

5 Census Activities YOU CAN DO AT HOME



#1. TAKE THE CENSUS MAKE AN I COUNT SIGN

Complete the Census on my2020census.gov.
Then, tell us why you matter!

- Write a sign that says
"We Count because _____"
or "I Count because _____"
and tell us the reason why you completed the Census.
- You can also use the signs attached in this document on pages 2 and 3.
- Take a selfie or picture of your family with the sign.
- Share the photo with IAFC on Facebook, Instagram, Linked In or Twitter
[@IAFC_Cares](https://www.facebook.com/IAFC_Cares).



#2. READ A STORY

Download the storybook
Everybody Counts at www.census.gov/schools/resources/games/story-book.html

- Read with the people at home.
- Host a LiveStory time
To read on Facebook Live:
 - Click "Live Video" from your Create post box on your Facebook news feed.
 - Use your built-in camera.
 - Add a title for the video.
 - Click "Go Live."
- **To read on Instagram Live**
 - Open your Instagram.
 - Click "Your Story" top left.
 - Click "Live" feature to start.
- Share a video or photo
[@IAFC_Cares](https://www.facebook.com/IAFC_Cares) on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.



#3. DRAW YOUR FAMILY TREE

Draw Your Family Tree!

- With your family, draw or create a family tree.
- The leaves of the family represent each person in your household.
- On the trunk of the tree, write the number of people that live in your house!
- Share photos of family trees with Illinois Action for Children on social media
[@IAFC_Cares](https://www.facebook.com/IAFC_Cares).



#4. SEND A CENSUS REMINDER

Remind people! You too can be a part of mailing out reminders to family and friends.

- Together as a family or with other people in your home write a letter, postcard or an email and send to family and friends to remind them to complete the Census.
- Share your letters with Illinois Action for Children
[@IAFC_Cares](https://www.facebook.com/IAFC_Cares) on Facebook, Instagram or Twitter.

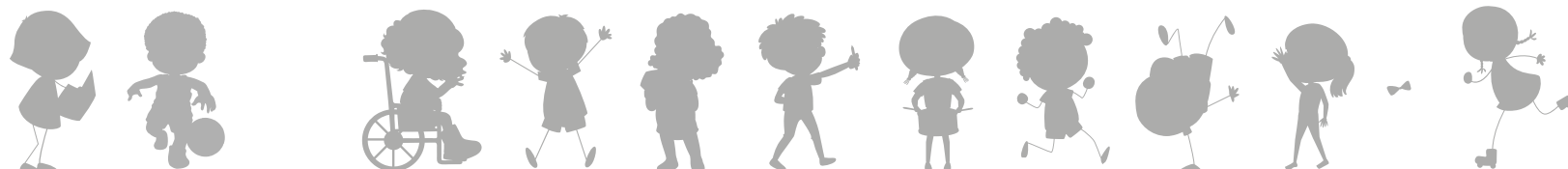


#5. CENSUS DANCE-OFF!

Create a Dance Video about the Census!

- Create a funny video that promotes the Census — be creative!
- Use TikTok
 - Click the "+" button.
 - Set up the timer, speed, your filters and effects.
 - Long press the red button to start shooting.
 - Choose one piece of music for the video.
 - When you're done, press the red check to go to the editing page. Here you can add more music or make changes.
- Use your device's camera.
- Share your video
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I count because:



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