

THE 2020 CENSUS: WHERE TO LEARN MORE

Almost any question can be answered with this search:

[your question] 2020 site:census.gov

EG: where are college students counted 2020 site:census.gov

Result: 2020 Census resident criteria: <https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/decennial-census/2020-census/about/residence-rule.html>

<https://www.brennancenter.org/issues/2020-census> My go-to site, part of New York University. Includes Census 101, Litigation, Citizenship Question, and Confidentiality of Census Response

<http://www.ala.org/advocacy/govinfo/census> The American Library Association is deeply committed to a complete count, so this site goes beyond “just library” information.

<https://www.npr.org/2019/03/31/707899218/what-you-need-to-know-about-the-2020-census>
Summary of basic points.

For a deeper dive:

The Census Bureau website is enormous. Here are links to some basic material.

- [2020 Census](#) (U.S. Census Bureau)
- [2020 Census Operational Timeline](#) (U.S. Census Bureau)
- [Complete Count Committees](#) (U.S. Census Bureau)
- [Census Regional Offices](#) – to contact the Census Bureau staff in your community (U.S. Census Bureau)
- [How Census Bureau protects your security](#): description of privacy and data security.

See a listing of \$29,208,978,056 (29 Billion) federal dollars that came to Michigan in FY2016 here: https://gwipp.gwu.edu/sites/g/files/zaxdzs2181/f/downloads/IPP-1819-3%20CountingforDollars_MI.pdf

The Michigan Non-profit Association (MNA) <https://becountedmi2020.com/> wants to be sure everyone is counted. Sue Smith has served on the group working for a complete count. For example a number of downloadable resources are here: <https://becountedmi2020.com/resources/> This site should grow as the group develops more material.

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