

B2. [T]**Base=All****Single choice grid**

And, do you think the following are doing a good or bad job handling the coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic?

[ROWS – RANDOMIZE]

Prime Minister Justin Trudeau

Your provincial premier

The chief public health officer in your province

Canada's Chief Public Health Officer, Teresa Tam

The federal government generally

Your provincial government generally

Front-line health care, i.e. hospitals and doctors' clinics etc.

[COLUMNS]

Very good job

Good job

Bad job

Very bad job

Don't know/Can't say

WE Charity Scandal**[TEXT]**

Recently, there has been discussion about the relationship between the Trudeau government and an organization called WE Charity. WE Charity was given a now-cancelled multi-million contract to run student volunteer programs across the country.

It later emerged that Prime Minister Justin Trudeau and Finance Minister Bill Morneau both have family ties to the organization and neglected to remove themselves from discussions over awarding this contract. Both men have apologized for not doing this. They are both being investigated by the federal ethics commissioner.

QW1. [T]**Base=All****Single choice**

Based on what you've seen, read or heard, about this situation which view is closest to your own:

[ROTATE]

This issue is serious and significant

This issue has been overblown by the media and opposition parties

Not sure/Can't say

QW2. [T]

Base=All

Single choice

And again, based on what you've seen, read or heard, how would you assess what has come to light so far? In your own opinion, is what happened:

A simple mistake/error in judgement

An unethical decision, but not a criminal act

A possible criminal act that should be investigated by police

Not sure/Can't say

QW3.

Base=all

Single choice

Last week, both the co-founders of WE Charity, the Prime Minister, and his Chief of Staff answered questions from MPs who belong to a parliamentary committee looking into the issue. How closely did you follow these proceedings?

Followed it and discussed it with friends and family

Saw some media coverage and had the odd conversation about it

Just scanning the headlines

Hadn't heard anything about it until now

QW4.

Base = all but bottom choice in Qw3

Single choice

And based on what you've seen read or heard about the statements the WE Charity co-founders, the Prime Minister, and his Chief of Staff made to the MPs, which statement is closer to your own point of view:

[rotate]

We know what really happened now, all the relevant facts are out

More questions have been raised; there are more revelations to come

QW5. [T]

Base=All

Single choice

Putting aside your own views and feelings about this issue, and based on what you know right now, what impact – if any – do you think it will have on the current minority Liberal government:

Major impact – this could be the issue that ultimately brings down the Liberal government

Minor impact – it will embarrass the Liberal government but ultimately it will survive

No impact at all – this will all be forgotten in a matter of weeks