



# Census

## Why the Census matters

'Our Story. Our Future.' was created by proud Wiradjuri, Wotjobaluk, Yuin and Gumbaynggirr artist **Luke Penrith** and Maluiligal people, Badu Island artist **Naseli Tamwoy**.



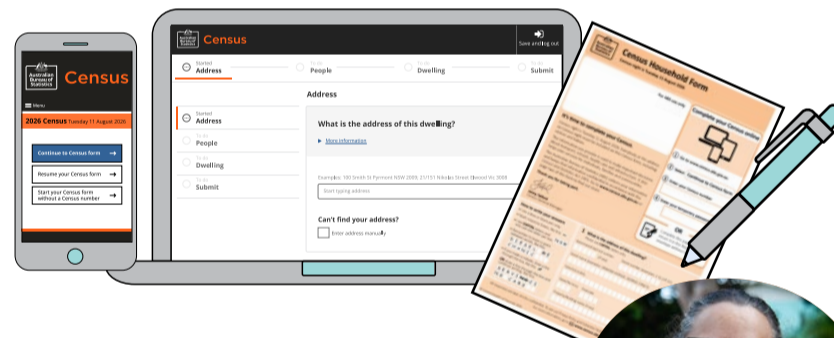
Having the right numbers...



means the right services can be planned for our communities.



Complete the Census because every answer matters.



Complete online, by paper form or with help from us.



### Example questions

Your personal information is kept safe and can't be shared with any other government agency.

#### Question

Name of each person including visitors who spent the night of Tuesday 11 August 2026 in this dwelling. Include all adults, children, babies and visitors.

Person 1

Mum's name

Person 2

Dad's name

Person 3

Nan's name

Person 4

Uncle's name

Person 5

Baby's name

Person 6

Cousin's name

#### Question

Is the person of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin?

- Yes, Aboriginal
- Yes, Torres Strait Islander
- Yes, both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander



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