

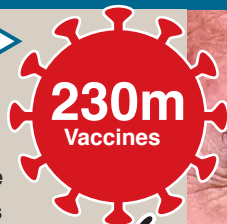
President Biden's first 100 days



COVID-19

▶ President **Joe Biden** promised 100 million shots in Americans' arms by first 100 days in office

Over 230m vaccines have now been given and around 96 million people – 29% of population – are fully vaccinated



FEDERAL SPENDING

▶ **American Rescue Plan**: \$1.9 trillion pandemic relief bill

▶ **American Jobs Plan**: \$2.3 trillion infrastructure and job-creation scheme

▶ **American Families Plan**: \$1.8 trillion

IMMIGRATION

▶ Biden reversed some of **Donald Trump's** hard-line policies but has struggled to deal with sharp rise in arrival of migrants at Mexico border

He pledged to increase number of refugees allowed into U.S. but stuck with Trump's historically low ceiling of 15,000 for 2021



Joe Biden

11

Bills signed into law

42

Executive orders

62

Trump orders reversed

589

Tweets

Biden is averaging six tweets per day, compared to around 18 times per day for Trump as president until his account was suspended in January



CLIMATE CHANGE

▶ Rejoined 2015 **Paris Agreement** and set goal to halve emissions from 2005 levels, nearly doubling **Barack Obama's** target

GUN CONTROL

▶ Biden has called for broad legal changes, including ban on military-style assault weapons and crackdown on "ghost" guns

He has stepped back from

pledge to launch oversight commission to deal with excessive police violence



FOREIGN POLICY

▶ **Russia**: Biden has imposed sanctions in response to Moscow's meddling in 2020 elections and has called President **Vladimir Putin** "a killer"

▶ **Iran**: Refused to lift Trump-era sanctions as condition for getting Tehran involved in direct talks over its nuclear programme

▶ **China**: Kept Trump's trade tariffs, and ratcheted up pressure on Beijing over Taiwan and Hong Kong, as well as treatment of Uyghurs in Xinjiang province