

Talk London Survey Toplines

TECHNICAL DETAILS

- Results are based on interviews with 3,674 London residents aged 18+.
- Interviews were carried out online via the Talk London community between 3 Oct and 5 Nov.
- Interviews were not randomly sampled, but self-selecting via a number of known databases. This achieved a non-representative sample of Londoners.
- The data has been weighted by age, gender and ethnicity to reflect that of the London population.
- A minimum number of responses were achieved for each key demographic group to maintain a robust sample.
- Where results do not sum to 100% this may be due to multiple responses, computer rounding or the exclusion of don't knows/not stated.
- The qualitative analysis of the open-ended questions 36, 37 and 38 was undertaken by SPA Future Thinking. Top level themes and sub themes are reported as a percentage of the overall base number of respondents (3,421 to all three questions). The top three sub themes are presented where available.
- This is the first London Survey conducted by Talk London for City Hall.

QUALITY OF LIFE

Q1 How long have you been living in London?		%
	Up to a year	6
	1 to 2 years	6
	2 to 5 years	12
	5 to 10 years	10
	10 to 15 years	7
	15 to 20 years	7
	20 years or more	22
	All my life / born in London	30
	Don't know/can't remember	0

Q2 And how long have you been living in your local area? By local area we mean within 15 minutes' walk from your house		%
	Up to a year	15
	1 to 2 years	11
	2 to 5 years	18
	5 to 10 years	12
	10 to 15 years	9
	15 to 20 years	7
	20 years or more	19
	All my life / born in London	9
	Don't know/can't remember	0

Q3 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with London as a city to live in?		%
	Very satisfied	30
	Fairly satisfied	52
	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	8
	Fairly dissatisfied	7
	Very dissatisfied	3
	Don't know	0
	Net: satisfied	82
	Net: dissatisfied	10

Q4 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your local area as a place to live?		%
	Very satisfied	29
	Fairly satisfied	47
	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	10
	Fairly dissatisfied	11
	Very dissatisfied	3
	Don't know	0
	Net: satisfied	76
	Net: dissatisfied	14

Q5 Thinking about your local area, please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about local services. By local area, we mean the area within 15 minutes' walk of your home.

	1	2	3	4	5	DK	Net: agree	Net: disagree
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
My local area has good schools	16	28	15	7	2	33	44	9
My local area has a good range of activities for young people	6	24	20	20	6	24	30	26
My local area has reliable transport links	37	44	7	8	4	0	81	12
My local area has good sports and leisure facilities /activities	15	43	18	14	3	7	58	17
My local area has police who are visible, reliable and responsive	8	29	29	19	10	6	37	29

1 = strongly agree, 2 = tend to agree, 3 = neither agree nor disagree, 4 = tend to disagree, 5 = strongly disagree.

Q6 Thinking about your local environment, please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with each of the following statements

	1	2	3	4	5	DK	Net: agree	Net: disagree
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
My local area is clean and litter-free	7	38	13	26	16	0	45	42
My local area has good parks and green spaces	40	43	8	7	2	0	83	9
My local area is a safe place for cyclists	6	25	25	20	11	13	31	31
The roads are busy and congested in my local area	26	42	18	12	2	1	68	14
I am disturbed by noise from transport in my local area	12	18	20	33	17	0	30	50
My local area is affected by vandalism and graffiti	4	16	22	37	18	2	20	55
The air feels clean in my local area	7	27	27	23	14	1	34	37

1 = strongly agree, 2 = tend to agree, 3 = neither agree nor disagree, 4 = tend to disagree, 5 = strongly disagree.

Q7 Thinking about your local community, please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with each of the following statements								
	1	2	3	4	5	DK	Net: agree	Net: disagree
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
There are good relations between older and younger people in my local area	4	30	30	12	3	21	34	15
My local area is a pleasant place to live	25	50	13	10	3	0	75	13
There are good relations between different ethnic and religious communities in my local area	9	44	24	8	3	11	53	11
People in my local area work together to improve the neighbourhood	7	31	28	15	5	13	38	20
My local area is a place where I would be happy to bring up a family	18	38	14	15	12	4	56	27
People in my local area are willing to help their neighbours	10	39	23	13	5	9	49	18
I am aware of ways in which I can influence decisions affecting my local area	7	28	21	22	13	8	35	35

1 = strongly agree, 2 = tend to agree, 3 = neither agree nor disagree, 4 = tend to disagree, 5 = strongly disagree.

HIGH STREETS

Q8 Thinking about your local high street or town centre, how much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?								
	1	2	3	4	5	DK	Net: agree	Net: disagree
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
I regularly use the high street in my local area	36	35	8	12	7	1	71	19
There is a good range of shops, restaurants, cafes, bars and services	28	36	10	17	9	0	64	26
It is a pleasant place to visit	23	35	16	17	8	1	58	25
It is a safe place to spend time	23	44	16	10	6	1	67	16
There are enough street trees	16	32	15	23	12	1	48	35
There are a range of arts and community activities (e.g. food markets, music in public places, public art, festivals or events)	13	29	18	24	13	3	42	37
It is easy for me to get to my local high street	49	39	6	4	2	1	88	6
The high street in my local area is improving	16	30	24	17	9	4	46	26
I would recommend visiting my local high street to other people	17	26	22	18	16	1	43	34

1 = strongly agree, 2 = tend to agree, 3 = neither agree nor disagree, 4 = tend to disagree, 5 = strongly disagree.

Q9 Has online shopping reduced the frequency that you shop on your local high street or town centre?	
	%
Yes - I shop online and use my local high street or town centre much less often now	17
Yes - I shop online and use my local high street a little less often now	22
No - I shop online but it has made no difference to how I use my local high street or town centre	51
No - I don't shop online	10
Don't know	1

SAFETY

Q10 How safe do you feel walking alone in your local area during the...									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	DK	Net: safe	Net: unsafe
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Day	55	36	6	3	1	0	0	91	4
Evening	16	45	18	14	6	2	0	61	20

1 = very safe, 2 = quite safe, 3 = neither safe nor unsafe, 4 = quite unsafe, 5 = very unsafe, 6 = I don't go out during this time.

Q11 How safe do you feel walking alone in London as a whole during the...									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	DK	Net: safe	Net: unsafe
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Day	37	51	8	3	1	0	0	88	4
Evening	8	43	25	17	5	2	0	51	22

1 = very safe, 2 = quite safe, 3 = neither safe nor unsafe, 4 = quite unsafe, 5 = very unsafe, 6 = I don't go out during this time.

TRANSPORT

Q12 Which of the following forms of transport in London do you use regularly By regularly we mean at least once a week?	
	<i>Base: those who answered 'yes'</i> %
Local buses	77
Underground train services (the tube)	75
Local over ground train services	49
Car or van	32
Bicycle	17
Docklands Light Railway (DLR)	11
Mini cabs (private hire)	10
Black cabs	6
Tram	3
River transport	1
None of these	1

Q13 How safe do you feel using the following forms of transport during the day and night?									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	DK	Net: safe	Net: unsafe
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Local buses (Base: 764)									
Day	60	35	4	0	0	0	0	95	4
Night	17	45	27	5	3	3	1	62	35
Underground services (Base: 753)									
Day	63	34	2	0	0	0	0	97	2
Night	26	46	22	2	1	2	0	72	25
Local over ground train services (Base: 487)									
Day	62	34	3	0	0	0	0	96	3
Night	22	48	22	3	1	2	1	70	26
Black cabs (Base: 64)									
Day	85	12	2			1		97	2
Night	74	19	4	1	0	2		93	5
Mini cabs (Base: 102)									
Day	59	35	1	1		3	0	94	2
Night	46	38	12	2		2		84	14

1 = very safe, 2 = fairly safe, 3 = a bit unsafe, 4 = very unsafe, 5 = don't use during this time for safety reason, 6 = don't use during this time for any other reason.

Q14 Thinking about how you get around London, have you noticed any improvement in public transport, and if so how much?						
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Do not use	DK	Net: impr.
	%	%	%	%	%	%
Reliability of tubes	17	42	28	5	9	59
Reliability of buses	17	36	33	5	8	53
Reliability of over ground trains and DLR	14	28	29	14	16	42
Personal safety on tubes	8	32	40	5	16	40
Personal safety on buses	7	30	42	5	16	37
Personal safety on over ground trains and DLR	7	24	34	13	22	31
Getting to where I need to be without having to travel in and out of central London	12	27	38	5	17	39

Q15 Thinking about how you get around London, have you noticed any improvement in transport services, and if so how much?						
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Do not use	DK	Net: impr.
	%	%	%	%	%	%
Accessibility of public transport, for example, for disabled people or families with pushchairs	16	38	19	10	17	54
Different ways to pay for public transport, for example, oyster cards and contactless payment	53	32	9	3	3	85
Customer service	8	30	46	5	11	38
Digital technology for journey planning, for example, phone apps	47	32	9	7	4	79

Q16 Thinking about how you get around London, have you noticed any improvement in roads, and if so how much?						
	A lot	A little	Not at all	Do not use	DK	Net: impr.
	%	%	%	%	%	%
Road routes circling outer London	4	14	38	28	16	18
Road congestion	3	12	66	11	8	15
Provision for cyclists	11	36	23	20	10	47
Provision for pedestrians	7	34	50	2	8	41

Q17 Improvement and modernisation to public transport are often costly. Some of this cost is met through fares. To help keep fare price rises to a minimum, changes are sometimes made to create more automation in the service customers get. This might include, for example, introducing cashless bus tickets, or encouraging automatic Oyster card top-up and closing ticket offices.

To what extent do you agree or disagree that where costs can be kept down and future investment made, automation is a good way to do this?

	%
Strongly agree	32
Tend to agree	32
Neither agree nor disagree	11
Tend to disagree	14
Strongly disagree	10
Don't know	1
Net: agree	64
Net: disagree	24

HOUSING

Q18 Currently there are just over 8 million people living in London. By 2030, the population of London is expected to grow to 10 million people. Bearing this in mind, do you think there is a need for more housing in...

	Yes	No	DK
	%	%	%
London as a whole	87	9	5
Your local area	65	27	8

Q19 Which THREE of the following groups of people do you think housing is most needed for? Please rank in order of priority 1 to 3

	Score	Rank
Families	1452	1
Young people	1105	2
Single people	781	3
Couples	665	4
Older people	567	5
Disabled people	483	6
Mixed usage	458	7
Students	198	8
Don't know	129	9
None of these	33	10

Q20 How important do you think it is that housing is prioritised for lower paid public sector staff? For example, people who work in health and social care, the police force and fire service, or those who teach.

	%
Very important	46
Fairly important	34
Not very important	10
Not at all important	6
Don't know	3
Net: important	80
Net: unimportant	16

Q21 Which THREE of the following do you think will most improve housing in London? Please rank in order of priority 1 to 3.

	Score	Rank
Supporting home ownership for first time buyers	1153	1
Making sure landlords act fairly	1107	2
Improving the quality of existing social and council housing	1088	3
Increasing new building	1022	4
An increase in mixed use of space, for example, residential properties above shops	829	5
Making sure house builders have access to land to build more homes	478	6
None of these	97	7
Don't know	74	8

CULTURE AND LEISURE

Q22 Thinking about the last 12 months how often, if at all, have you taken part in any of the following types of activity?							
	Daily	Weekly	Fort-nightly	Monthly	Less often	Not at all	DK
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Arts or cultural activities. For example going to the theatre, cinema, concert, visiting a museum, gallery or heritage site?	2	22	18	31	22	6	0
Unpaid, voluntary activities to help a charity, club, group, school, voluntary organisation or any other type of organisation?	4	14	5	13	27	36	1
Sporting or fitness activity as part of a class, club or group, rather than doing activities on your own?	6	23	5	7	20	38	1

LONDON AFTER THE OLYMPIC GAMES

Q23 To what extent do you think the following benefits of London hosting the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games have been delivered?					
	Has been delivered	Delivered to some extent	Not delivered	DK	Net: all delivered
	%	%	%	%	%
Regeneration of East London	29	51	6	14	80
Continued use of the Olympic park	29	43	9	18	72
Increased participation in volunteering	13	33	17	37	46
More cultural events and art in public spaces	14	41	17	29	55
More children participating in sport	11	30	18	42	41
More adults participating in sport	10	29	21	40	39
Better local sports and leisure facilities	11	33	29	27	44
Increased business and job opportunities	9	30	26	36	39
Improved transport	23	45	17	16	68
More homes	9	37	26	27	46
Attracting more tourists	31	38	8	23	69

ECONOMY

Q24 Thinking about the last 12 months, would you say the cost of living has...		%
Significantly increased		52
Increased a little		40
Stayed the same		6
Decreased a little		1
Significantly decreased		0
Don't know		1
Net: increased		92
Net: decreased		1

Q25 Thinking about the next 12 months, do you expect the cost of living to...		%
Significantly increase		44
Increase a little		45
Stay the same		7
Decrease a little		1
Significantly decrease		0
Don't know		2
Net: increased		89
Net: decreased		1

Q26 Which of the following best describes how you think London's economy overall will fare over the next 12 months?		%
Significantly improve		10
Improve a little bit		47
Stay the same		22
Worsen a little		11
Significantly worsen		5
Don't know		5
Net: improved		57
Net: worsen		16

Q27 If you were to lose your job tomorrow, or already have, how confident do you feel about being able to get another similar job quickly?		%
Not confident at all (1)		26
2		16
3		22
4		17
Very confident (5)		9
Don't know		10
Net: confident		26
Net: unconfident		42

Q28 How do you think your personal financial situation has fared over the past 12 months?	
	%
Got better	20
Stayed the same	41
Got worse	38
Don't know	1

Q29 All things considered (the jobs market, the economy, the cost of living), thinking about the next 12 months, which of the following statements do you agree with the most?	
	%
I expect to have to cut back a lot on spending	26
I expect to have to cut back a little on spending	41
I won't need to make any changes to my spending	24
I expect to be able to spend a little bit more	6
I expect to be able to spend a lot more	1
Don't know	2

SKILLS AND EMPLOYMENT

Q30 Which of the following THREE sectors do you think are most important in terms of creating new jobs for Londoners and business growth for the capital? Please rank 1 to 3 in order of importance.		
	Score	Rank
Small business and entrepreneurship	961	1
Technology	932	2
Public services (e.g. health, schools)	750	3
Hospitality and tourism (e.g. restaurants, hotels, travel)	567	4
Creative industries (e.g. art, fashion, gaming, advertising)	534	5
Financial, insurance, legal services	523	6
Construction	497	7
Medical and scientific research and development	358	8
Retail (e.g. shops and services)	342	9
Manufacturing	307	10
Don't know	110	11
None of these	11	12

Q31 How confident are you that you have the right skills to be able to find a job in London or develop your career further? Please use a scale of 1 to 5, where 5 means you are very confident and 1 means you are not confident at all	
	%
Not confident at all (1)	9
2	8
3	22
4	29
Very confident (5)	23
Don't know	9
Net: confident	52
Net: not confident	17

Q32 To what extent do you agree or disagree that London schools, colleges and universities are preparing young people that you know with the right skills for future employment?	
	%
Strongly agree	5
Tend to agree	28
Neither agree nor disagree	18
Tend to disagree	23
Strongly disagree	9
Don't know	16
Net: agree	33
Net: disagree	32

Q33 How important do you think the following are to help young people to develop the right skills for jobs in London?								
	1	2	3	4	5	DK	Net: important	Net: not important
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Volunteering to help a charity, group, club, school, community group/project or other organisations	31	48	12	5	2	3	79	7
Taking part in uniformed groups i.e. Scouts, Guides, St John's Ambulance, Police Cadets etc.	18	39	25	10	5	3	57	15
Participating in sporting activities i.e. football clubs, dancing or swimming lessons	24	43	19	8	3	2	67	11
Additional academic or cultural tuition (e.g. music lessons, maths/English coaching):	34	46	13	3	1	2	80	4
Traineeships and apprenticeships	67	27	4	1	0	2	94	1

1 = very important, 2 = fairly important, 3 = neither important nor unimportant, 4 = not very important, 5 = not important at all.

PRIORITIES FOR LONDON

Q34 Which THREE of the following areas would you say are the most important issues facing London today? Please rank 1 to 3 in order of importance

	Score	Rank
Housing	1218	1
Cost of living	1150	2
Population growth	765	3
Jobs and unemployment	615	4
Transport	474	5
Health services	453	6
The environment	296	7
Policing and public safety	292	8
Economy	280	9
Education/schools	242	10
Regeneration	127	11
Other	58	12
Don't know	9	13
None of these	8	14

Q35 London is growing - we will be the biggest we've ever been, with 10 million inhabitants by 2030 Which of the following areas do you think should be a priority to ensure that London remains competitive over the next 20 - 30 years?

	Score	Rank
New rail and tube routes including Crossrail 2, tube extensions and a better outer London road network	1328	1
A programme of home building, especially for family homes	1250	2
Infrastructure to support technology with super-fast internet connectivity and data sharing to create new ideas and apps	698	3
More local energy generation to make London's energy supply more secure and affordable	612	4
Opening new schools and educational facilities	599	5
Creating an ultra-low emission transport system with zero emission taxis and electric buses and cars	568	6
Greening streets and opening more parks and green spaces	408	7
Creating a new hub airport to ensure future growth of the economy	279	8
None of these	84	9
Don't know	52	10

Q36 What do you think is the biggest challenge facing London in the future?		
	Number	Percent
Quality of life:	1224	36
Overcrowding/population growth/pressure on public services/infrastructure	744	22
NHS/Health Service	113	3
Education/schools	101	3
Housing:	1213	35
Affordable housing (rents/low wages and high housing costs/social housing)	578	17
Housing (other & unspecified)	250	7
Shortage of housing/build more housing/Expand housing/use greenbelt	172	5
Economy:	614	18
Cost of living/expensive/struggle to make ends meet/wages	276	8
Affordable to all/not just those well off/becoming a place for the wealthy	83	2
Rising cost of living forcing people to leave London	78	2
Transport:	589	17
Population growth putting pressure on transport/transport overcrowding/need more transport	149	4
Transport (other & unspecified)	124	4
Poor transport service/efficient/reliable transport needed	101	3
Skills and employment:	324	9
Job availability/opportunities/unemployment/unemployment	151	4
Income inequality/low wages/need a fair wage for all/a living wage	51	1
People who provide essential services will no longer be able to afford to live here (health/cleaning/retail/transport etc.)	42	1
Immigration:	222	6
Immigration (other & unspecified)	91	3
Reduce/stop immigration/Country too full/Immigration control	84	2
Immigrants taking work from locals	25	1
Culture and leisure:	214	6
Social cohesion/no sense of community/integrating people into the community different cultures	92	3
Growing inequality/increase in the inequality gap	33	1
The youth/ensuring effective upbringing/schooling of children (includes reducing/keeping young people out of gangs)	31	1
Priorities for London:	174	5
Remaining competitive/a world financial centre	55	2
Loss of identity/keep its identity/unique character/British values	27	1
Sustainability/managing sustainable growth	21	1
Safety:	142	4
Safety (unsafe) (other & unspecified)	44	1
Crime/High crime rates	37	1
Terrorism	35	1
London Government:	77	2
The Mayor (negative)	25	1
London government (other and unspecified)	18	1
Politics/Con-Dem government	18	1
Nothing mentioned:	114	3

Base: 3,421

Q37 What is the best thing about living in London?		
	Number	Percent
Culture and leisure:	2043	60
International/cultural diversity/multicultural city	438	13
Arts/art experiences (includes museums/galleries etc.)	378	11
Cultural opportunities/facilities	373	11
Quality of life:	1898	55
So much to do/lots going on/never boring	594	17
Variety/versatility/diversity	441	13
Dynamic/activity/vibrant	204	6
Transport:	465	14
Transport (other & unspecified)	183	5
Easy to get around (includes shopping/theatres etc.)	110	3
Easy/good connectivity/transport links	106	3
Skills and employment:	286	8
Work/job availability/opportunities	204	6
Educational opportunities/programmes	70	2
Business/industries/industrial diversity/drive	29	1
High streets:	253	7
Food/restaurants/pubs/clubs/eating places	154	5
Shopping/retail choice (includes market mentions)	83	2
Diversity of restaurants/diverse food opportunities/choices etc.	43	1
Economy:	134	4
Free/affordable entrances	87	3
Economic growth/vibrancy	23	1
Building:	117	3
Architecture/beautiful buildings/city	91	3
Old & new buildings/mix of old and modern	18	3
Housing:	74	2
Diversity of areas	51	2
Safety:	39	1
Feel safe/safe environment	24	1
London Government:	20	1
London government (specific & unspecified)	20	1
Nothing mentioned:	60	2

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Q38 What is the worst thing about living in London?		
	Number	Percent
Transport:	1214	35
Traffic/congestion/traffic chaos/jams/gridlock/too many cars	462	14
Population growth putting pressure on transport/transport overcrowding/need more transport	209	6
Prices/Affordable/cheaper public transport	171	5
Quality of life:	1159	34
Overcrowding/population growth/too many people putting pressure on public services/infrastructure to be able to cope with rising population	449	13
Pollution/poor air quality/reduce air pollution (includes reduce number of cars/priority to pedestrians/cyclists/environmentally friendly transport)	415	12
Dirty/cleaner streets (litter, chewing gum, dog fouling etc.)	193	6
Economy:	859	25
Cost of living/expensive/struggle to make ends meet/wages	727	21
Social instability/tension/gap between the haves/have nots/the rich and poor divide	53	2
Affordable to all/not just those well off/becoming a place for the wealthy)	32	1
Housing:	699	20
Affordable housing (includes rents/low wages and high housing costs/social housing etc.)	560	16
Poor housing/not fit to live in /cramped etc./provide quality housing	57	2
Shortage of housing/build more housing/Expand housing/use greenbelt for housing	51	1
Safety:	315	9
Crime/High crime rates	131	4
Safety (unsafe) (other & unspecified)	75	2
Antisocial behaviour	72	2
Culture and leisure:	314	9
People (miserable/unfriendly/rude people/poor attitudes/manners/lack of respect)	126	4
Social cohesion/no sense of community/integrating people into the community/different cultures	94	3
Growing inequality/increase in the inequality gap	29	1
Immigration:	114	3
Reduce/stop immigration/Country too full/Immigration control/minority in own country	76	2
Immigration (other & unspecified)	19	1
London Government:	94	3
The Mayor (includes all negative answers about Boris Johnson)	38	1
London government (other & unspecified)	18	1
Political indecision/not tackling situations/not addressing issues/short sighted/lack of vision	18	1
Skills and employment:	70	2
Job availability/opportunities/unemployment/reduce unemployment	36	1
Priorities for London:	56	2
Loss of identity/keep its identity/unique character/British values	35	1
Buildings:	51	1
Regeneration/run down/shabby areas	24	1
Nothing mentioned:	62	2

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LONDON GOVERNMENT

Q39 How much, if anything, would you say you know about what the Mayor of London is doing for London?

	%
A lot	22
A little	64
Nothing at all	10
Don't know	4

Q40 Which of the following roles do you think are most important for the Mayor of London? Please select THREE and rank them 1 to 3

	Score	Rank
Setting a vision for the future of London, such as creating conditions for jobs and economic growth and ensuring London is fit for the future	1508	1
Ensuring accountable and efficient use of tax payers' money to improve London such as regeneration East London, maintaining police officers and upgrading public transport	1272	2
Setting the strategic direction and budgets for London services such as policing, transport and housing	1227	4
Bringing boroughs, organisations and people together to make improvements in London	836	5
Standing up for London such as lobbying government and the EU for funding	488	6
Being a spokesperson for the city representing all Londoners at home and abroad	432	7
None of these	64	8
Don't know	55	9

Q41 For which of the following do you think the Mayor of London has responsibility? Would you say he has total, some or no responsibility when it comes to

	None	Some	Total	Net: resp.
	%	%	%	%
Economic development	4	72	23	95
Policing and public safety	4	53	43	96
Housing	6	66	27	93
Public transport	1	41	57	98
London's main roads	5	53	42	95
Attracting tourism and business to London	3	60	37	97
London's fire services	8	52	40	92
Education	26	60	15	75
Approving major planning applications	9	55	36	91
Improving London's environment	2	55	43	98
Regeneration legacy of the London 2012 Games	6	58	36	94
Setting budgets for transport, development, the police and fire authorities	4	48	48	96
Setting the GLA rate of tax	16	50	35	85
Representing London abroad	6	53	41	94
Justice system	55	37	8	45
Supporting cultural events i.e. Pride, St Patrick's day etc.	9	60	31	91
Hosting major sporting, cultural and business events	6	66	28	94

Q42 The London Assembly consists of 25 members who are elected at the same time as the Mayor. How much, if anything, would you say you know about what the London Assembly is doing for London?

	%
A lot	5
A little	42
Nothing at all	44
Don't know	9

Q43 Which of the following do you think are the roles of the London Assembly? Please tick all that apply

	%
<i>Base: those who stated 'yes'</i>	
Working with the Mayor	66
Scrutinising budgets for the Mayor/GLA	64
Scrutinising decisions taken by the Mayor	63
Investigating important issues of concern to Londoners	63
Monitoring the Mayor's policies	63
Questioning the Mayor about his activities	58
Pressing for changes to national, Mayoral or local policy	43
Don't know	18
None of these	1

