

WHY IS THE CENSUS IMPORTANT?

Here is why you need to fill out the 2020 Census!

WHO COUNTS?



Everyone living in the United States regardless of citizenship status!

WHAT IS THE CENSUS?

The Census is mandated by the U.S. Constitution. Every 10 years, everyone needs to be counted. The Census helps the federal government to distribute the money necessary to the states.



BENEFITS FROM THE CENSUS



Education

California utilized about **\$1.7 billion** in Title I Grants, which benefit students from different levels of education.



Medicaid

California utilizes nearly **\$35 billion** of the total Federal funding for Medi-Cal including Emergency Medi-Cal



Infrastructure

The Department of Transportation receives about **\$3.2 billion** in Federal funding for highways and construction



DID YOU KNOW?

California receives about **\$115 billion** for its annual budget. It is over **80%** of the total federal funds that California receives!

IMPORTANT DATES

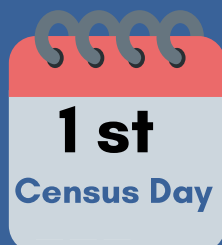
MARCH



March 12-20th

Household will get instructions in the mail on how to answer to the 2020 Census
You can answer **online**, by **mail**, or by **phone**

APRIL



Time to respond to the 2020 Census form!
Census will visit people living under dwellings, such as students living on campus and senior centers

MAY-JULY



Census employees will visit households that have not responded to the 2020 Census online, by mail, or by phone.
Remember: the Census will **never** ask for you **Social Security** or **Bank information**

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