

Knowledge Gain (Based on All Available Items)

| Item | Before | After | Gain |
|---|--------|-------|----------|
| The EU | | | |
| Is the main decision-making body of the European Union the...? (Council of Ministers) | 10.1% | 23.6% | 13.5%*** |
| Only one of the following statements about the European Parliament is false. Which one is it? (It passes all EU laws) | 11.8 | 23.6 | 11.8*** |
| Is the European Union represented on the international stage by the...? (European Commission)† | 39.9 | 46.0 | 6.1* |
| Immigration | | | |
| Which of the following is true of Blue card workers? (They must have university education) | 6.6 | 30.5 | 23.9*** |
| Which of the following is true about the ways in which immigration policy is currently made? (The EU sets the basic rules about entry and residency requirements) | 22.1 | 46.8 | 24.7*** |
| Which of the following is true of the EU's immigrants? (Most illegal immigrants enter the EU legally but outstay their visas)† | 44.5 | 56.7 | 12.1*** |
| Climate Change | | | |
| The percentage of the EU's total energy consumption that comes from fossil fuels (coal, gas or oil) is about ...? (80%) | 22.4 | 30.2 | 7.8** |
| Which of the following produces the most greenhouse gases? (China) | 45.7 | 63.2 | 17.5*** |
| Which of the following is true about wind power in the European Union? (Wind power's share of EU energy consumption is increasing by about roughly 30% a year)† | 15.5 | 19.8 | 4.3* |
| Average when “before” = initial interview (6 items) | 19.8 | 36.3 | 16.5*** |
| Average when “before” = arrival (3 items) | 33.3 | 40.8 | 7.5*** |
| Average for EU (3 items) | 20.6 | 31.0 | 10.5*** |
| Average for Immigration (3 items) | 24.4 | 44.6 | 20.2*** |
| Average for Climate Change (3 items) | 27.9 | 37.7 | 9.9*** |

NOTE: Entries are percentages answering correctly. The correct answers are given in parentheses.

†Before = arrival rather than initial interview.

*significant at the .05 level; **significant at the .01 level, ***significant at the .001 level.