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Message from the Chief Statistician of Canada

The census paints a portrait of Canada's population and the places where we live. It provides high-quality information for communities across the country and is used to plan services that support employment, education and health care.

Preparations for the next census have begun, and Statistics Canada is seeking your participation in this important test.

By law, every person must complete a 2019 Census Test questionnaire. Your answers are collected under the authority of the Statistics Act and will be kept strictly confidential.

Statistics Canada employs a number of mechanisms to manage the response burden on Canadians by using existing administrative data sources such as immigration records and personal income tax and benefit data. For more information, please visit our website at www.census.gc.ca/about.

The information that you provide will be used by Statistics Canada for statistical purposes.

Be part of this new portrait of Canada and complete your census questionnaire today.

Thank you for your co-operation.

[Handwritten signature of Anil Arora]

Anil Arora
Chief Statistician of Canada

FOR INFORMATION ONLY

ANY QUESTIONS?

- www.census.gc.ca
• Call us free of charge at 1-855-850-2019
• TTY: 1-833-830-3109

Complete your census questionnaire:

- Please print using CAPITAL LETTERS.
• Mark circles with "X".

STEP A

1. What is your telephone number? [Form with three sets of boxes]

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2. What is the address where you received this questionnaire?

Number (and suffix, if applicable) (e.g., 302, 151 B, 16 1/2)

[Form for address number]

Street name, street type (e.g., DR = Drive), direction (e.g., N=North)

Apartment/unit/room

[Form for street name]

[Form for apartment/unit/room]

City, municipality, town, village, Indian reserve

Province/territory

Postal code

[Form for city]

[Form for province]

[Form for postal code]

3. What is the mailing address of this dwelling, if different from above?

(e.g., Rural Route, PO Box, General Delivery)

[Form for mailing address]

This information is collected under the authority of the Statistics Act, R.S.C. 1985, c. S-19.



STEP B

What is your **name**?

Family name(s)

Given name(s)

The following questions refer to each person's situation on **May 14, 2019**.

STEP C

If you are:

- a **Canadian citizen**
- a **landed immigrant** (permanent resident)
- a person who has claimed **refugee status** (asylum seeker) in Canada
- a person from **another country** with a **work** or **study permit**

Continue with step D

If you are:

- a resident of **another country** visiting Canada, for example, on vacation or on a business trip
- a government representative of **another country**

Mark "X" the circle

STOP HERE and see instructions in **step E** on **page 5**.

STEP D

Is this your **main residence**?

- Yes
- No, but I have no other residence **in Canada**
- No, it is somewhere else **in Canada**

Continue with question 1 a) on the next page

↓ **Specify complete address**

Number (and suffix, if applicable) (e.g., 302, 151 B, 16 1/2)

Street name, street type (e.g., DR = Drive), direction (e.g., N = North)

Apartment/unit

City, municipality, town, village, Indian reserve

Province/territory

Postal code

Telephone number

↳ **STOP HERE.**


You should be included on the household questionnaire for the above address. See instructions in **step E** on **page 5**.



1 a) Is there any **other address** in Canada where someone may include you on the census form for that household?

For example, at the home of a parent, relative or friend, or a place where you live while working, or a vacation home.

No

 **Go to question 2**

Yes



Specify complete address

Number (and suffix, if applicable) (e.g., 302, 151 B, 16 1/2)

Street name, street type (e.g., DR = Drive), direction (e.g., N = North)

Apartment/unit

City, municipality, town, village, Indian reserve

Province/territory

Postal code

Telephone number

b) Please give the name of **another adult** (if any) living at this other address.

Family name(s)

Given name(s)

No other adult

2 What was your **sex at birth**?

Sex refers to sex assigned at birth.

Male

Female

3 What is your **gender**?

Refers to current gender which may be different from sex assigned at birth and may be different from what is indicated on legal documents.

Male

Female

Or please specify your gender

4 What are your **date of birth** and **age**?

If the exact date of birth is not known, enter the best estimate. For children less than 1 year old, enter 0 for age.

Day

Month

Year

Age

5 What is your **marital status**?

Mark "X" one circle only.

Never legally married

Legally married (and not separated)

Separated, but still legally married

Divorced

Widowed

6 Are you living with a **common-law** partner?

Common-law refers to two people who live together as a couple but who are not married, regardless of the duration of the relationship.

Yes

No



7 What is your **status** here (at the address you entered on the front cover)?

Mark “” or specify one response only.

- Resident under care or custody (e.g., patient, inmate)
- Roommate, lodger or boarder
- Employee
- Employee’s family member

Other status — specify:

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8 Can you speak English or French well enough to conduct a conversation?

Mark “” one circle only.

- Yes, English only
- Yes, French only
- Yes, both English and French
- No (neither English nor French)

9 a) What language(s) do you speak **on a regular basis** at home?

- English
- French

Other language(s) — specify:

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If you indicate only one language in question 9 a), go to question 10.

b) Of these languages, which one do you speak **most often** at home?

Indicate more than one language **only** if they are **spoken equally** at home.

- English
- French

Other language — specify:

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10 What is the language that you **first learned** at home **in childhood** and **still understand**?

Please report two languages or more **only** if those languages were **learned at the same time** at home **before you started school**.

If you no longer understand the first language learned, indicate the second language learned.

- English
- French

Other language — specify:

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11 Have you ever served in the Canadian military?

Canadian military service includes service with the Regular Force or Primary Reserve Force as an Officer or Non-Commissioned Member. It does not include service with the Cadets (COATS), the Supplementary Reserve or the Canadian Rangers.

Mark “” one circle only.

- Yes, currently serving in the Regular Force or the Primary Reserve Force
- Yes, but no longer serving in the Regular Force or the Primary Reserve Force
- No



STEP E

You have now completed your questionnaire.

Please see instructions on the envelope.

Thank you for your co-operation.

THE LAW PROTECTS WHAT YOU TELL US

The confidentiality of your responses is protected by law. All Statistics Canada employees have taken an oath of secrecy. Your personal information cannot be given to anyone outside Statistics Canada without your consent. This is your right.

REASONS WHY WE ASK THE QUESTIONS

Steps A to D and question 1 are used to collect contact information and determine who should be included on the questionnaire. They help us ensure that we have counted everyone we need to count and that no one is counted twice.

Questions 2 to 7 provide information about the living arrangements of people in Canada, the family size, the number of children living with one parent or two parents, and the number of people who live alone. This information is used for planning social programs, such as Old Age Security and the Canada Child Benefit. It is also used by municipalities to plan a variety of services such as day care centres, schools, police, fire protection and residences for seniors.

Questions 8 to 10 are used to provide a profile of the linguistic diversity of Canada's population. This information is used to estimate the need for services in English and French, and to better understand the current state and the evolution of Canada's various language groups.

Question 11 provides information on the number of people with Canadian military experience. Governments can use this information to develop programs and services to meet the changing needs of the veteran population.



