If the EU disappeared would anybody care? Is it taken for granted?

Would you miss the EU if it were gone?

- **France**: 72% (unconvinced)
- **Germany**: 60% (unconvinced)
- **Italy**: 67% (unconvinced)
- **The UK**: 63% (unconvinced)
- **Poland**: 58% (would miss it)

The only country where a majority of the population would miss the EU.

The Greta effect

What are the priorities for European citizens?

1. **Climate change**
2. **Global peace**
3. **Jobs & skills**

What is the most divisive issue?

Younger and older generations disagree about the importance of securing Europe’s borders. 22% of young people see this as a top priority, compared to 33% of the older generation.
A message to Ursula

“Strengthening a European identity” is NOT among the top ten priorities for citizens, only 18% of all citizens selected it.

Citizens want the EU to solve these inequalities:

- Safety & security
- Healthcare
- Income & wealth

Nearly half (45%) of all citizens want a more direct say in the EU’s decisions – only 6% want to be less involved.

An online voting and debating platform on EU-wide policies

According to citizens, the best way to involve them in EU decision-making would be....

To: Ursula von der Leyen
From: European citizens
Subject: The future of Europe