

"Commonwealth"

FIELDWORK DATES: 2ND - 4TH MARCH 2009

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BACKGROUND

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methodology. This survey has been conducted using an online interview administered members of the YOUGOV PLC GB panel of 100,000+ individuals who have agreed to take part in surveys. An email was sent to panellists selected at random from the base sample according to the sample definition, inviting them to take part in the survey and providing a link to the survey. (The sample definition could be "GB adult population" or a subset such as "GB adult females"). YouGov Plc normally achieves a response rate of between 35% and 50% to surveys however this does vary dependent upon the subject matter, complexity and length of the questionnaire. The responding sample is weighted to the profile of the sample definition to provide a representative reporting sample. The profile is normally derived from census data or, if not available from the census, from industry accepted data.

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All figures, unless otherwise stated, are from YouGov Plc. Total sample size was 2,119 adults. Fieldwork was undertaken between 2nd - 4th March 2009. The survey was carried out online. The figures have been weighted and are representative of all GB adults (aged 18+).

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YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 2119

Fieldwork: 2nd - 4th March 2009

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	Gender		Age			Social Grade		Region					
	Total	Male	Female	18 to 34	35 to 54	55 +	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland
All GB Adults	2119	1017	1102	633	734	752	1144	975	266	683	456	524	190
Unweighted Sample	2119	1014	1105	549	723	847	1277	842	331	690	418	473	207
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Which, if any, of these international organisations do you think are valuable to the UK? (By valuable we mean any monetary, defence reasons etc)[Please tick all that apply]

NATO	44	53	35	38	42	50	47	40	43	46	42	42	45
The United Nations	42	44	40	43	38	45	45	39	36	41	42	42	51
The European Union	37	44	31	40	37	35	41	33	41	33	35	37	51
The "G8" group of major world economies	35	41	30	36	34	37	38	33	40	33	39	34	34
The Commonwealth	33	41	26	31	30	38	36	30	34	36	32	32	27
None of these	13	11	15	11	14	14	12	15	13	12	13	16	12
Don't know	17	9	24	23	19	10	14	21	19	17	19	16	13

Which ONE of the following is the MOST important to the UK?

Europe	36	42	30	34	38	36	38	34	36	32	37	37	45
America	32	34	29	33	29	33	33	30	32	33	31	32	30
The Commonwealth	14	12	15	13	12	15	13	14	11	16	12	13	10
Don't know	19	11	26	20	21	15	16	22	20	19	21	19	14

Which, if any, of the following countries do you think are currently members of the Commonwealth? [Please tick all that apply]

Australia	70	77	63	60	69	79	77	62	74	71	66	67	78
Jamaica	49	59	39	35	48	60	56	40	55	51	44	45	52
India	46	59	34	41	45	49	52	38	55	46	40	42	55
Kenya	39	50	29	28	39	48	45	32	46	38	36	37	45
South Africa	34	45	24	30	32	38	38	29	43	34	27	33	39
Cyprus	25	32	18	20	25	28	28	21	25	26	25	22	22
Republic of Ireland	16	14	17	19	17	12	15	16	12	16	18	15	16
Nepal	11	17	5	10	13	9	12	9	11	11	10	11	13
The United States	4	3	5	8	3	2	3	5	3	3	6	5	2
China	2	2	3	5	2	1	2	3	3	2	3	3	2
Japan	2	2	2	5	2	0	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
Argentina	2	2	2	4	1	0	2	2	1	2	3	1	2
None of these	4	3	5	2	4	5	3	6	2	3	6	4	6
Don't know	20	13	27	30	22	10	15	26	16	20	22	24	12

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Where do you think the Commonwealth Secretariat (i.e. the Commonwealth's 'civil service') is based?

London	46	53	39	39	44	54	51	40	51	48	41	42	52
Geneva	10	9	11	11	11	9	9	11	6	12	13	9	8
Paris	2	1	3	2	2	2	1	3	2	1	3	2	1
Nairobi	1	2	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	0
New Delhi	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	2	0
New York	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	0	2	1
Cape Town	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
Washington DC	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1
Don't know	37	31	42	39	39	33	33	41	36	34	39	39	36

The Commonwealth Secretary-General, who leads the Commonwealth Secretariat, is currently Kamalesh Sharma.

Which ONE of the following do you think is currently head of the Commonwealth overall?

The Queen	70	77	64	57	70	81	76	63	74	72	69	66	72
Kofi Annan	6	5	7	7	5	6	5	7	4	5	7	7	6
President Obama	1	1	2	3	1	0	1	2	0	2	0	1	2
Gordon Brown	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Prince Charles	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
Bishop Desmond Tutu	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0
Bono	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Nelson Mandela	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Archbishop Rowan Williams	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bill Gates	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Don't know	21	15	26	30	22	12	16	26	19	19	22	24	17

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Can you name any of the activities undertaken by the Commonwealth?

Yes, I can	22	30	14	21	22	23	25	17	27	23	19	19	25
No, I cannot	49	43	55	57	50	41	46	54	46	46	54	52	48
Not sure	29	27	31	22	28	36	29	29	27	32	27	29	27

What activities can you think of?

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If the UK left the Commonwealth would you be...?

Delighted	2	2	2	2	1	3	1	2	3	2	2	2	1
Fairly pleased	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	2
Sorry	24	25	23	19	21	31	26	22	24	26	26	20	22
Appalled	18	24	12	16	15	22	21	14	21	22	16	15	10
Wouldn't mind one way or the other	37	36	38	37	44	31	35	39	35	31	36	43	48
Don't know	18	11	24	25	18	11	15	21	17	17	19	18	17

Commonwealth games
Commonwealth Games
commonwealth games
COMMONWEALTH GAMES
Commonwealth Games)
Commonwealth Games every 4 years
Commonwealth Games!
commonwealth games, commonwealth summit.
Commonwealth Games, cultural exchanges, economic conferences,
commonwealth games, trade, investment
commonwealth games, trading policies
commonwealth games: some international trade; military service exchanges
Commonwealth Games;
commonwealth games;
Commonwealth Games;
commonwealth games;
Commonwealth Games; Aid to the poor
Commonwealth games; commonwealth war graves commission
Commonwealth Games; Commonwealth Writers Prize
commonwealth games; conferences; mediation
commonwealth Games; democracy; trade; development of member countries
Commonwealth Games; education
Commonwealth Games; Education Scholarships; Election Monitoring
Commonwealth Games; Free trade
commonwealth games; free trade promotion; encouragement of democracy and human rights
Commonwealth Games; Honours system
Commonwealth Games; human rights; economic development
Commonwealth Games; human rights; individual liberty; free trade
Commonwealth Games; Intergovernmental meetings of prime ministers
Commonwealth games; keeping the Queen as head of state in the Commonwealth countries; promotes commander amongst the countries.
Commonwealth Games; many charity programmes all over the world; inter government co-operation;
Commonwealth Games; Periodic meetings of Commonwealth heads of state/prime ministers; various cultural links (literature, arts generally); Commonwealth aid.
Commonwealth Games; Political conferences;
Commonwealth Games; regular summits.
Commonwealth Games; to encourage cultural and educational connections, development and co-operation between member countries.
Commonwealth Games; trade agreements; cultural exchange
Commonwealth Games; Trade links
Commonwealth games; trade; ceremonial
commonwealth games; trade; state visits;
commonwealth games; aid
commonwealth games; annual heads of commonwealth meeting
Commonwealth Games; awareness through commonwealth house london
commonwealth games; commonwealth conference;
Commonwealth Games; Commonwealth Countries meetings
Commonwealth Games; Commonwealth Heads of Government Meetings; Commonwealth Club
Commonwealth Games; Commonwealth Heads of State Conference
commonwealth games; relief aid;
Commonwealth Games; summit meetings
Commonwealth Games; trade agreements
Commonwealth Games; business council; educational work
commonwealth games; charities
commonwealth games; conferences
commonwealth games; cultural exchanges; english language
Commonwealth Games; Meetings of Heads of Commonwealth
Mutual Aid between Commonwealth countries
COMMONWEALTH GAMES; ROYAL VISITS BY OUR QUEEN & OTHER MEMBERS OF THE CIVIL LIST; MEETING OF COMMONWEALTH HEADS OF STATE.
Commonwealth Games; Trade
Commonwealth games; Trading agreements; Agreements to apply trade sanctions
Commonwealth Games; Various trade deals
commonwealth games;
Commonwealth Heads of Government Conference; Agriculture; Games;
commonwealth meeting
commonwealth sports games; commonwealth schools/teachers exchange scheme; visa entry advantage for commonwealth countries
Commonwealth Summits; Commonwealth Games
commonwealth games
commonwealth games: diplomatic work especially when there are problems in a member state; negotiating in conflicts involving member states: encouraging trade between member countries; encourage
cultural exchange
Commonwealth games
Commonwealth games
Commonwealth Games; certain reciprocal agreements between member countries with regard to working or living abroad
commonwealth games : commonwealth conference
Commonwealth Games
Commonwealth Games
Commonwealth Games
conferences
conferences; intervention in Zimbabwe
Conferences; Sport
conferences
cooperation and alliance between countries
Co-operation between member countries on matters of: law and order; democracy; world peace; sporting events; human rights' issues
cricket games
cultural activities; Lobbying / power group within international diplomacy; Assisting peace keeping activities; Training etc for developing countries; Dispute resolution
Cultural co-operation
Cultural exchange
Cultural exchange; Aid; Trade
Cultural exchanges; heads of governments meetings and joint actions; educational and judiciary support; united military actions.
Culture; trade ; aid; defence;
defence
Defence strategy, trade and policy agreements, and trips abroad for the Queen ;)
defence; trade; human rights
Democracy; rule of law; human rights
democracy; development; peace
democracy; development; peace; trade; education
Democracy; Trade Agreements; Commonwealth Games.
Development of Commonwealth Nations through mutual support; promotion of trade; advance of democracy; a mutual voice in world affairs; promotion of sport; promotion of culture.
Development, and maintenance, of relationships between member states to support and influence economic and political policy.
development; cultural; education
Differential visa rules; Head of state meetings
diplomacy
diplomacy ; economic cooperation
Diplomatic relations with other countries; promoting trade and other links between the Commonwealth countries; sharing information/facilities for the good of the Commonwealth
dk
Doing nothing about Zimbabwe; holding summits; calling Embassies High Commissions.
Economic & Trade association though limited compared with pre EU days. Joint military exercises, military train Commonwealth Armed forces in UK military training. Joint exercises in Africa, Canada; Australia etc. Limited immigration nowadays to earlier times. Political association through the Economic and administrative unions. Sporting ties - Commonwealth Games Aid to though affected by economic problems or natural disasters etc.
economic , cultural , educational
economic aid
Economic cooperation
Third world development
Health
economic exchange
Sport
Movement of people
Education
Education & cultural exchanges/health and training
Education sponsorship
Sporting events
Cultural exchanges
education; children
education; legal matters; economic development
Education; Health; Agriculture; Development of industries; Welfare of populations; Political help to help the developing of democracy;
Educational scholarships; development; trade
Educational, political and athletic
employing other countries labour.
Encourage trade between Commonwealth countries; cultural exchanges;
Ethics committees ?
Every 4 years Commonwealth Games
exchanging views with other commonwealth countries; discussing economies; state of the middle east; improving the green factor
f
Fighting and stuff.
finance; growth
financial aid
financial aid; cultural activities
food
Free trade amongst members; work towards World peace.
free trade; democracy
Freedom of Movement between commonwealth countries; trade advantages; Defence Agreements;
free trade; defence obligations
Games
games
games
games
games
Games

games
Games
GAMES
games
Games
Games
Games, Military assistance, financial partnerships
games, commerce
games;
games, business council
Games; heads of state meetings;
Games; Human rights; Trade agreements.
Games; Representing businesses; Culture
games; trade missions; political talking shop
Games?
gamesmeeting of commonwealth heads.
gamesmonetary fund
Genreal trade agreementsEducational support
Good Governance Projects; Crisis in Zimbabwe; Supporting African Debt
governor generals
have goals related to a strategic planIncludes,debt relief, supporting human rights, education and sustainability.Very pro democracy, so keen on rule of law.
heads of government meeting,commonwealth games,trade between countries is boosted
Heads of State 'networking'
health; money; transport
heath law travel
Host countries hold Commonwealth Games on a regular basis ..Do not remember the time scaleSorry
hosting the commonwealth games;sponsoring students;trade agreements;suspending bad leaders
Human rights issues;aid agreements;trade agreements
Human Rights Monitoring; Poorer country support
human rights;fair elections
Human rights; developing nations; education; health
human rights; economic development; sustainable development
Human Rights; Liberties; free trade; law
Human Rights; Political Affairs; Social Affairs
Human Rights;Democratic Rights;Education
Humanitary aid
I know that they operate a diplomatic service to each other, so that if any of the member countries are in difficulty or are not behaving themselves towards their people or neighbours etc, diplomats ;
try to sort out their problems.
I remember that one country was excluded for human rights issues.
Intercountry State visits: games:
International aid; trade cooperation; political understanding; exchange of students; university contacts
international diplomacy - ie zimbabwe
international relations, aid to countries,
International Relations;Aid;Intra-Government Co-Operation
international trade agreements between members. Commonwealth games.Some diplomatic moves eg censure etc.
International Trade; Commonwealth Games; International Aid
international trading
It's an ex-colonial gentlemen's club - heads of countries meet up from time to time to discuss things that affect Commonwealth countries
law,human rights
Living peacefully; helping each other
loyalty to the queen
Maintaining and fostering the British way of life - as it was before Europe started interfering
Medical and Educational Aid - British Council volunteers especially in the field of education.
Meetings of Commonwealth Prime Ministers; Regular exchanges of views; mutual support;
meetings of reps of head of states to discuss policies and actions; games organisation; financial aid; sanctions
Meetings to discuss common interests and issues concerning Commonwealth countries

Member states co-operate with each other on understanding relations; endeavor to achieve peace and democracy in members; rid member states of poverty; work together on environmental matter
membership
Military cooperation;Trade;Sports;Civil cooperation;conferences;Exchange of technology;Student exchange and education programs;health and sanitation projects.
Monetary funding,
monitary issues,
monitoring elections;giving aid;trade agreements;educational exchanges
mutual co-operation, common defence, law, culture
mutual help missions, cultural,educational interchange, joint positions on global issues, pressure on backsliders
mutual political; financial; charitable (ie emergencies etc);cultural, health; co-operation and assistance;
mutual support between governments
mutual support; aid; diplomacy; peace-keeping co-operation
n
n/a
none
not sure
Nurturing diplomatic relationshipsLobbying for government aid to support countries' own self-help and wealth creation.Encouragement of democratic systemsTrade lobbyingPublic relationsLobbying;
direct government aid in crisis situations
Organising Commonwealth Games.
Organising Commonwealth GamesDealing with trade between membersEngaging in assistance for poorer nations
Parliamentary co-operation, social interchange, aid and disaster co-ordination, educational inter-change, scientific exchanges.
participate in the commonwealth games;attend commonwealth conferences to monitor behaviour of member states;support the monarchy;support our armed services;have trade agreements with U
each other
pass
peace keeping , security ,
peacekeeping
Policing commonwealth countries, Setting example to other world communities
Policing, help with trade, international security etc
policy advisory; culture; commonwealth games
political meetings of the Commonwealth Leaders; HM Queen visits to countries within the Commonwealth; Flying of the Union Jack at all Commonwealth Government Headquarters; Sports Games
Commonwealth Games; Courts of Law headed by Royal Coats of Arms; In the name of the Queen - Court Representation.
political;financial;sport;cultural;trade;
Promote democracy; support economies; advance trading links; encourage education; promote health initiatives; organise the Commonwealth Games; resolve disputes.
Promote member countries by encouraging trade etc ; Aid fellow countries in the event of natural disasters etc;
Promote trade and equality
promote trade;dispute resolution
Promote tradepromote peace
promotes economic growth and funding to member states.Brings law and order, stability and democracy to all.
Promotes Peace and security; is against racism;Stands for Liberty, equal rights; democratic; and promotes all faiths cultures and traditions
promoting international understanding, working together for common interests, economic development of member states; promotion of human rights and social improvements;
promoting peace and democracy; free trade; fighting disease and poverty
promoting trades between members and raising the profiles of the members globally.
promotion of democracy and development; environmental stability
promotion of democracy; free trade
Promotion of Democracy; Human Rights; Good Governance; Rule of Law, Egalitarianism, Individual Liberty; Free Trade; World Peace.
promotion of democracy; human rights; good governance; the rule of law; individual liberty, free trade; and world peace
promotion of democracy; promotion of human rights; promotion of free trade; promotion of good governance; promotion of peace; promotion of rule of law; promotion of individual liberty; Commonw
Games
promotion of democracy;committed to human rights
promotion of inter trade and culture
promotion of mutual understanding between member nations; mutual assistance in the event of any disaster; promote trade and protect individual countries' interests
promotion of peace and co-operation;stability of government and democracy;anti-terrorism;prevention of money laundering;general economic co-operation;socioeconomic development (probably
sustainable' nowadays)
Promotion of tourism
Provide aid when there is a natural disaster in another commonwealth country; Commonwealth games; Can exercise a certain amount of influence in keeping members on a democratic path; Can pr
trading links between each other (when the eec allows).
Provides a flow of trade between the commonwealth nations
Provides opportunities for Commonwealth Heads of State to talk and socialise.
Reduce poverty; promote democracy
Regular Commonwealth meetings, discussing matters of interest to Commonwealth countries, e.g. future of Zimbabwe;
Regular conferences on trade; policing the activities of the members of the commonwealth;
regular meetings of heads of state, sponsors education programmes, sponsors agricultural development programmes, occasionally makes gestures by throwing errant members out
Representing the British Commonwealth as a leading influence in the world
scouring off the UK; moaning about the UK; demanding from the UK
Seeking to steer good government; human rights; democracy; positive economic development
Sport
sport
sport; trade
sport;cultural links;trade agreements;defence
Sport;Education,Financial support, Agricultural support;
sporting activities;mutual co-operation;military co-operation
sporting events
sporting events; meetings
sporting events; peace talks; cultural events
Sporting eventsTrade benefits accrued by membership i.e. New Zealand lamb is given preference by the UK over that produced by non member states (this benefit may actually have ceased since
UK's EU membership, I can't remember. My Politics degree didn't extend to such knowledge.
Sporting Games
sporting,
sports
Sports
sports, military and economic support
sportsfinancial aid

sporttrade
 state visits
 state visits by queen or government ministers to improve relations and trade
 state visits; certain legislation; decision-making towards independence
 summit meetings, food aid programmes
 Support education in commonwealth countries; provide help for poverty; provide help for health etc.
 support of nations that dont bother to look after their people but buy weapons insted; give leadership to people who hate the uk; arrange aid to nations that that have space projects and atom bombs
 people that dont want the british culture to remain in place to enter the uk
 Supports each other e.g. fairtrading; helps the under-developed countries financially;
 swimmingshotputjavelinslinothrowinglong jumpshurfing
 Talking shops
 technical cooperation
 The ability to suspend membership viz. Pakistan
 The commonwealth games
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 the commonwealth games
 THE COMMONWEALTH GAMES
 The Commonwealth Games (Sports)
 The commonwealth games!
 The commonwealth games!.....ha ha ha
 The Commonwealth is active in a number of areas including development, democracy, debt management and trade.
 The Commonwealth people is a force for peace, democracy, equality and good governance and tries to act as a catalyst for global consensus-building and as a source of assistance for sustainable development and poverty eradication throughout it's member states.
 The Commonwealth Secretariat organises the COGMS.
 The exchange of ideas and provision of mutual support
 The furtherance of democracy, economics, sport, education, law etc
 the games
 The games, trade issues,
 the games; charitable work; employment
 The promotion of fair trade between the countries; The rule of Law across the Commonwealth; Maintenance of each countries independence; Support to each country through the Commonwealth off
 London;
 they promote human rights, democracy and world peace
 They put on a games every four years. Member states trade with each other fairly. They promote free elections etc and have a set standard of rules. They help with environmental issues
 To bring union and harmony to help any country that is in anyway threatend by a larger state. To help those that are starving due to wall. To help combat sickness.]
 To promote democracy, freedom of speech, justice, freedom of religion, free trade and the Christian faith.
 Tourism agreements; defense treaties; trade agreements.
 trade
 trade
 trade; health; education; human rights; democracy; youth etc;
 Trade agreements
 trade agreements; military protection
 Trade agreements between C'wealth countries; Human rights; Immigration; Defence; Development aid;
 Trade agreements; support for nationals and, of course, the Commonwealth Games.
 Trade agreements; preferential trading status; Cultural exchanges; Sporting Events [commonwealth games];
 trade agreements; educational links; political conferences; sporting activities
 Trade agreements; sanctions; humanitarian work
 trade agreements; social and cultural agreements
 Trade agreements; sporting links; cultural links
 trade agreements; commonwealth games
 Trade association
 Trade organisation
 trade relations; assisting its citizens; general political dialogue; some ceremonial / state activities
 trade relations; cultural exchanges; political meetings between leaders; promotion of democracy among former british colonies
 trade with each other; help in times of crisis; commonwealth games.
 Trade, Commonwealth games
 TRADE, COMMONWEALTH GAMES
 trade, unity
 Trade, Promotion of ties with each Commonwealth nation. Fighting poverty, health welfare, promotion of democracy.
 trade, sport.
 Trade; cultural links; assistance; educational links
 Trade; development; training
 Trade; investment
 Trade; Looking after the peoples of states within the commonwealth which are badly run
 trade; aid; health
 trade; armed forces; aid to the weak; educational opportunities; emergency aid;
 Trade; charity; sports;
 trade; Commonwealth Games Democracy
 trade; sport; cultural exchanges; international aid.
 Trade; sport; education
 Trade; tourism
 trade aid
 Trading agreements and support
 Trading initiatives; diplomatic relations; cultural/sporting events such as the Commonwealth Games.
 trading; sporting; culture
 tries to ensure co-operation and consultation between members; peace through diplomacy; to help educate and eradicate poverty
 Travelling to commonwealth countries
 University education via exchange scholarships for students and limited period staff placements in other Commonwealth universities; provision of agricultural expertise to agriculturally less developed countries; likewise, donations of technical, health, and legal expertise;
 Upholding Queen Elizabeth as head of commonwealth; Ensuring rule of democracy among all member states;
 Upkeep of war cemeteries
 Violating political values of people within its county members as well as non members to ensure that no harm comes to any human unnecessarily and unjustly.
 Visits by the Queen
 war graves commission
 War Graves commission, Commonwealth Games, Foundation
 war graves sport
 water projects in africa; housing study projects in Papua New Guinea; work on HIV and AIDs in Africa and other Commonwealth countries,
 work for common economic prosperity, human rights, democratic processes, free trade, peace and non-aggression.
 work together for peace; reducing poverty; democracy
 world peace
 world peace and development
 world poverty
 youth affairs
 youth exchange programmes
 Youth programmes; Social programmes; Human rights; Political affairs; watchdog for Democracy; Peace initiatives; Education and Development in the Third World.