

## Selected Census 2000 Short Form Questions

1. What is this person's sex?

- Male
- Female

2. What is this person's age and date of birth? (Print numbers in boxes)

Age on April 1, 2000

Month of Birth

Day of Birth

Year of Birth

Note: Please answer BOTH questions 3 and 4.

3. Is this person Spanish/Hispanic/Latino?

- No, not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino
- Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano
- Yes, Puerto Rican
- Yes, Cuban
- Yes, other Spanish/Hispanic/Latino — Print group below ↴

4. What is this person's race? Mark one or more races to indicate what this person considers himself/herself to be.

- White
- Black, African American, or Negro
- American Indian or Alaska Native — Print name of enrolled or principal tribe below ↴

- Asian Indian
- Chinese
- Filipino
- Other Asian — Print race below ↴
- Japanese
- Korean
- Vietnamese

- Native Hawaiian
- Guamanian or Chamorro
- Samoan
- Other Pacific Islander — Print race below ↴

- Some other race — Print race below ↴

View the Census 2000 questionnaire on the U.S. Census Bureau Web site ([www.census.gov](http://www.census.gov)).

## Additional Resources



### Web sites

**U.S. Census Bureau ([www.census.gov](http://www.census.gov)).** The source for information on people, business, and geography. This site offers census news, maps, tools to build your own data tables, and more.

**50 States & Capitals ([www.50states.com](http://www.50states.com)).** Visit here for all kinds of official state information, such as state bird, state song, government representatives, and more.

**U.S. House of Representatives ([www.house.gov](http://www.house.gov)).** This site offers up-to-date reports of House events and an opportunity to identify and contact House Representatives.

**Map Man ([www.scholastic.com/jsi/mapman/index.htm](http://www.scholastic.com/jsi/mapman/index.htm)).** This is an on-line geography contest, hosted by *Junior Scholastic* magazine, featuring a new game each week.



### Books

***State Governments* by Barbara Silberdick Feinberg (Watts, 1993).** This easy-to-read book explains the division of power between federal and state governments, and gives an overview of what officials, such as governors, legislators, and judges, do.

***Take a Stand!* by Daniel Weizmann (Price/Stern/Sloan, 1996).** An upbeat introduction to American government with a bias toward civic participation, this book uses humor and cartoons to make learning about the branches of government, related agencies, and party politics fun.

***Statistical Abstract of the United States* by the U.S. Census Bureau (National Technical Information Service, 1998).** If one book can sum us up as a nation, it's this hefty one. Order it by phone (1-800-553-6847) or via the Internet ([www.census.gov/stat\\_abstract](http://www.census.gov/stat_abstract)).