



The MassINC Polling Group
The Economic Security Project – Child and Family Tax Credit Question
Survey of 1,013 Massachusetts residents
Field dates: August 7 – 16, 2023

Massachusetts lawmakers are considering a new Child and Family Tax Credit. It will be a tax cut for all Massachusetts families caring for any children under age 13, adults over age 65, or adults with disabilities. The tax refund would start at \$310 per dependent, increase to \$600 over two years, and then increase with inflation after that. It streamlines the law by replacing two much smaller existing credits.

Based on this, how much would you support or oppose this proposed Child and Family Tax Credit?

Strongly support	38%
Somewhat support	39%
Somewhat oppose	9%
Strongly oppose	5%
Don't know / refused	10%

Demographics:

Gender:

Men	48%
Women	51%
Some other way	1%
Don't know / refused	<1%

Age:

18-29	22%
30-44	24%
45-59	25%
60+	29%

Race:

White	71%
Black	7%
Latino	11%
Asian	7%
Other / multiple	3%
Don't know / refused	1%

Party ID:

Democrat	34%
Republican	14%
Independent / Other	47%
Don't know / refused	5%

Education

High School or less	32%
Some college, no degree	26%
College graduate (BA/BS)	24%
Advanced degree	18%
Don't know / refused	1%

About the poll

These results are based on a survey of 1,013 residents of Massachusetts. Responses were collected online August 7-16, 2023 in English and Spanish. Results were weighted to known and estimated population parameters on age, gender, race, party identification, education, and geography. The credibility interval is +/- 3.4 percentage points for the entire sample, including the design effect. These questions were sponsored by the Economic Security Project.