

Discussion Questions Sheet

U.S. Census Bureau: Factfinder Kids' Corner
<http://factfinder.census.gov/home/en/kids/kids.html>

1. What department of the government is responsible for the census?
2. How often does the U.S. government conduct a census?
3. When was the first census conducted in the U.S.?
4. How is census information obtained today?
5. What decisions can be influenced by census information?
6. Will census data provide specific information such as age, income, and ethnic origin about an individual?