



# Census 2010

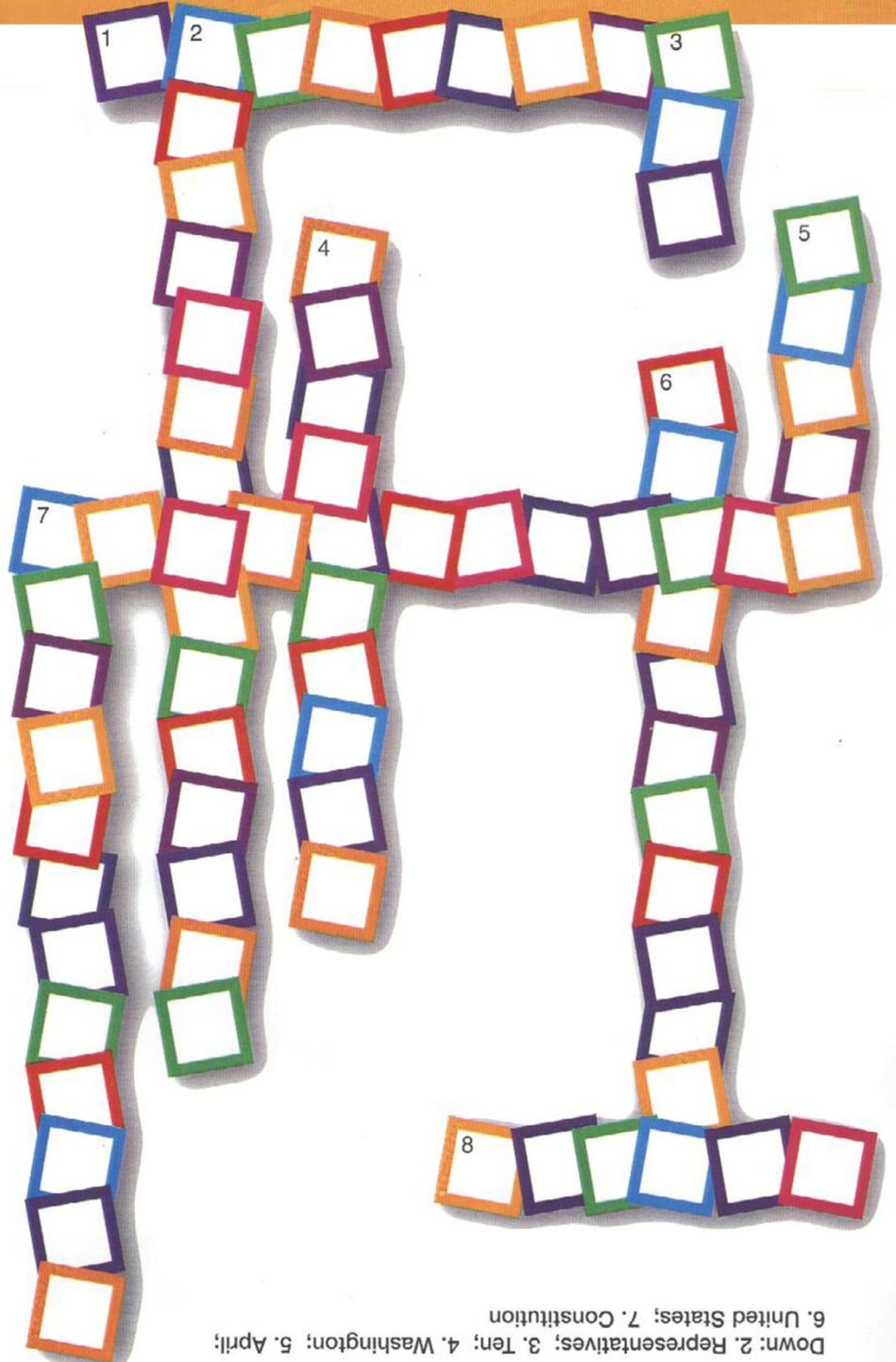
## Crossword Puzzle

### Across

1. On December 31, 2010 census numbers are delivered to the \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The individual information on your census form is \_\_\_\_\_.
8. A complete count of the population.

### Down

2. The census determines how many seats each state will have in the House of \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The census is taken every \_\_\_\_\_ years.
4. He was president when the first census was taken.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ 1, 2010 is Census Day.
6. In 1790, the first census was taken in the \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The census is mandated by the \_\_\_\_\_.



**Answers**  
 Across: 1. President; 7. Confidential; 8. Census  
 Down: 2. Representatives; 3. Ten; 4. Washington; 5. April; 6. United States; 7. Constitution

# 2010 Census – It's in OUR Hands



## The Upcoming Census of 2010

Soon our country will undertake another census of population and housing whereby all people who live in the U.S. will be counted.

The United States Constitution requires by law that a count of the population must be conducted every ten years on the year that ends in "0". The first census or count of the population was conducted in 1790 when George Washington was president. There have been 22 censuses conducted between 1790 and 2000.

On April 1, 2010 the 23<sup>rd</sup> census will be taken. A questionnaire will be sent to about 130,000,000 households and ask about 10 questions – name, age, gender, Hispanic origin, race, relationship to the householder, and whether your residence is owned or rented. All answers to the questionnaire are confidential. What could be easier?

The result of the 2010 Census will be sent to the president on December 31, 2010. The population counts determine how many seats or representatives each state will have in the House of Representatives.

The cross word puzzle is fun. If you read this page you'll find the puzzle easy to do.

**BE A MESSENGER AND TELL EVERYONE YOU  
KNOW THAT THE 2010 CENSUS IS COMING !!!**



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