UKRAINIAN YOUTH TODAY
Youth Opinion Survey June - July 2023
The total national sample consisted of 2,444 respondents 10-35 years old.

FUTURE OF UKRAINE

97% 96% 89%
10-12 y.o. 13-15 y.o. 16-35 y.o. see a promising future

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

92% 76% 68%
16-35 y.o. donated to a military cause
16-35 y.o. donated to a social cause
16-35 y.o. supported or signed a petition

MIGRATION

75% 64% 65%
10-12 y.o. 13-15 y.o. 16-35 y.o. wouldn't move to another place

RECONSTRUCTION

79%
16-35 y.o. want to be involved in reconstruction activities

TOLERANCE

98% 97% 96%
people with disabilities people of color members of the military
94% 94% 94%
internally displaced people internally displaced people internally displaced people
69% 69% 69%
Ukrainians who speak Russian Ukrainians who speak Russian Ukrainians who speak Russian
67% 67% 67%
same-sex couples same-sex couples same-sex couples
59% 59% 59%
LGBTQIA+ community up from 42% in 2021 LGBTQIA+ community up from 42% in 2021 LGBTQIA+ community up from 42% in 2021
40% 40% 40%
Roma community up from 29% in 2021 Roma community up from 29% in 2021 Roma community up from 29% in 2021

Primary Reasons for Staying Among those who don't want to move

44% love where I live now
40% family and friends
20% earning enough money
15% patriotism

OCCUPATION

Top desired professions

17% IT sector
10% doctor
9% lawyer
8% designer
6% cook
5% military
5% psychologist

Main barriers for getting a job

33% busy raising family
27% lack of money
25% instability caused by the war
22% lack of knowledge
22% no relevant vacancies
16% busy with studying
13% bureaucracy

The survey was conducted by Info Sapiens on behalf of the International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) within UNITY program. Survey data was reviewed and analyzed by the International Republican Institute’s Center for Insights in Survey Research (CISR).

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The survey was assessed through an expedited research ethics review by HML Institutional Review Board, and a child psychologist was consulted.

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