New Statistics in Schools
Pre-K Materials

Shape the future for our children. Start here. As an educator or education supporter, you are always striving to do your part to create a brighter future for children. There are many ways you do that, and in 2020 there is one big way you can help: support efforts to make sure every child is counted in the 2020 Census, because you know that every child is a part of our community. You can provide that support through the U.S. Census Bureau’s Statistics in Schools (SIS) program.

The 2020 Census SIS program features materials that underscore the importance of everyone being counted in the 2020 Census. An accurate count of ALL children is critical for educators and their students because 2020 Census responses drive decisions about the distribution of federal funds for programs such as special education, teacher training, technology, school lunch assistance, Head Start, and after-school programs.

Coming Soon for Pre-K Students:

- A storybook with activities uses an interactive narrative to teach children what the 2020 Census is and why it is important that everyone be counted, especially children.

- A three-part video series brings concepts about the 2020 Census to life and guides children through counting their own household, their communities, and everyone in the country.

- A sing-along video introduces preschoolers to the concept of the 2020 Census with an engaging sing-along that is fun for the classroom and at home!

- Interactive activities with accompanying teacher guides cover topics such as counting, colors, and animals.

Visit the SIS website at www.census.gov/schools/about/contact.html and sign up for the Statistics in Schools newsletter to stay up to date on all the key events and new materials that will be released during the 2019-2020 school year.