

The **2020 Census** count **impacts** the federal funds that communities receive each year for programs and services that **are** critical for schools, students, and younger children such as:

- Children
 - Special education, Head Start, after-school programs, and classroom technology
 - Food assistance, including free and reduced-price school lunches
- Senior Citizens
 - \circ Medicare
 - o Medicare Part B
- Middle- and low-income families
 - Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
 - o Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers
 - Texas Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
 - o Medicaid
- Veterans
 - Administer Programs for Veterans
 - VA Home Loan Guarantee program
 - Post-9/11 GI Bill
 - Job training and hiring preference programs
 - Provide Health Care for Veterans
 - o Plan End-of-Life Options for Veterans
 - Cemetery planning
 - o Ensure Equal Opportunity
 - o Understand New Challenges for Veterans
 - Homelessness
- Political and Administrative Representation
 - o Congressional Districts and Representation
 - City Boundaries
 - Civil Rights
- City Services
 - o Parks
 - o Schools
 - Roads and Public Transportation
 - o Hospitals
 - Public Works