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# SOUTHERN ARIZONA WEEKLY

ALL NEWS AND UPDATES FROM SOUTHERN ARIZONA  
FOR THE 2020 CENSUS

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*"HELP! There is a person in my neighborhood claiming to be a Census employee when it's not Census time yet."*

## A few things to remember:

- \* The US Census Bureau is the data collection agency of the country.
- \* The Census Bureau conducts more than 100 surveys of households and businesses throughout the year
- \* At any given time, a Census employee might be knocking on doors in your community.

To verify that a visitor to your household is legitimate, you can confirm that he or she is a Census Bureau employee by entering his or her name into the Census Bureau Staff Search or by contacting the Regional Office for your state. Our field staff will always show a valid Census Bureau ID and a copy of the letter we sent you.

We will **never** ask for:

- \* your full social security number
- \* money or donations
- \* anything on behalf of a political party
- \* your full bank or credit card account numbers

## National Hispanic Heritage Month:

Sept 15- Oct 15, 2018

In September 1968, Congress authorized President Lyndon B.

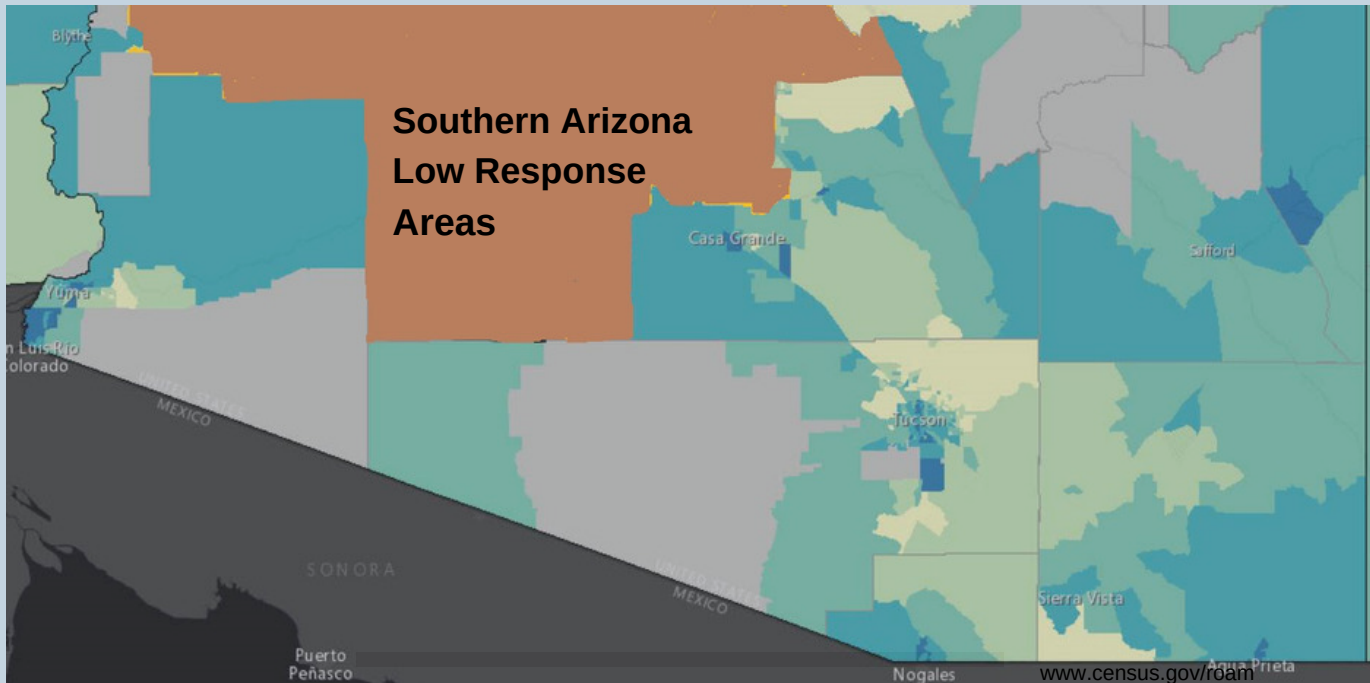
Johnson to proclaim National Hispanic Heritage Week, observed during the week that included Sept. 15 and 16. In 1988, Congress expanded the observance to a month long celebration.

Sept. 15 is the starting point for the celebration because it is the anniversary of independence of five Latin American countries: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras and Nicaragua. In addition, Mexico, Chile and Belize celebrate their independence days on Sept. 16, 18 and 21, respectively. Also, Columbus Day falls within the celebration month on Oct. 12.

## COMPLETE COUNT COMMITTEE CORNER:

The importance of forming a CCC is shown on this map.

The Response Outreach Area Mapper (ROAM) predicts certain areas will be hard-to-count. The darker shades tell us which areas will be more likely to NOT RESPOND to the Census. Forming a CCC and implementing a data driven outreach plan will help your community produce a complete and accurate count.



## Counting Young Children in the 2020 Census

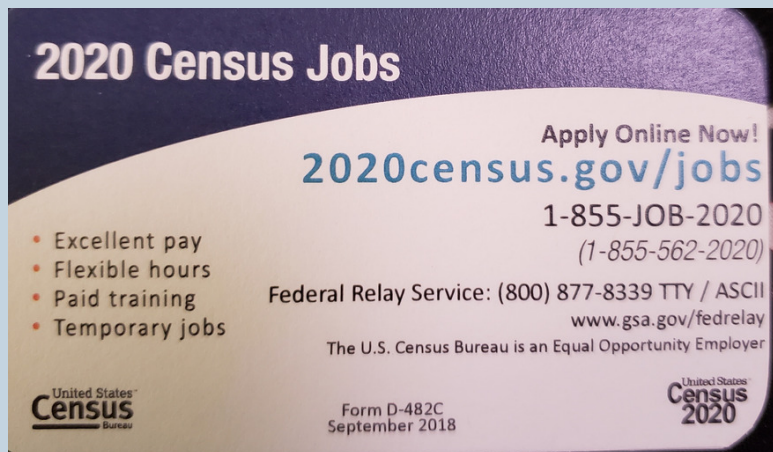


The child splits time between two homes.

The child lives or stays with another family or with another relative such as a grandparent.

- Emphasize that the census counts everyone where they live and sleep most of the time, even if the living arrangement is temporary or the parents of the child do not live there.
- If the child truly spends equal amounts of time between two homes, count them where they stayed on Census Day, April 1. Coordinate with the other parent or caregiver, if possible, so the child is not counted at both homes.
- If it's not clear where the child lives or sleeps most of the time, count them where they stayed on Census Day, April 1.

## 2020 Census Large Scale Recruiting Efforts for Field and Local Office Positions



A large scale recruiting effort will be performed to fill outreach and office positions, including Recruiting Assistant, Office Operations Supervisor, and Clerk positions.

Recruiting Assistants will be hired to start in January in the following Southern Arizona counties

- Cochise County (1)
- Pima County (2)
- Pinal County (2)
- Yuma County (1)

# Census Office Opening

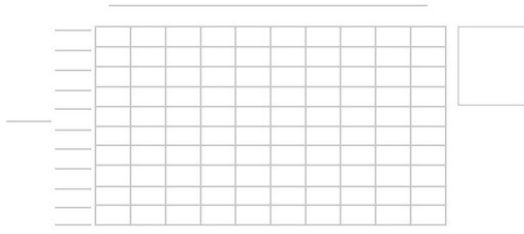
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Here is an example of an activity teachers can use to engage students about statistics and the Census!

IMMIGRATION NATION STUDENT VERSION

3. Now use all of the data from **Item 1** to make a line graph with four different lines. Each line should show a region where people used to live before moving to the United States in every year between 2000 and 2010. Again, look at the numbers in the data to help you create a good scale.



4. What scale did you use for your line graph? Why?

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