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53% PAKISTANIS THINK THAT ENGLISH SHOULD BE USED AS THE MEDIUM FOR HIGHER EDUCATION: GALLUP & GILANI PAKISTAN

53% پاکستانیوں کے مطابق اعلیٰ تعلیم کے لیے انگریزی زبان کو ذریعہ تعلیم کے طور پر استعمال کیا جانا چاہیے

Question: "Which language should be the medium of education for higher education?"



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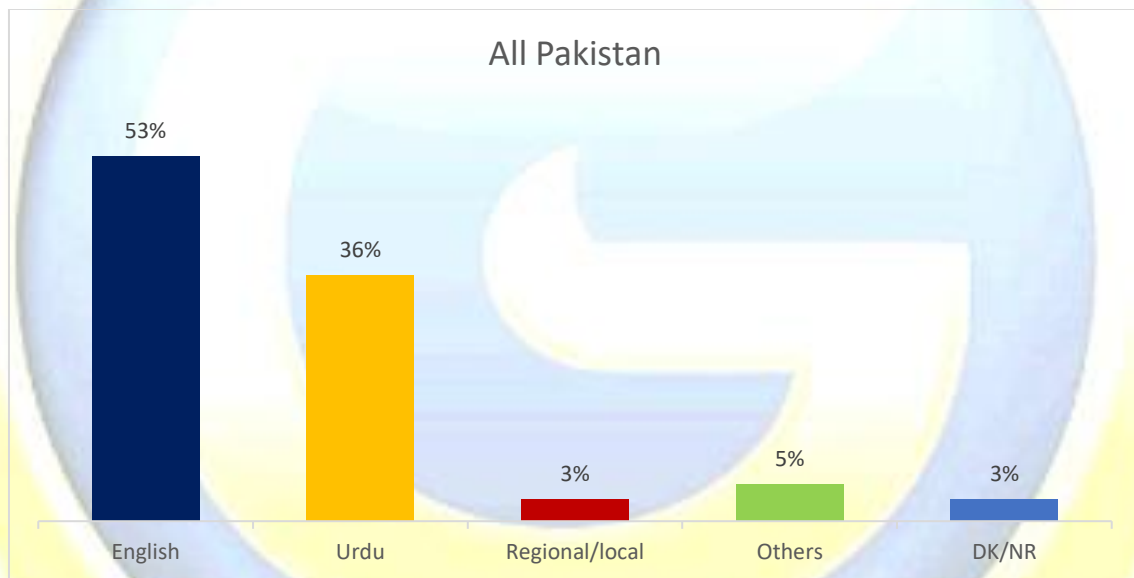
53% Pakistanis think that English should be used as the medium for higher education: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan

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According to a survey conducted by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, 53% Pakistanis think that English should be used as the medium for higher education.

A nationally representative sample of adult men and women from across the country was asked the question “Which language should be the medium of education for higher education?” In response, 36% said Urdu medium, 53% said English medium, 3% said regional/local, 5% said others and 3% did not respond or said that they did not know.

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Source: Gallup & Gilani Pakistan
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The study in Pakistan was conducted and released by Gilani Research Foundation and carried out by Gallup & Gilani Pakistan, the Pakistani affiliate of Gallup International. The recent survey was carried out among a sample of 1135 men and women in urban and rural areas of all four provinces of the country, during 14 to 22 March 2023. The error margin is estimated to be approximately $\pm 2-3$ percent at the 95% confidence level. The methodology used for data collection was telephonic surveys (CATI)



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If you have any further questions regarding this poll, please feel free to contact us.

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