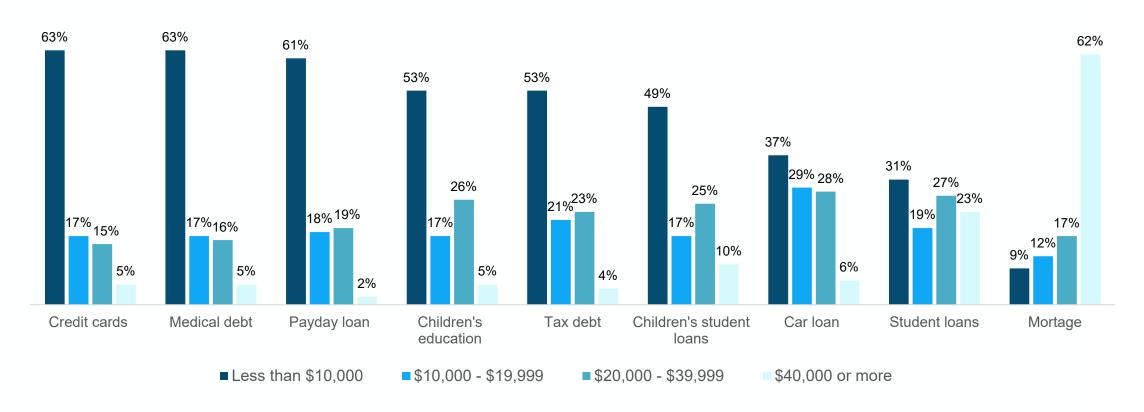
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### **Amount of Debt Owed – Total**

#### **Amount of Debt Owed**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Total With Debt)



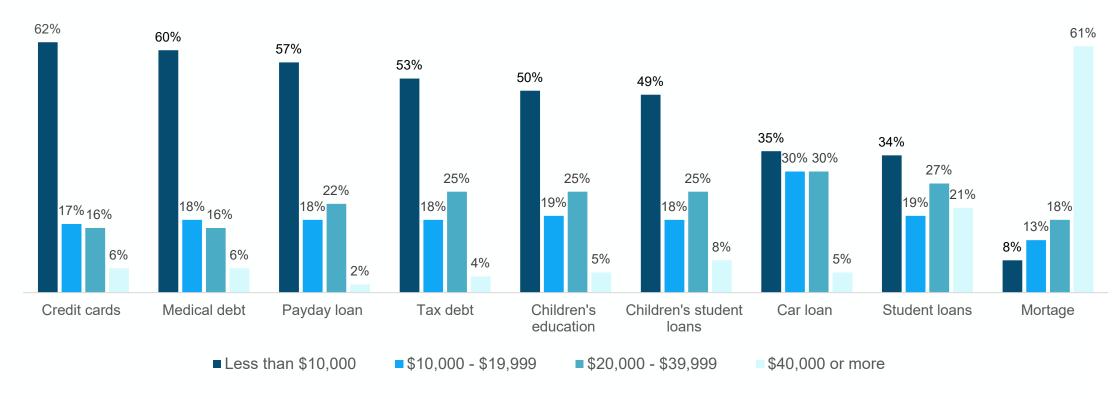
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Q3.What is the approximate balance (the amount you still owe) on loans (yours, your spouse's, your partner's, etc.)? Base: Total Parents with Debt; Mortgage (n=782), Student loans (n=418), Children's student loans (n=137), Credit cards (n=1212), Children's education (n=274), Car loan (n=690), Medical debt (n=413), Tax debt (n=195), Payday loan (n=178)

## **Amount of Debt Owed – White Americans**

#### **Amount of Debt Owed**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among White Americans With Debt)



Q3.What is the approximate balance (the amount you still owe) on loans (yours, your spouse's, your partner's, etc.)? Base: White Americans with Debt; Mortgage (n=578), Student loans (n=275), Children's student loans (n=102), Credit cards (n=888), Children's education (n=205), Car loan (n=495), Medical debt (n=298). Tax debt (n=140). Payday loan (n=127)

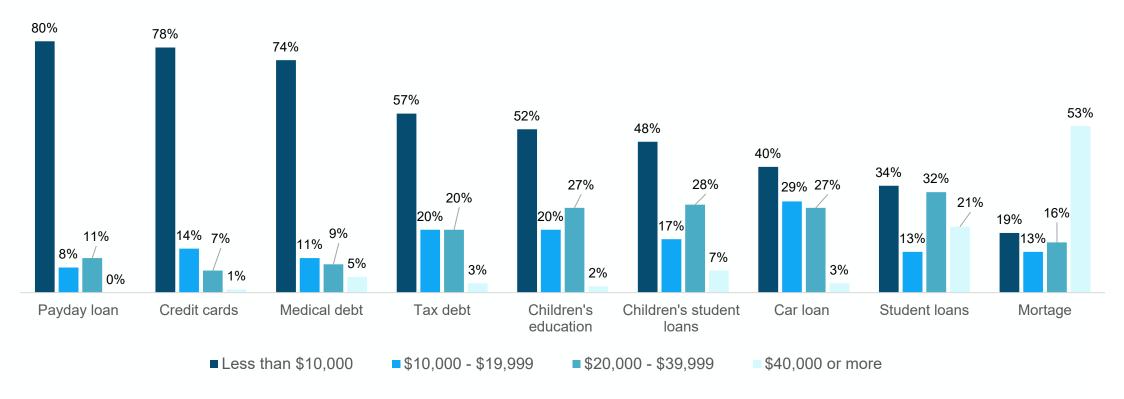
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## **Amount of Debt Owed – Black Americans**

#### **Amount of Debt Owed**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Black Americans With Debt)



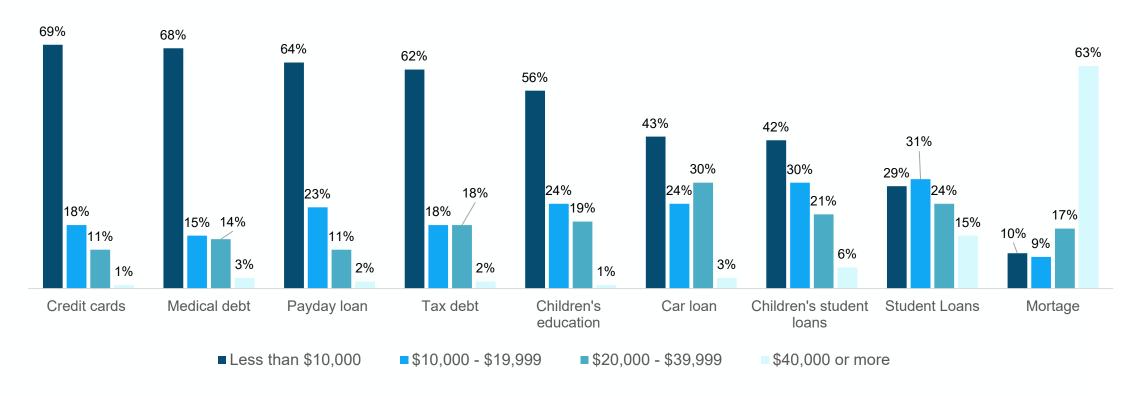
Q3.What is the approximate balance (the amount you still owe) on loans (yours, your spouse's, your partner's, etc.)? Base: Black Americans with Debt; Mortgage (n=127), Student loans (n=173), Children's student loans (n=29\*), Credit cards (n=265), Children's education (n=56\*), Car loan (n=144), Medical debt (n=96\*), Tax debt (n=35\*), Payday loan (n=59\*) \*Note: Small sample size, findings should be considered directional only.

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## **Amount of Debt Owed – Latinx Americans**

#### **Amount of Debt Owed**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Latinx Americans With Debt)



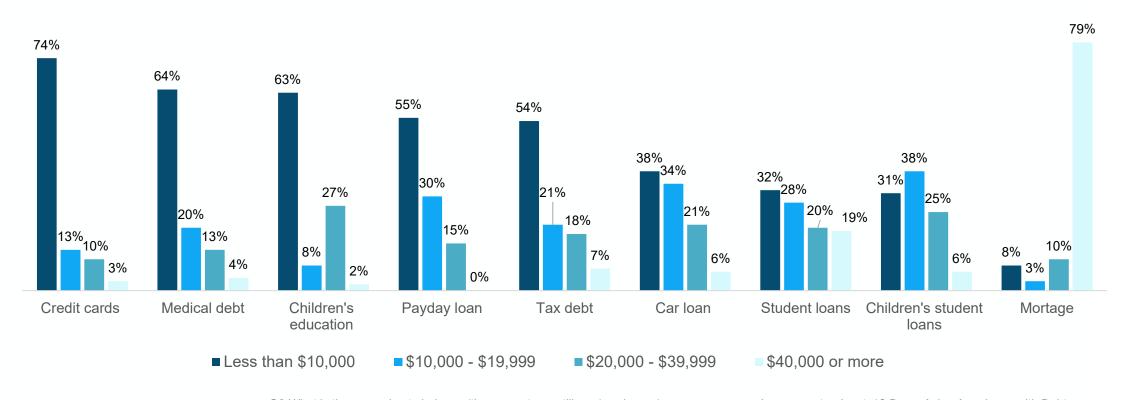
Q3.What is the approximate balance (the amount you still owe) on loans (yours, your spouse's, your partner's, etc.)? Base: Latinx Americans with Debt; Mortgage (n=174), Student loans (n=119), Children's student loans (n=33\*), Credit cards (n=287), Children's education (n=75\*), Car loan (n=164), Medical debt T. Rowe Price 2022 Parents, Kids & Money Survey (n=111), Tax debt (n=45\*), Payday loan (n=47\*) \*Note: Small sample size, findings should be considered directional only.

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## **Amount of Debt Owed – Asian Americans**

#### **Amount of Debt Owed**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Asian Americans With Debt)



Q3.What is the approximate balance (the amount you still owe) on loans (yours, your spouse's, your partner's, etc.)? Base: Asian Americans with Debt; Mortgage (n=264), Student loans (n=74\*), Children's student loans (n=16\*), Credit cards (n=295), Children's education (n=48\*), Car loan (n=186), Medical debt (n=56\*), Tax debt (n=28\*), Payday loan (n=20\*) \*Note: Small sample size, findings should be considered directional only.

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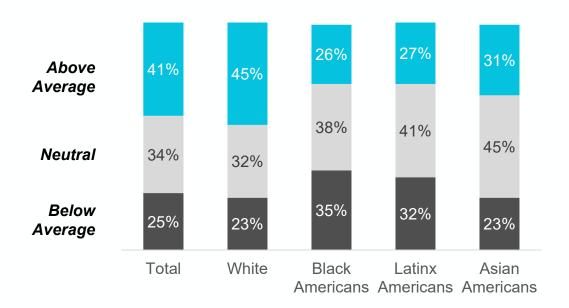
## **Financial and Emotional Well-Being**

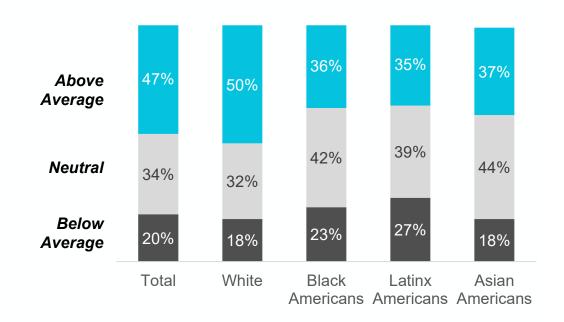
#### **Financial Well-Being**

(Shown: Top 2 Box/Middle 1/Bottom 2 Box)

#### **Emotional Well-Being**

(Shown: Top 2 Box/Middle 1/Bottom 2 Box)





Q4. Thinking about your current well-being, how would you rate the following? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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Note: Trending data not available for this question.

## Mental Health Impacts From Employment Changes

#### **Mental Health Impacts From Employment Change**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Those Impacted by Employment Change)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
I worry more often	46%	41%	61%	58%	57%
I do not sleep as well	29%	25%	42%	42%	33%
I have less confidence	24%	23%	24%	29%	32%
I have less self-esteem	20%	19%	21%	25%	25%
I sleep better	18%	21%	7%	11%	7%
I have more confidence	17%	20%	5%	11%	3%
I am relieved	16%	20%	5%	8%	9%
I have more self-esteem	14%	15%	6%	9%	6%
I worry less often	8%	9%	7%	6%	5%

Q6. You mentioned you experienced a change in employment status due to the pandemic. How has this impacted your mental health? Base: Those who experienced a change in employment status; Total (n=1002), White Americans (n=707), Black Americans (n=273), Latinx Americans (n=275), Asian Americans (n=203)

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# **Increases and Decreases in Finances Over Past Year**

#### **Trending: Increases/Decreases in Finances in Past Year**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total Par	Total Parents 2021 Total Parents 2022			Total Par	Total Parents			
	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease		Increase	Decrease	Increase	
Spending money on groceries	52%	20%	53% (+1)	19% (-1)	Spontaneous spending	26%	45%	25% (-1)	
Housing costs			38%	14%	Income	22%	40%	25% (+3)	
Credit card debt	34%	21%	35% (+1)	19% (-2)	Giving kids money	21%	35%	24% (+3)	
Medical costs	33%	18%	35% (+2)	15% <i>(-3)</i>	Education costs	26%	22%	24% (-2)	
Spending money on carryout/going out to dinner	29%	46%	28% (-1)	42% <i>(-4)</i>	Contribution to retirement savings	23%	29%	21% (-2)	
Home repairs/renovations	31%	28%	27% <i>(-4)</i>	28% ()	Kids' allowance	23%	28%	18% <i>(-5)</i>	
Saving for other goals	27%	35%	26% (-1)	37% (+2)	Non-retirement investments			17%	
Holiday spending	22%	47%	25% (+3)	42% <i>(-5)</i>	Contributions to college savings	20%	27%	15% <i>(-<mark>5)</mark></i>	

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Q8. When thinking about your finances in the past year, please tell us if there was an increase, decrease or no change for the following. Base: 2021 Total (n=2023); 2022 Total (n=2138) Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

## **Additional Changes Over Past Year**

#### **Trending: Additional Changes in Past Year**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total Par	ents 2021	Total Pare	ents 2022
	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Teaching kids new life skills	53%	14%	60% (+7)	9% <i>(-5)</i>
Feeling worried about money			55%	12%
Concern about my kids' mental health	56%	13%	54% (-2)	11% (-2)
Concern about the amount of screen time my kids have	56%	15%	51% <i>(-5)</i>	12% <i>(-3)</i>
Talking with kids about money	43%	15%	49% (+6)	11% <i>(-4)</i>
Conversations about racial equality	40%	15%	36% <i>(-4)</i>	12% <i>(-3)</i>
Arguments			36%	18%
Conversations about gender equality			27%	13%

Q9. When thinking about your family over the past year, please tell us if there was an increase, decrease or no change for the following.

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## **Additional Changes Over Past Year**

#### **Additional Changes in Past Year**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total Parents		White		Black		Latinx		Asian	
	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Teaching kids new life skills	60%	9%	58%	10%	66%	7%	57%	13%	63%	7%
Feeling worried about money	55%	12%	54%	12%	59%	12%	58%	15%	57%	9%
Concern about my kids' mental health	54%	11%	53%	12%	57%	10%	55%	12%	56%	8%
Concern about the amount of screen time my kids have	51%	12%	52%	12%	52%	12%	49%	16%	62%	10%
Talking with kids about money	49%	11%	48%	11%	57%	11%	53%	13%	53%	8%
Conversations about racial equality	36%	12%	32%	12%	51%	12%	38%	13%	40%	9%
Arguments	36%	18%	36%	17%	33%	24%	41%	21%	37%	15%
Conversations about gender equality	27%	13%	27%	13%	29%	12%	29%	15%	26%	10%

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Q9. When thinking about your family over the past year, please tell us if there was an increase, decrease or no change for the following. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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## **Statement Agreement: Pandemic Impacts**

#### **Statement Agreement: Pandemic Impacts**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
I have taken advantage of the time with the kids to teach them about money	69% (+10)	70%	69%	62%	61%
Rising costs are outpacing my earnings*	62%	64%	59%	60%	58%
A loss of income will impede our ability to recover from financial strain*	59%	61%	55%	53%	55%
I have taken advantage of the time with the kids to teach them about racial equality	56% (-3)	56%	62%	52%	52%
The kids are aware of the stress in the house	55% <i>(-4)</i>	56%	52%	55%	48%
Kids are aware of the financial strain of the household	54% (-2)	56%	50%	54%	45%
I have taken advantage of the time with the kids to teach them about gender equality*	52%	53%	52%	47%	45%
My job or my partner/spouse's job is not a sufficient source of income on its own*	50%	52%	49%	50%	44%
My/our debt will impede our ability to recover from financial strain*	48%	49%	43%	46%	41%
We are having more arguments about money	44% (+2)	46%	38%	44%	36%

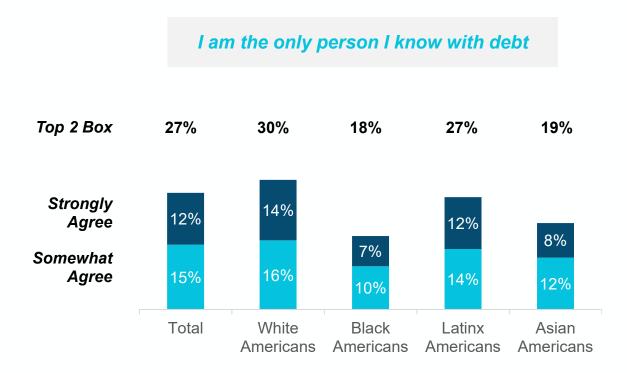
Q10. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505) \*Note: New response option so no trending data available. Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

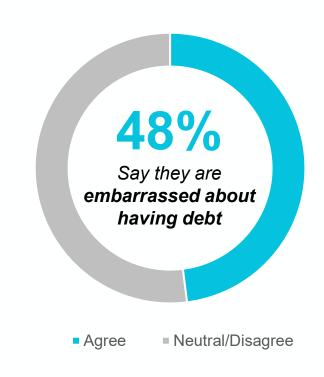
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## **Impacts of Debt – Emotional Impacts**

#### **Impacts of Debt**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree Among Those With Debt)





Race/Ethnicity Breaks						
White	50%					
Black	40%					
Latinx	50%					
Asian	39%					

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Q11. Thinking about your debt, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with each of the following statements. Base: Those who indicated they have debt; Total (n=1793), White Americans (n=1291), Black Americans (n=428), Latinx Americans (n=436), Asian Americans (n=439)

## **Impacts of Debt - Current Spending**

#### **Impacts of Debt**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree, Bottom 2 Box Disagree Among Those With Debt)

74%

**49**%

42%

38%

I spend most of my money on **basic** necessities

I spend most of my money on **reducing debt** 

Not able to save most of my my money money on things I want

#### Especially those...

- White (76%)
- Black (71%)
- Latinx (72%)
- Asian (69%)

#### Especially those...

- White (50%)
- Black (47%)
- Latinx (49%)
- Asian (52%)

#### Especially those...

- White (41%)
- Black (50%)
- Latinx (44%)
- Asian (38%)

#### Especially those...

- White (34%)
- Black (48%)
- Latinx (42%)
- Asian (40%)

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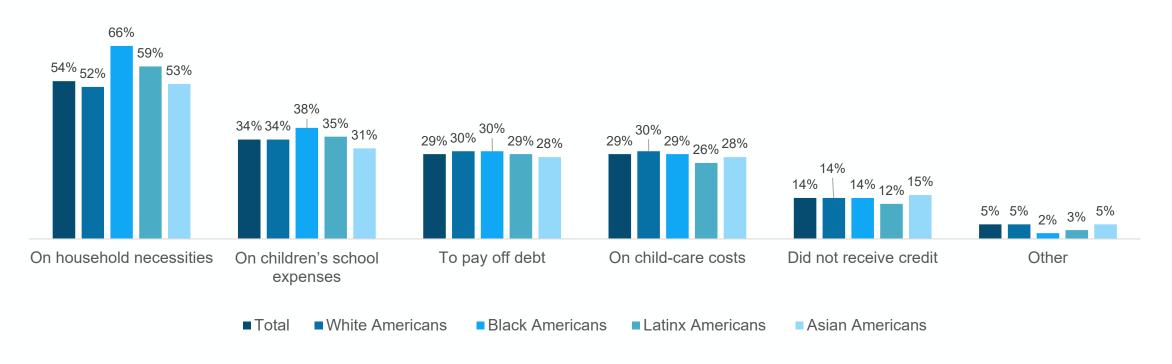
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## **Usage of Child Tax Credit**

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#### **Child Tax Credit Uses**

(Shown: % Selected Response)



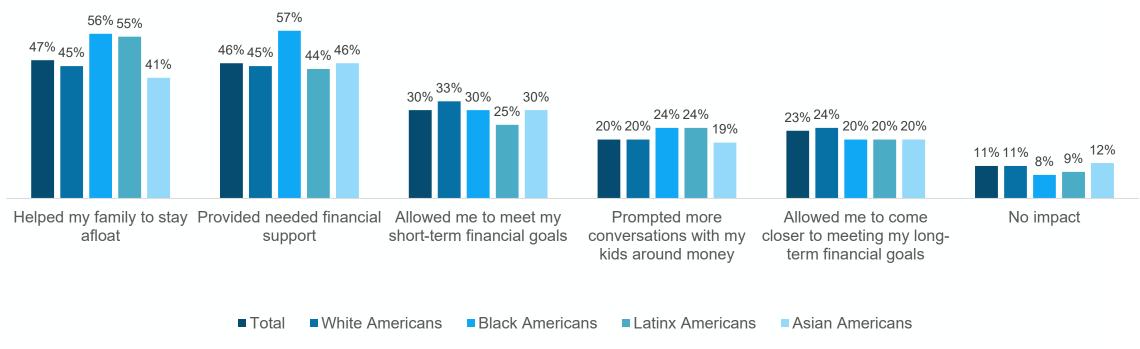
Q13. Beginning in July 2021 through the American Rescue Plan Act (designed as a pandemic relief measure), the Child Tax Credit allows parents to receive a tax credit of up to \$3,000 per child under age 18, and \$3,600 for kids under age 6. How, if at all, are you using this money?

Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

## **Impacts of Child Tax Credit**

#### **Child Tax Credit Impacts**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Those Who Received It)



Q14. Beginning in July 2021 through the American Rescue Plan Act (designed as a pandemic relief measure), the Child Tax Credit allows parents to receive a tax credit of up to \$3,000 per child under age 18, and \$3,600 for kids under age 6. What, if any, are the impacts of the child tax credit on your family overall? It has... Base: Those who received the child tax credit; Total (n=1835), White Americans (n=1331), Black Americans (n=454), Latinx Americans (n=455), Asian Americans (n=431)

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## **Money Conversations With Kids**

# Frequency of Financial Conversations – Trending

#### **Frequency of Financial Conversations**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Total, Top 3 Box, Bottom 3 Box)

	Total Parents 2020	Δ from 2020 to 2021	Total Parents 2021	Δ from 2021 to 2022	Total Parents 2022	Δ since 2020
Weekly or more	22%	+25	47%		47%	+25
Few times a month or less	78%	-25	53%		53%	-25
Once a day or more	3%	+5	8%	+2	10%	+7
Few times a week	10%	+12	22%		22%	+12
Once a week	9%	+8	17%	-2	15%	+6
Few times a month	32%	-10	22%	+2	24%	-8
Once a month or less	34%	-13	21%	-1	20%	-14
Never	12%	-2	10%	-2	8%	-4

Q15. How often in the past year have you talked to your child about finances? Base: 2020 Total (n=2030), 2021 Total (n=2023), 2022 Total (n=2138) Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

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# Frequency of Financial Conversations – By Race/Ethnicity

#### **Frequency of Financial Conversations**

(Shown: % Selected Response, Top 3 Box, Bottom 3 Box)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Weekly or more	47%	48%	52%	53%	41%
Few times a month or less	53%	52%	48%	47%	59%
Once a day or more	10%	10%	12%	11%	5%
Few times a week	22%	21%	28%	25%	19%
Once a week	15%	16%	13%	17%	16%
Few times a month	24%	24%	24%	22%	28%
Once a month or less	20%	20%	16%	16%	23%
Never	8%	8%	8%	9%	9%

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Q15. How often in the past year have you talked to your child about finances? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

# **Importance of Financial Conversations**

#### **Importance of Financial Conversations**

(Shown: Top 2 Box)

	Total			White	Black	Latinx	Asian
	2021	2022	Difference		20	22	
Saving money and spending wisely	86%	95%	+9	96%	93%	93%	96%
Managing their own money	85%	95%	+10	96%	93%	93%	93%
Earning money	84%	94%	+10	94%	94%	93%	92%
Maintaining a budget	82%	93%	+11	94%	92%	91%	93%
Setting financial goals	82%	93%	+11	93%	94%	89%	91%
Saving for college	76%	88%	+12	87%	89%	86%	91%
Investing money*	N/A	82%		82%	84%	81%	84%
Family finances	70%	80%	+10	80%	82%	81%	84%
How much money your family has*	N/A	70%		69%	71%	71%	73%

Q16. How important is it to discuss the following with your child? Base: 2021 Total (n=2023), 2022 Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Asian Americans (n=505), Latinx Americans (n=516) Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level. \*Note: New response option so no trending data available.

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# **Frequency of Financial Conversations**

#### **Frequency of Financial Conversations**

(Shown: Top 2 Box (Frequently/Always))

	Total			White	Black	Latinx	Asian
	2021	2022	Difference		20	22	
Saving money and spending wisely	68%	68%	0	68%	71%	70%	66%
Managing their own money	65%	64%	+1	63%	70%	67%	58%
Earning money	63%	60%	-3	60%	69%	61%	51%
Maintaining a budget	59%	56%	-3	55%	61%	62%	51%
Setting financial goals	61%	53%	-8	53%	58%	56%	45%
Saving for college	54%	46%	-8	46%	48%	49%	48%
Family finances	52%	40%	-12	41%	38%	42%	37%
Investing money		42%		42%	47%	46%	37%

Q17. How often are you discussing the following with your child? Base: 2021 Total (n=2023), 2022 Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)
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# **Emotions Experienced When Thinking About Financial Conversations With Children**

#### **Parents' Emotions Associated With Financial Conversations**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Negative	16%	15%	19%	19%	17%
Positive	61%	63%	58%	57%	53%
Nervous	8%	8%	7%	12%	10%
Embarrassed	8%	7%	9%	8%	7%
Excited	18%	19%	16%	13%	13%
Confident	43%	43%	42%	44%	40%
Confused	3%	2%	3%	5%	4%
Unhappy	5%	5%	7%	7%	6%
Indifferent	13%	13%	14%	10%	17%
Other	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

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Q18. What is the main emotion you experience when thinking about discussing finances with your child? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

# **Reluctance of Discussing Finances With Kids**

#### **Reluctance to Discuss Finances**

(Shown: % Selected Response, Top 2 Box (Very/Extremely Reluctant))

	Total (∆ from '21)	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Top 2 Box	29% <i>(</i> - <b>7</b> )	30%	29%	30%	18%
Extremely reluctant	14% <i>(-4)</i>	16%	14%	12%	5%
Very reluctant	14% <i>(-4)</i>	14%	15%	17%	12%
Somewhat reluctant	28% (+2)	27%	28%	31%	36%
Not very reluctant	23% (+2)	24%	20%	19%	27%
Not at all reluctant	20% (+3)	20%	23%	20%	19%

Q19. How reluctant are you to discuss financial matters with your child? Base: 2021 Total (n=2023); 2022 Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)
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# **Frequency of Conversation With Children**

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#### **Frequency of the Following Conversations With Children**

(Shown: Top 2 Box (Frequently/Always))

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Saving money for emergencies	55%	54%	62%	58%	56%
Saving money in general	64%	65%	69%	63%	62%
Sharing how the pandemic has impacted day-to-day expenses	44%	44%	48%	47%	39%
Sharing how the pandemic has impacted how much we spent for holidays	42%	42%	47%	43%	37%
Setting financial goals	55%	53%	61%	56%	47%
Importance of an education	78%	78%	79%	75%	75%
Alternative trades/paths versus going to college	44%	44%	46%	48%	33%
Importance of not living above your means	57%	57%	62%	58%	51%
Racial inequality	39%	37%	53%	46%	36%
Updates on the pandemic	53%	53%	57%	54%	50%
Politics	30%	32%	29%	28%	21%
Misinformation on the internet and social media	59%	59%	60%	59%	50%
Gender inequality	38%	38%	35%	38%	31%

Q20. How often, if at all, are you having the following conversations with your children? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

## **Financial Perceptions and Pandemic Impacts**

#### **Parents' Financial Perceptions**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree)

	Total (∆ from '21)	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
I wish I was more financially savvy	65% (+2)	66%	68%	70%	65%
I was not financially prepared for this pandemic	54% (+3)	54%	60%	64%	45%
I don't like to talk about finances with my kids	37% <i>(-4)</i>	39%	31%	35%	26%
My kids understand the value of the dollar	69% (+1)	70%	64%	66%	62%
I learned about finances through my parent(s)	59% <i>(-4)</i>	62%	51%	55%	57%
I learned about finances through school	46% <i>(-6)</i>	48%	42%	43%	36%
I thought we had enough in case of emergency but really did not	51% (+2)	51%	49%	58%	45%

Q21. Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with the following statements. Base: 2021 Total (n=2023); 2022 Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505) Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

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### **Barriers to Financial Conversations**

#### **Barriers to Financial Conversations**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Those Who Never or Rarely Have Financial Conversations With Kids, or Those Who Dislike Having Financial Conversations With Kids)

	Total (Δ from '21)	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
They are too young to understand	35% <i>(-21)</i>	34%	35%	35%	44%
Too many other things to worry about right now	30% <i>(-11)</i>	30%	23%	24%	31%
Embarrassed about the state of my finances	23% <i>(-5)</i>	23%	20%	24%	12%
I am too stressed to take time to discuss	19% (+3)	19%	16%	21%	11%
They should learn it in school	15% <i>(-12)</i>	16%	13%	13%	13%
I don't know enough to teach them	11% (+2)	12%	12%	18%	12%

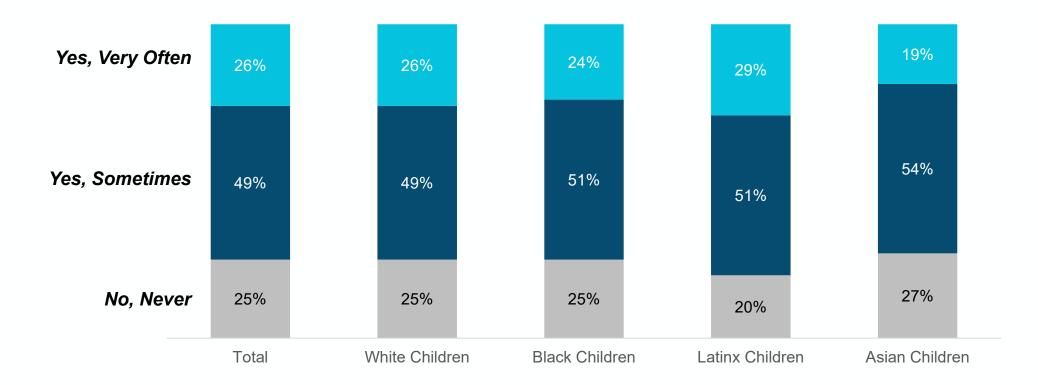
Q22. What is preventing you from talking to your kids about finances? Base: **2021** Those who don't like talking to kids about finances, Total (n=829); **2022** Those who never or rarely have financial conversations with kids, or don't like having financial conversations with kids, Total (n=1374), White Americans (n=1026), Black Americans (n=310), Latinx Americans (n=317), Asian Americans (n=280) Significant shifts year over year shown in **red** or **green**, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

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# **Kids Perceptions of Parents' Financial Worries**

#### **Parents Worry About Finances**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids)



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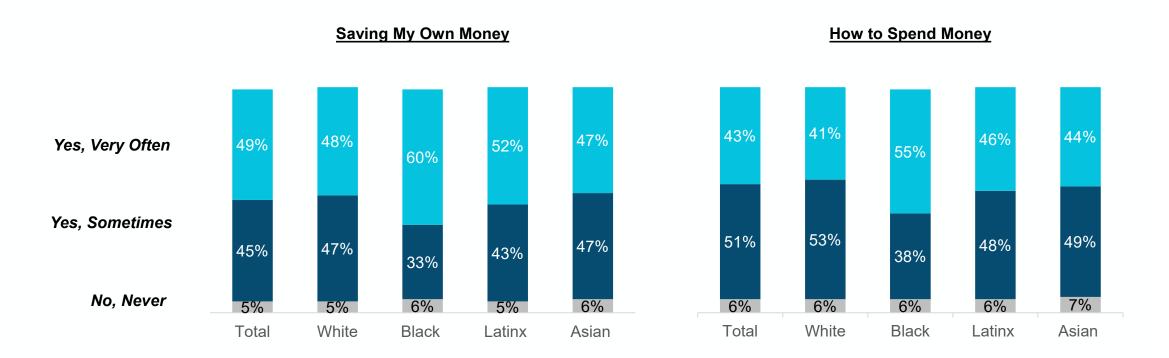
Q47. Do your parent(s) seem worried about money? If so, how often? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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## **How Often Parents Talk to Their Kids About...**

#### Frequency of Conversations Between Parents and Kids

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids)



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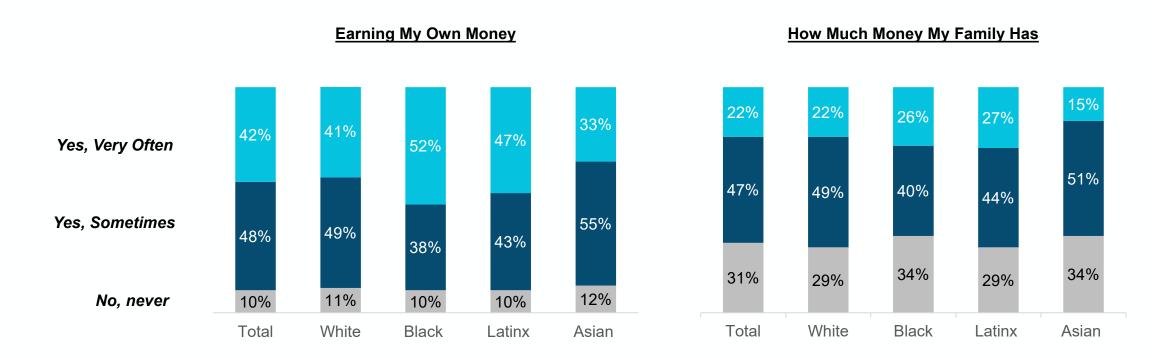
Q48. Do your parents talk to you about the following? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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# How Often Parents Talk to Their Kids About... (continued)

#### **Frequency of Conversations Between Parents and Kids**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids)



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Q48. Do your parents talk to you about the following? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

# **Who or Where Kids Go for Advice About Money**

#### **Sources for Advice**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids)

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	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Parent(s)	75%	75%	79%	76%	79%
Other family members	25%	26%	24%	25%	24%
Friends	20%	21%	17%	20%	19%
Teachers	20%	21%	16%	18%	17%
You Tube YouTube (Asked of kids 11-14)	17%	18%	16%	14%	12%
Older siblings	15%	13%	19%	17%	14%
Facebook (Asked of kids 11-14)	12%	14%	6%	7%	3%
Instagram (Asked of kids 11-14)	10%	11%	5%	6%	2%
TikTok (Asked of kids 11-14)	8%	8%	7%	8%	4%
Twitter (Asked of kids 11-14)	8%	9%	3%	5%	1%
Social media (Asked of kids 8-10)	7%	7%	5%	9%	7%
Another online source	7%	7%	8%	5%	8%
None of these	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%

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Q49. Who or where would you go if you wanted advice about money? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505), Children aged 8-10 years old (n=948), Children aged 11-14 years old (n=1186)

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# Kids' Allowance, Saving, and Spending

## **Do Parents Give Allowances to Kids**

#### **Allowance for Kids**

(Shown: % Selected Response)



Race/Ethnicity Breaks							
White	79%						
Black	85%						
Latinx	80%						
Asian	66%						

	Total (Δ from '21)	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
<b>Yes</b> , but they have to earn it	64% (+5)	63%	70%	68%	52%
<b>Yes</b> , but they don't have to earn it	16% ()	16%	15%	12%	14%
<b>No</b> , I don't give an allowance	21% <i>(-4)</i>	21%	15%	20%	34%

Q29. Do you give your child an allowance? Base: 2021 Total (n=2023); 2022 Total (n=2138), Black Americans (n=528), White Americans (n=1551), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

# **Average Weekly Allowance for Kids**

#### **Average Weekly Allowance**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total (∆ from '21)	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
\$5 or less	13% ()	13%	10%	14%	21%
\$6 to \$10	22% ()	21%	26%	25%	29%
\$11 to \$20	35% ()	34%	35%	36%	32%
\$21 to \$50	24% (+1)	25%	23%	21%	14%
\$51 or more	6% (-1)	7%	5%	5%	3%
Mean	\$19.39 (+\$0.09)	\$20.42	\$19.25	\$18.19	\$14.64

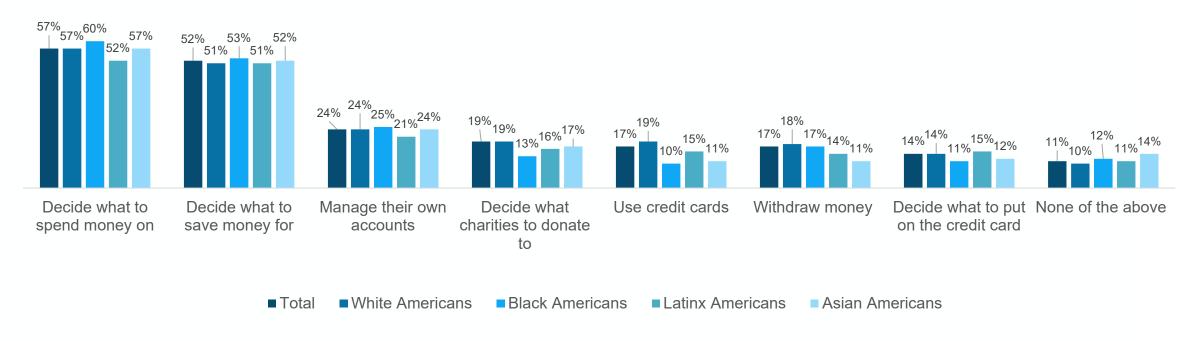
Q30. Regardless of how often you give an allowance, on average per child, how much do you give per week? Base: Total (n=1681), Black Americans (n=450), White Americans (n=1203), Latinx Americans (n=414), Asian Americans (n=335)
Significant shifts year over year shown in red or green, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

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## **What Kids Manage on Their Own**

#### **What Kids Manage on Their Own**

(Shown: % Selected Response)



Q31. Which of the following do you allow your child to manage on their own? Select all that apply. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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## **What Kids Have**

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#### **What Kids Have**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Cell phone	45%	44%	54%	42%	41%
Savings account	39%	41%	35%	31%	40%
Social media accounts	32%	32%	30%	26%	25%
Gaming accounts	30%	31%	27%	25%	19%
Piggy bank	29%	28%	36%	31%	42%
Online gaming account	25%	26%	23%	22%	18%
Checking account	20%	19%	24%	23%	19%
PayPal	18%	18%	21%	19%	9%
Credit card	17%	19%	11%	15%	10%
Savings bonds	12%	13%	7%	12%	9%
Certificate of deposit	7%	7%	4%	5%	5%
Venmo	7%	6%	6%	8%	5%
Stocks	6%	6%	9%	5%	5%
Mutual funds of ETFs	6%	6%	4%	5%	4%
Cryptocurrency/digital assets	5%	5%	4%	6%	4%
None of these	7%	6%	8%	10%	10%

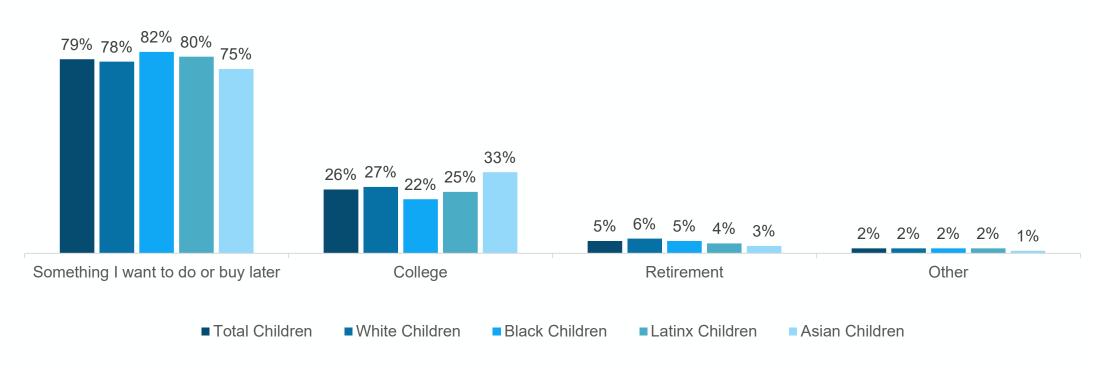
Q32. Which of the following do your kids have? Select all that apply. Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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## **What Kids Would Save \$100 For**

#### **What Kids Would Save \$100 For**

(Shown: % Selected Response Among Kids Who Would Save It)



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Q54. You mentioned you would save the \$100 dollars given to you. What would you save it for? Base: Kids who would save \$100; Total (n=1048), White Americans (n=742), Black Americans (n=262), Latinx Americans (n=264), Asian Americans (n=296)



# College-Related Attitudes and Behaviors

## **Perceptions of College**

#### **Perceptions of College**

(Shown: Top 2 Box Agree)

I will encourage my child to look at more affordable 4-year colleges  College is more valuable now than before  S8% 60% 53% 54% 56%  My child will likely have to take out student loans if they want to attend college I will encourage my child to look more seriously at community colleges education more than usual this past year I am considering changing how and where I invest to save for my child's college education  My child will have to help more financially to pay for college I will encourage my child to look at trade schools as an alternative  College is not as important as before  37% 39% 28% 38% 25%		Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
My child will likely have to take out student loans if they want to attend college  I will encourage my child to look more seriously at community colleges  I have been thinking about my child's college education more than usual this past year  I am considering changing how and where I invest to save for my child's college education  My child will have to help more financially to pay for college  I will encourage my child to look at trade schools as an alternative  I had hoped to cover my child's college tuition, but due to the pandemic I am not sure	g ,	62%	64%	57%	58%	54%
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but due to the pandemic I am not sure	I will encourage my child to look at trade schools as an alternative	50%	53%	46%	49%	37%
College is not as important as before 37% 39% 28% 38% 25%		47%	48%	45%	51%	41%
	College is not as important as before	37%	39%	28%	38%	25%

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Q23. When thinking about college in the past year, how much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

# **Frequency of College-Related Discussions**

#### **Frequency of College-Related Discussions**

(Shown: Top 2 Box (Frequently/Always) Among Those Who Discuss College With Their Children at Least Occasionally)

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
In-state college options	46%	47%	43%	48%	39%
Affordable 4-year colleges	43%	44%	44%	43%	39%
Financial aid	39%	40%	42%	41%	34%
Community college	39%	41%	35%	38%	29%
Trade schools as alternatives to 4-year colleges	36%	38%	35%	35%	26%
Trade schools as first-choice option	35%	36%	32%	34%	22%

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Q24. You indicated that you discuss college with your child, how often do you discuss the following? Base: Those who discuss college with their kids at least occasionally; Total (n=2104), White Americans (n=1526), Black Americans (n=518), Latinx Americans (n=504), Asian Americans (n=494)

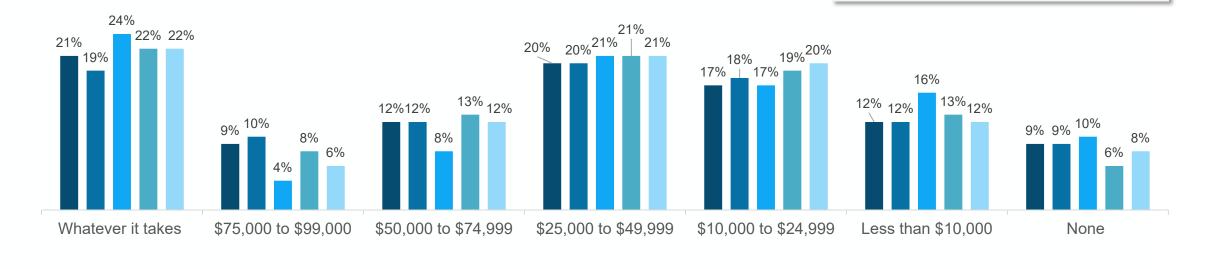
# **Debt Parents Anticipate Taking on for Kids' College Education**

#### **Education Costs: How Much Parents Can Take On**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

39% are willing to take on less than \$25K (39% White, 43% Black, 37% Latinx, 40% Asian)

61% are willing to take on \$25K or more (61% White, 57% Black, 63% Latinx, 60% Asian)



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■ Total

■ White Americans

Q25. How much debt are you willing to take on personally to provide your kids with a college education? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

Latinx Americans

Asian Americans

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■ Black Americans

# **Debt Parents Are Willing to Let Kids Take on for College Education**





50% are willing to take on less than \$25K (49% White, 58% Black, 50% Latinx, 49% Asian)

50% are willing to take on \$25K or more (51% White, 42% Black, 50% Latinx, 51% Asian)



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Q26. How much debt are you willing to let your kids take on to get a college education? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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# **Financial Support Received From Parents/Grandparents**

#### **Financial Support Received From Past Generations**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

financial from past ations
65%
69%

Black

Latinx

Asian

	Total (∆ from '21)	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Paid <b>portion</b> of college or trade school costs	20% <i>(</i> - <b>6</b> )	22%	14%	16%	21%
Bought me a car	19% <i>(+2)</i>	20%	15%	17%	17%
Paid <b>all</b> college or trade school tuition	19% <i>(-10)</i>	20%	11%	17%	24%
Paid for my wedding	16% (-1)	19%	7%	10%	16%
Gifted me a certificate of deposit or savings bond	13% (+2)	15%	9%	9%	10%
Left me an inheritance	13% <i>(+5)</i>	15%	8%	9%	8%
Contributed to or covered down payment on a <b>house</b>	12% <i>(-3)</i>	13%	6%	11%	10%
Contributed to or covered down payment on a <b>car</b>	12% ()	13%	10%	15%	10%
Paid car payments	11% <i>(-5)</i>	11%	13%	15%	10%
Bought or gifted me a house	9% <i>(-3)</i>	9%	7%	8%	6%

Q27. What financial support, if any, did you receive from your parents/grandparents? Base: 2021 Total (n=2023); 2022 Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505) Significant shifts year over year shown in **red** or **green**, calculated at the 95% confidence level.

47%

56%

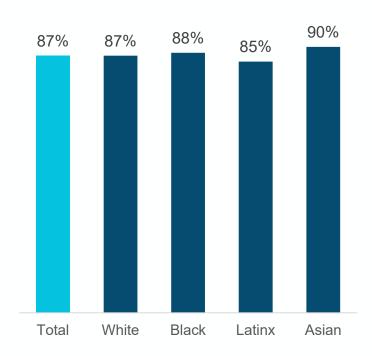
65%

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# What Parents Are Confident They Can Provide for Kids

#### **Confident They Can Pass Down Wealth**

(Shown: % Selected Any)



#### **What Parents Can Pass Down**

(Shown: % Selected Response)

Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Help pay for college/education 58%	59%	53%	52%	69%
Help pay for/gift a house $\frac{27\%}{}$	27%	31%	24%	26%
Help pay for/gift a car $58\%$	57%	61%	59%	58%
Pay for a wedding $\frac{27\%}{}$	29%	22%	19%	25%
Gift a CD or savings bond $25\%$	26%	26%	19%	21%
Leave an inheritance 30%	28%	37%	26%	31%

Q28. Which of the following do you feel confident you would be able to provide for your kids? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (516), Asian Americans (n=505)

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## **Household Net Worth**

#### **Household Net Worth**

(Shown: % Selected Response, Top 2/Middle 2/Bottom 2)

\$500K or more 15%	White Black Asian Latinx	17% 5% 14% 9%
\$100 - \$499K <b>37%</b>	White Black Asian Latinx	41% 17% 31% 26%
Less than \$100K 46%	White Black Asian Latinx	<b>40% 75%</b> 50% <b>62%</b>

	Total	White	Black	Latinx	Asian
Less than \$50K	27%	23%	50%	38%	24%
\$50k – less than \$100K	19%	17%	25%	24%	26%
\$100k – less than \$250K	20%	22%	12%	16%	21%
\$250k – less than \$500K	17%	18%	6%	9%	10%
\$500k – less than \$1M	10%	11%	4%	7%	9%
\$1M or more	5%	5%	2%	2%	6%

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Q1. Thinking about your household net worth, how would you classify it? Base: Total (n=2138), White Americans (n=1551), Black Americans (n=528), Latinx Americans (n=516), Asian Americans (n=505)

# **Demographics – Total Respondents**

Gender	
Male	49%
Female	51%
Age	
18-24	0%
25-34	16%
35-44	58%
45-54	20%
55-64	4%
65+	2%
Race/Ethnicity	
White	73%
Asian/Asian American	10%
Latinx	10%
Black/African American	5%
Other	3%

Employment Status	
Employed full time	65%
Employed part time	9%
Stay-at-home parent	10%
Self-employed	6%
Student	x%
Household Income	
Under \$100k	56%
\$100k to under \$200k	37%
\$200k or more	7%
Region	
Northeast	18%
Midwest	21%
South	37%
West	24%

Education	
Completed high school	13%
Some college	17%
Associate's degree	10%
Bachelor's degree	30%
Graduate or professional degree	28%
Marital Status	
Single, never married	11%
Married/Domestic partnership	75%
Separated/Divorced	8%
Rent/Own Residence	
Own	73%
Rent	23%
Living at home with family	2%

# **Demographics – Black Oversample**

Gender	
Male	29%
Female	71%
Age	
18-24	4%
25-34	28%
35-44	49%
45-54	15%
55-64	3%
65+	2%
Race/Ethnicity	
Black/African American	100%

54%	
13%	
9%	
7%	
2%	
Household Income	
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Education	
Completed high school	24%
Some college	27%
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Associate's degree	14%
Bachelor's degree	22%
Graduate or professional degree	8%
Marital Status	
Single, never married	39%
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Married/Domestic partnership	47%
Separated/Divorced	47% 9%
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# **Demographics – Latinx Oversample**

(	Gender
Male	34%
Female	65%
	Age
18-24	5%
25-34	32%
35-44	45%
45-54	14%
55-64	3%
65+	1%
Rac	e/Ethnicity
Latinx	100%

Employment Status	
Employed full time	56%
Employed part time	11%
Stay-at-home parent	18%
Self employed	8%
Student	2%
Household Income	
Under \$100k	76%
\$100k to under \$200k	19%
\$200k or more	5%
Region	
Northeast	18%
Midwest	13%
South	40%
West	29%

Education	
Completed high school	21%
Some college	20%
Associate's degree	12%
Bachelor's degree	29%
Graduate or professional degree	12%
Marital Status	
Single, never married	22%
Married/Domestic partnership	66%
Separated/Divorced	8%
Rent/Own Residence	
Own	54%
Rent	39%
Living at home with family	6%

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# **Demographics – Asian Oversample**

Gender	
Male	29%
Female	71%
Age	
18-24	5%
25-34	20%
35-44	52%
45-54	21%
55-64	2%
65+	1%
Race/Ethnicity	
Asian/Asian American	100%

Employment Status	
Employed full time	53%
Employed part time	14%
Stay-at-home parent	18%
Self employed	6%
Student	2%
Household Income	
Under \$100k	62%
\$100k to under \$200k	30%
\$200k or more	8%
Region	
Northeast	17%
Midwest	16%
South	31%
West	35%

Education	
Completed high school	9%
Some college	12%
Associate's degree	10%
Bachelor's degree	43%
Graduate or professional degree	24%
Marital Status	
Single, never married	10%
Married/Domestic partnership	77%
Separated/Divorced	6%
Rent/Own Residence	
Own	67%
Rent	29%
Living at home with family	3%

# **Demographics – Children**

Gender	
Male	58%
Female	42%
Age	
8 years old	17%
9 years old	11%
10 years old	16%
11 years old	12%
12 years old	12%
13 years old	17%
14 years old	15%
Race/Ethnicity	
White	70%
Black/African American	10%
Latinx	12%
Asian/Asian American	4%
Other	3%

Number of children in household	
1 child	100%
2 children or more	37%
3 children or more	7%
4 children or more	2%
5 children or more	1%
6 children or more	<1%
7 children or more	<1%
8 children or more	<1%
9 children or more	<1%
10 children or more	<1%



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#### **Objectives**

T. Rowe Price's Money Confident Kids program focuses on continuing to spread awareness and the importance of financial education across target audiences. More specifically, this research aims to:

- Understand the basic financial knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors of both parents and their children ages 8 to 14 years old
- Understand how knowledge, attitudes and behaviors may vary by parents of different races and ethnicities

Main sample was weighted on region, age, gender, and race/ethnicity. Oversamples shown in the report were not weighted. \*Margin of error calculated at the 95% confidence level.

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#### Methodology

A 20-minute online survey among n=2,138 parents and their children ages 8 to14, along with:

- n=528 Black Parents
- n=516 Latinx Parents
- n=505 Asian Parents

Fielded January 7 to February 3, 2022 Margin of Error\* Total: +/- 2.1%

- +/- 4.3% Black Parents
- +/- 4.3% Latinx Parents
- +/- 4.4% Asian Parents