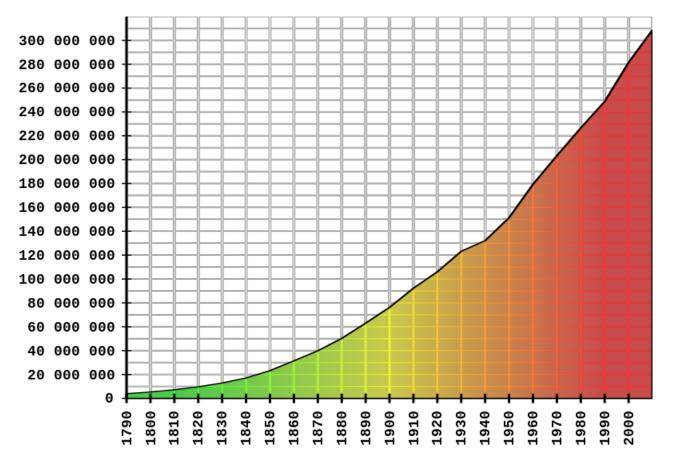
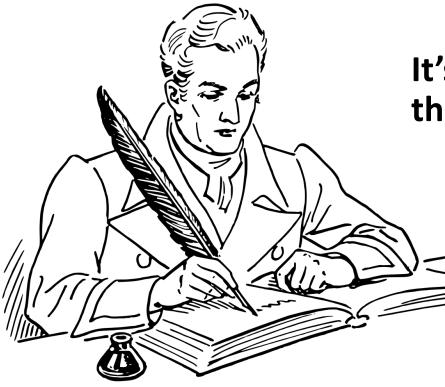
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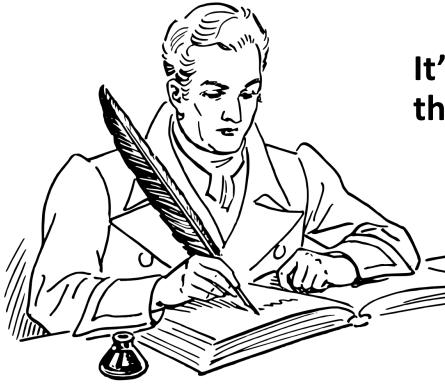
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Every 10 years a count is made of EVERYONE in the country – legally in country or not, English speaking or not, 1 day old of 100 years old.





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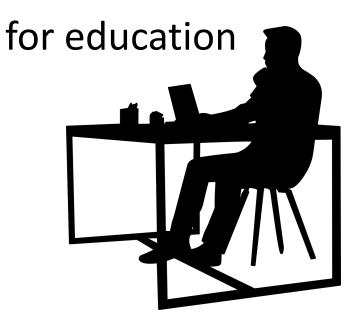


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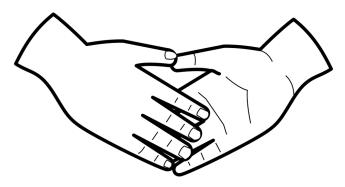


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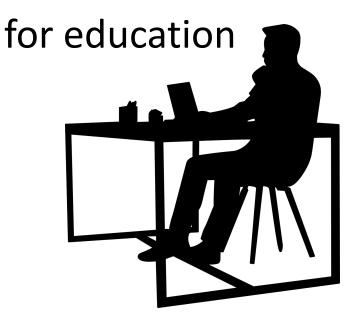
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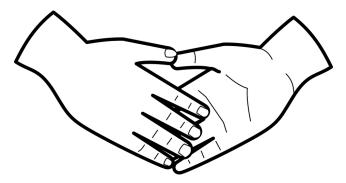
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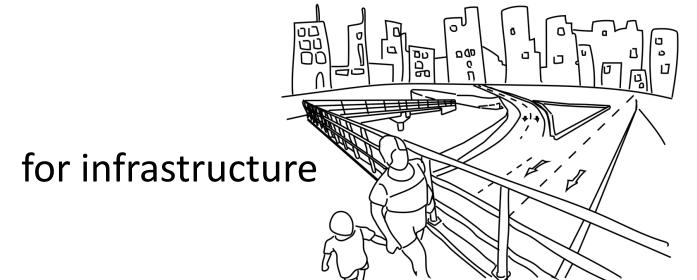


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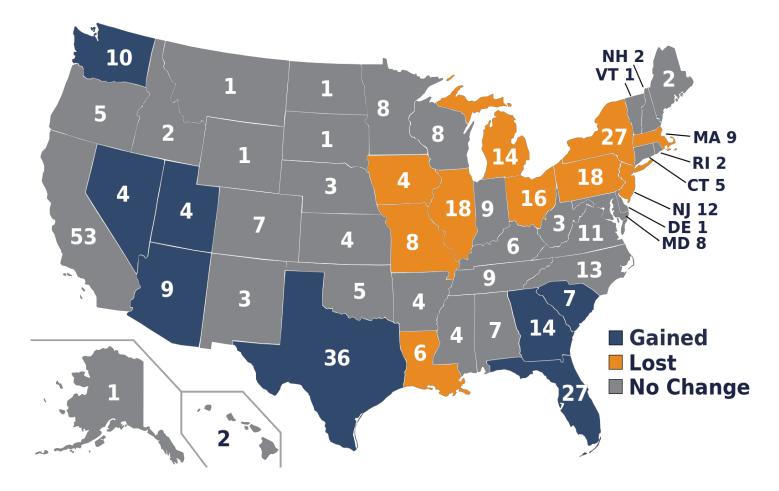


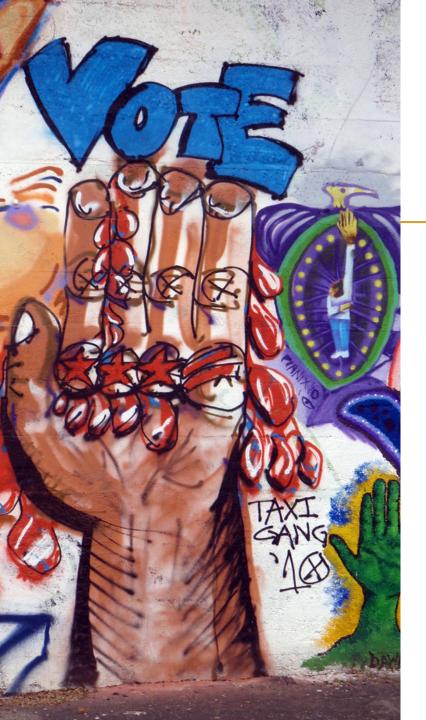
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It also determines representation in Congress and the number of votes in the Electoral College.





## Why are we asking for your help?

- It is part of your civic responsibility. You will be voters soon.
- You can explain the FACTS to families and community.
- It's especially important to Michigan – we could lose another Congressperson

#### What questions are on the 2020 Census?

#### On April 1, 2020

- How many people are living or staying at your home?
- Is the home is owned or rented?
- What is the sex of each person in your home?
- What is the age of each person in your home?
- What is the race of each person in your home?
- Is anyone in your home is of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin.
- What is the relationship of each person in home?

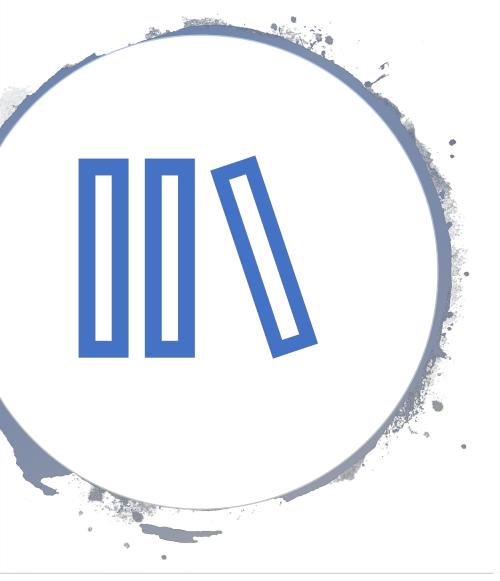
## The Census will not ask...

- Your immigration status
- For your Social Security number
- For your political preferences
- For any money

## DAFT is sponsoring a special PSA award for promoting the Census.

- Same entry deadline as MSFF
- Entry fee waived for Census PSAs
- \$200 cash award

#### Lots of online resources are available:



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