

Let's Count!

What is the census?





Who has heard
of the **census**?

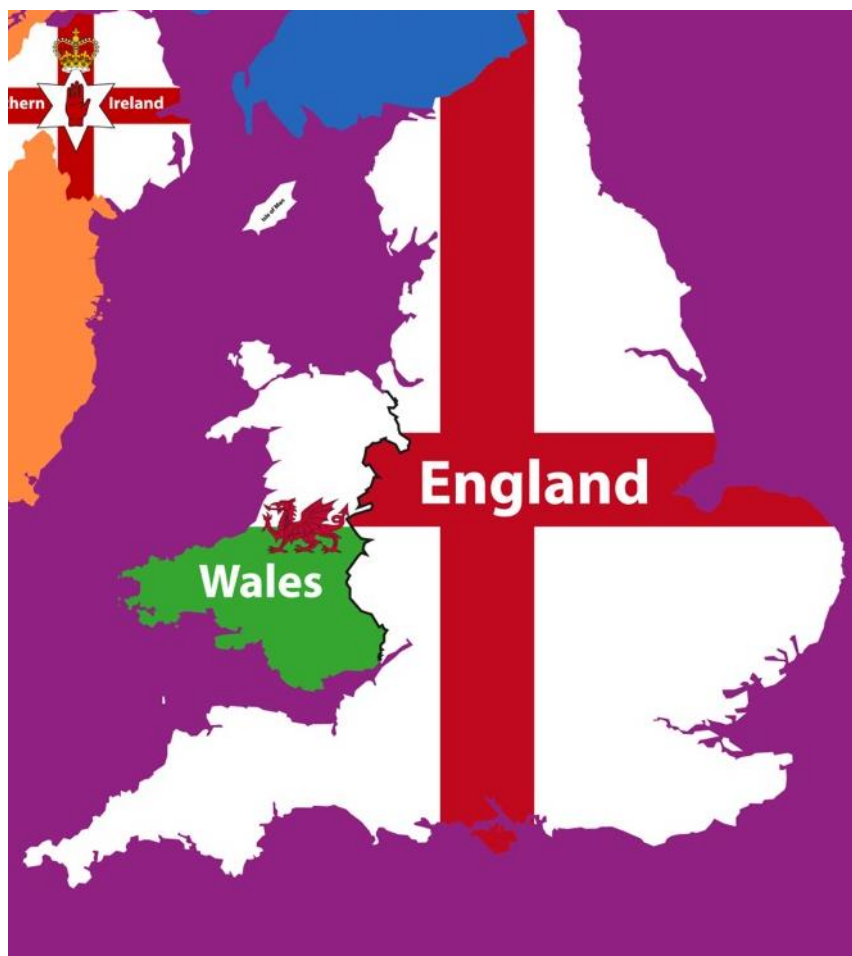
Who knows what
the **census** is?



Here's a clue...

Mary and Joseph went
back to Bethlehem for
the **census**.

Can you remember why?



The census is a count of all households in England and Wales.

It is unique because it covers everyone at the same time and asks the same questions everywhere.

It has happened every 10 years since 1801 (apart from in 1941 due to the Second World War).

Yesterday (21.3.21) your grown-ups will have completed it. Before that it was done in 2011 and before that 2001 and so on.



It asks lots of questions such as:

- 🐾 Where do people live?
- 🐾 What jobs do they do?
- 🐾 Which languages do they speak?
- 🐾 How many cars do they own?



Why does the census ask these questions?

The census asks all these questions so that we know how many people there are.



How does the census help us?

The census helps us make sure there are enough things like schools and hospitals in the places where people will need them.



What if there wasn't a park near school?

The Government could use information gathered from the census to develop more safe outdoor spaces for children to use.



What if there wasn't a swimming pool in Wakefield?

The Government could use information gathered from the census to spend money on the right facilities.



Today we're going to look at how we can have our voices heard at school.

We're going to do this by asking your **opinion** about the things that matter to you most in Uppers!





What is your favourite area of Uppers?

Role Play	
Creative Station	
Construction	
Technology	
Outside	
Other	



Let's think about our lives today...

- 🐾 What would you want a child in the future to know?
- 🐾 How can we make sure they find out?

Let's create a time capsule!

Thank You



<https://www.artsy.net/news/artsy-editorial-damien-hirst-created-new-work-support-uks-national-health-service>

- 🐾 We are going to make our very own collaborative rainbow mosaic to represent what 2021 has meant to us.

