

United States® Census 2020

Classrooms Powered by Census Data

Statistics in Schools brings school subjects to life using real-world Census Bureau statistics to create materials for use year after year at all grade levels.



4 Great Tips for Using SIS in the Classroom

We're back! This time we're providing four tips for using census materials in your classroom to engage students and supplement your existing lesson plans:

1. Use the teachers' guides that Statistics in Schools (SIS) provides for most activities. [Census.gov/schools](https://www.census.gov/schools) prominently displays these

teacher versions, which include best practices and ways to tailor activities to any educational setting.

2. Need something short? Use our five-minute, data-centered [warm-up activities](#) to jump-start your class or spark your students' interest in a particular subject.
3. Use [maps](#) to help students visualize data.
4. Know which of the [online tools for accessing census data](#) are best for students at your grade level.

You can find even more resources at [census.gov/schools](https://www.census.gov/schools), including videos, games, and data visualizations. Check them out, and we'll be back in touch soon!

Explore SIS



Teacher-designed. Teachers helped create and review each activity to make sure it is valuable and engaging.



Easy to use. Materials are free, easily customized, and supportive of existing lesson plans.



Valuable. SIS enhances learning, boosts statistical literacy, and prepares students for a data-driven world.

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About Statistics in Schools

We provide more than 100 activities that you can use to enhance and invigorate learning in many subjects. New activities, designed specifically for the 2019-2020 school year, spotlight the 2020 Census and the importance of making sure everyone is counted, especially children.

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