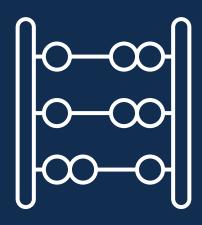


Census 2020

DID YOU KNOW?

The U.S. Census dates back to the creation of the United States. Article 1, Section 2 of the Constitution describes this process. The first Census took place in 1790, was led by Thomas Jefferson, and contained six questions. From 1790 onward, a Census to count people living in the U.S. was mandated for every ten years.



How Does the Census Work?



- THE CENSUS COUNTS EVERYONE LIVING IN ALL 50 U.S. STATES AND 5 U.S. TERRITORIES.
- IT IS CONDUCTED BY THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU.
- EVERYONE LIVING IN THE U.S. IS BOUND BY LAW TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CENSUS.

WHY IS THE CENSUS IMPORTANT?

The Census provides data about your community. Census data allows the federal government to allocate billions of dollars in funding to schools, hospitals, highways, and other resources. The Census determines how many seats each state has in the U.S. House of Representatives, as well as how congressional and state legislative districts are drawn.









Your responses to the 2020 Census are safe, secure, and protected by federal law.

YOUR RESPONSES
ARE CONFIDENTIAL

How can I participate in the Census?







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