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# HOW DO WE CURRENTLY FEEL ABOUT CANADA, DESPITE REVELATIONS ABOUT UNMARKED INDIGENOUS GRAVES?

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Tuesday marked the 150th anniversary of British Columbia joining Canada. If you missed the occasion, you weren't alone. The BC Ministry of Municipal Affairs issued the following statement: "While the history of our province includes many moments of progress, it also has dark chapters and a colonial legacy that continue to inflict pain upon communities to this day. That's why we are providing \$30 million in funding to help local governments and First Nations bring programs to light that educate people about our past, advance reconciliation, and promote inclusivity and diversity for our future."

As many Canadians are following our athletes at the Olympics, and future anniversaries and commemorations are scheduled, we **conducted a survey with x respondents... margin or error.**

# NEARLY NINE IN TEN CANADIANS HAVE A POSITIVE OPINION OF CANADA

Canada - Do you have a very positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative or very negative of the following ... ?	Canada	British Columbia	Alberta	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Maritimes
Very positive	49.5%	54.6%	52.9%	49.5%	58.2%	32.9%	56.0%
Somewhat positive	40.7%	36.7%	32.9%	41.4%	33.9%	54.6%	39.6%
Somewhat negative	8.1%	7.7%	11.0%	9.1%	6.2%	10.4%	3.3%
Very negative	1.7%	1.0%	3.2%		1.7%	2.2%	1.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

# A VERY POSITIVE VIEW OF CANADA IS MOST COMMON AMONG CANADIANS OVER THE AGE OF 65 AND LEAST COMMON FOR THOSE UNDER 25

Canada - Do you have a very positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative or very negative of the following ... ?	Between 18 and 24	Between 25 and 34	Between 35 and 44	Between 45 and 54	Between 55 and 64	Between 65 and 74	75 or older	Total
Very positive	37.1%	43.7%	46.7%	46.4%	53.7%	58.3%	57.3%	49.5%
Somewhat positive	50.0%	46.4%	41.7%	43.5%	37.7%	32.4%	38.5%	40.7%
Somewhat negative	11.3%	7.1%	8.8%	8.6%	7.8%	7.6%	4.2%	8.1%
Very negative	1.6%	2.7%	2.9%	1.5%	0.9%	1.7%		1.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

# CANADIANS NOT BORN IN CANADA ARE MORE LIKELY TO HAVE A VERY POSITIVE VIEW OF CANADA THAN THOSE BORN THERE

Canada - Do you have a very positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative or very negative of the following ... ?	Were you born in Canada?		Total
	Yes	No	
Very positive	47.4%	58.3%	49.5%
Somewhat positive	42.2%	34.4%	40.7%
Somewhat negative	8.7%	5.4%	8.1%
Very negative	1.7%	1.8%	1.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

**CANADIANS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF A VISIBLE MINORITY GROUP ARE SLIGHTLY MORE LIKELY TO HAVE A VERY POSITIVE VIEW OF CANADA, WHILE NINE IN TEN CANADIANS SHARE AT LEAST A SOMEWHAT POSITIVE VIEW OF THE COUNTRY**

Canada - Do you have a very positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative or very negative of the following ... ?	Are you a member of a visible minority group?		Total
	Yes	No	
Very positive	54.8%	48.2%	49.5%
Somewhat positive	36.5%	41.9%	40.7%
Somewhat negative	6.8%	8.2%	8.1%
Very negative	1.9%	1.7%	1.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

CANADIANS HAVE A FAR MORE POSITIVE VIEW OF THEIR COUNTRY THAN THEY DO OF THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO AND THEY HAVE A VERY POOR VIEW OF CHINA

Do you have a very positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative or very negative of the following ... ?	Do you have a very positive, somewhat positive, somewhat negative or very negative of the following ... ?			
	Canada	United States	Mexico	China
Very positive	49.5%	11.4%	18.3%	7.7%
Somewhat positive	40.7%	48.1%	61.5%	29.5%
Somewhat negative	8.1%	32.5%	18.1%	39.1%
Very negative	1.7%	8.1%	2.0%	23.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

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