# **Worksheet: What is the Census?**

### Task 1

What do these words mean?

You can:



use your bilingual dictionary



• ask your classmates for help.

Write notes here

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Word		Your language	
	confidential		
1 2 3	count		
Plan	plan		
	education		
Law	law		
	must		
	form		
	every		

## Task 2



Find the words from task 1 in the text below.



Highlight them.

#### **The Census**



The Census counts every person in Australia.



It will be on Tuesday, 10 August 2021.



You must take part in the Census.

The form asks:



• How old are you?



• Where do you live?



• What language do you speak?

It also asks about your:



work



- education
- and more.

#### Is it confidential?



Yes. The Census is confidential.

The information you write on the form does **not** go to:



police



Department of Home Affairs



• Australian Taxation Office



• family, housing or community services



• Department of Social Services



• Department of Employment, Skills, Small and Family Business



• Services Australia (Centrelink).



This is the law.

### Can I get help?



Yes, you can get help with the Census form.

There will be:



• information in different languages



• a phone number you can call.



You can ask friends and family for help too.

## Task 3



Read and discuss the text from task 2.



Your teacher can help.

### Task 4



Fill in the gaps.



Choose from the word bank.

Word bank			
every	old	help	
live	language	confidential	



The Census counts every person In Australia.

It asks:



• how \_\_ d you are



where you I\_\_\_\_\_\_,



• what I \_\_\_\_\_\_ you speak

• and more.



The information you write on the form is c\_\_\_\_\_\_.



You can get h \_\_\_\_\_ with the Census form.