

SUPPLEMENT 3

Study 2, Part 1 Items & Citations

Table S3a. Items and response options

Item	Topic	Item text	Response Options
1	Drone Strikes	It has been reported that president Trump/Obama ordered a drone strike in the Middle East that resulted in the death of suspected terrorists. There were likely also civilian casualties. To what extent do you support drone strikes that kill terrorists but probably also kill civilians?	1=do not support at all to 5=strongly support
2	Unemployment	From 2010-2012/2016-2018, unemployment in the US had decreased steadily under President Obama/Trump. How important do you think reducing unemployment is? ^a	1=not at all important to 5=very important
3	Immigration	During the Trump/Obama presidency, more than 250,000 undocumented immigrants were deported each year. To what extent do you support Trump/Obama's plan of deporting more than 250,000 undocumented immigrants each year?	1=do not support at all to 5=support strongly ^b
4	Iran Sanctions	After perceived provocations, President Trump/Obama announced economic sanctions against Iran. To what extent do you support sanctions against Iran in response to provocations?	1=do not support at all to 5=strongly support
5	Hate Crimes	After a hate crime resulted in the death of several U.S. citizens in 2016/2018, President Obama/Trump said in a speech that it was an attack on all Americans. To what extent do you agree with President Obama/Trump that a hate crime committed in the United States constitutes an attack on all Americans?	1=strongly disagree to 5=strongly agree
6	Rapper Meeting	President Trump/Obama met with a controversial famous rapper to the white house. Some critics thought the meeting was inappropriate. To what extent do you think it is inappropriate for a controversial rapper to meet the president in the white house?	1=not at all inappropriate to 5=very inappropriate ^c
7	China Tariffs	President Obama/Trump set tariffs on China claiming that they do not play by the same economic rules as the rest of the world. To what extent do you agree with Obama/Trump that the US should put tariffs on China if they do not follow the same economic rules as the rest of the world?	1=strongly disagree to 5=strongly agree
8	Immigrants in Cells	The Trump/Obama administration has come under intense criticism from political opponents for keeping many immigrants, including children, in overcrowded holding cells. To what extent do you agree with his opponents that keeping immigrant children in overcrowded holding cells is a health concern and human rights violation?	1=strongly disagree to 5=strongly agree ^c
9	Drug Cost	At one point in Trump/Obama's presidency, he pursued a policy that would have likely resulted in some Americans paying less for certain prescription drugs. To what extent do you support Trump/Obama's plan of having the government intervene to lower prescription drug prices?	1=do not support at all to 5=strongly support
10	Opioid Epidemic	To help fight the opioid epidemic, President Trump/Obama devoted considerable financial resources to substance abuse research and prevention. Given that the federal budget is tightly constrained, to what extent do you support Trump/Obama's plan of increasing federal funding to help curb the opioid epidemic?	1=do not support at all, to 5=strongly support

Note. ^a We erroneously used 2016-2018 as the time frame under Trump, even though he did not assume office until 2017. We considered dropping this item but ultimately decided to keep it as we judged the error unlikely to influence results. ^b In the Trump frame, participants viewed “very important ” instead of “support strongly”. ^c Reverse-Scored for analyses, tables, and graphs. Values shown here are as they were presented to participants.

Table S3b. Obama and Trump citations

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