



# EDUCATOR FACT SHEET

CALIFORNIA COMPLETE COUNT - CENSUS 2020 OFFICE



## What You Need to Know About the Census

Every 10 years, people in California and across the country fill out the Census in order to have an accurate count of every person living in the United States. The Census influences California's federal funding for important community services that support our families and determines congressional representation for the next decade.

## Why is the 2020 Census Important for Educators?

Census data helps determine how federal dollars are allocated to Title I schools and programs such as migrant education, school nutrition, and English as a Second Language.

The 2020 Census will help decide how billions of dollars of federal funding for programs reach our families. Your answers will help determine funding for dozens of programs that provide essential resources to Californians.

Scan the QR codes to download the Census Partner toolkit and the K-12 Schools toolkit to learn more or visit <http://bit.ly/censusPToolkit> or <http://bit.ly/censusK12>



**Complete your  
2020 Census Form  
Starting March 2020!**



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For more information [CaliforniaCensus.org](http://CaliforniaCensus.org)

# 2020 CENSUS KEY DATES



## March 2020

Census notices are mailed or delivered to households.



## April 1, 2020 CENSUS DAY!



## May - July 2020

Census takers visit households that have not completed the questionnaire

## Census is Fast, Easy & Secure!

For the first time in history, the Census can be completed in three ways. By law (Title 13, U.S. Code), the U.S. Census Bureau cannot share an individual's answers with anyone or allow it to be used to determine eligibility for government benefits.

 **Online** - <https://my2020census.gov/>  
Internet Self-Response.

 **Phone** - **844-330-2020 (English)**  
Telephone Census questionnaire assistance.

 **Paper**  
Paper Census questionnaire option that is sent by mail.

## DID YOU KNOW?

Our children and grandchildren's future depend on getting an accurate Census count. When children are counted, their schools get their fair share of funding and resources.

The 2020 Census data will inform the health and wellness of our families and neighborhoods. By filling out the census form, your data influences where new hospitals are built and improvements to our health programs.

Census data is used by businesses to decide where to invest and create jobs. Filling out the Census makes sure that we and our loved ones, neighbors, and communities get a fair shot at these business resources.

Participating in the Census fulfills your civic duty and helps our families and communities in California for the next 10 years.

***Your response to the Census 2020 counts towards important benefits for your loved ones, neighbors, and communities across California! Everyone counts.***

