

# WHITE SCHOOLS

MAY 1, 1918

CENSUS REPORT FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES FOR YEAR 1918-19

By ROE Hart

Trustee of Subdistrict No. 1 Educational Division No. 6

or

Chairman Board of Trustees, District No. \_\_\_\_\_

## Read Carefully these NOTES AND SUGGESTIONS before taking the Census.

**Note 1.** This report must be recorded in the Trustee's Record Book and made to the County Superintendent on or before the first day of May, and a duplicate list filed with the County Clerk.

**Note 2.** Under the statutes, besides working a forfeiture of office, the person who perpetrates a fraud in making this report, or becomes a party to such fraudulent list, or in any way aids in the commission of such fraud by wilfully adding to the list the names of persons not entitled to be placed on the same, by otherwise making a false list, or by misstating any fact in connection with it, is guilty of a felony, and is punishable by a fine or confinement in the penitentiary, or by both fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the trial jury.

**Note 3.** Failing to receive this census by the 10th day of May, the County Superintendent must cause it to be taken, the cost to be paid out of the county levy, whereupon the fiscal court may recover such amount from the delinquent trustees.

**Note 4.** The County Superintendent, who must himself superintend the census taken during the month of April, shall not later than the 20th of March of each year, furnish each sub-district trustee of his county, exact information touching the present boundary of his district, noting with precision, the changes for the ensuing year, if any, and at the same time giving definite printed or written instructions as to the best method of obtaining a correct census.

**Note 5.** In securing this annual census through his trustees, or by employing others, if need be, the County Superintendent must make use of blanks furnished by this department, "with such instructions and information as may be deemed necessary to a proper understanding and use of them," and "shall conform to such reasonable rules and requirements as the Superintendent of Public Instruction shall, from time to time, prescribe and announce to them (him.)"

**Note 6. WHOM TO INCLUDE IN THE CENSUS.**

In taking this census the trustee, or other person employed to make the enumeration, shall include all white children living within the boundary of said district, at the time the list was taken, that were bona fide residents of the same on the first day of April, and that will be on the first day of July following, between the ages of six and eighteen years.

**Note 7. WHOM TO EXCLUDE FROM THE CENSUS.**

(a) He shall exclude such children as have removed into the district, from other sections of the county, since the first day of April, unless he has a certificate or statement in writing from the officer or other person whose duty it is to take the census in the district of their former residence to the effect that they have not been and will not be listed the present year by the latter.

(b) He shall, in all cases, exclude such children as, alone or along with their parents, have recently come into the district from other counties in the State or from other States, unless they removed into the same before the first day of April for the purpose of making it their permanent home.

(c) He shall exclude such children as have temporary employment or who are stopping in the district temporarily for whatever purpose, but whose parents or guardians, to whom they intend to return at the expiration of such temporary employment, or stay, reside in other districts; so, too, he shall exclude such children as have left their homes indefinitely to seek employment in other States.

(d) In like manner, he shall exclude pupil children whose parents are visiting or stopping temporarily in the district, for whatever purpose, except in cases where the families have at the time no other residence, and have been thus staying in the district since before the first day of April.

(e) He shall exclude such children within the pupil age as are totally blind or deaf and dumb, as also, such as have been adjudged idiots by a court of competent jurisdiction, and such feeble-minded children as are in charge of the State institution for unfortunate children of that class.

### Note 8. BOUNDARIES.

(a) The power to change boundaries of sub-districts, even to the extent of laying off anew the districts of the county if necessary, is lodged with the County Board of Education.

(b) The boundaries of any school sub-district, shall include all children, both white and colored, residing in said sub-district, and said sub-district shall not include, except in cases of emergency, fewer than fifty white children of school age, nor in any case fewer than twenty-five such children. No sub-district shall be apportioned the per capita of the State fund on fewer than fifty white pupil children, nor shall any sub-district be apportioned the per capita on more than one hundred white pupil children for the payment of one teacher.

### SUGGESTIONS.

(1) Be sure you know the boundary of your district before attempting to take this census.

(2) The Visitor of a consolidated colored school should take the census of the entire consolidated boundary.

(3) Take great care to avoid enrolling in wrong districts children living near boundary lines.

(4) All children six years old on or before July 1, should be included in the census; all children eighteen years old on or before July 1, should be excluded.

(5) In case of parents or guardians of the same name as the child, designate as Sr., Jr., or by such other distinctive terms, as will readily point out which is meant.

(6) Give the first Christian name of each parent or guardian and of each pupil in full, as also the surname, using initial for the middle name.

(7) Always visit each home, residence or place of abode, in the district, and, by actual observation and interrogation, enumerate the census children of the same.

(8) Trustees must deliver this report in person to the County Superintendent, as he is not authorized to receive and file it until signed and sworn to as indicated on the last page.

(9) In the absence of a family record, which it is always well to consult, if at hand, the mother can, as a rule, readily give the date of birth of each child.

(10) Be sure you have the report correct before copying and presenting it to the County Superintendent, and remember that it will be useless to ask him to add names after he has reported the census for his county.

(11) In case others than regularly sworn school officers are selected or appointed to take this census, before entering upon any duty, such person shall, before the County Superintendent or other person authorized to administer oaths, take the oath of office as below, and after the enumeration has been completed in accordance with the law and these instructions, and in all cases, before the census report is received and filed by the County Superintendent, the person or persons taking it shall sign the same and certify under oath to the correctness of the work, as on the last page of this blank.

V. O. GILBERT,

Superintendent of Public Instruction.

March 1.

## ENUMERATION OF CHILDREN FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

State of Kentucky,

Bath County

ss. White Subdistrict or Graded School District 1 Educational Division No. 6

Roe Hart

solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will take the census of School

Children of the above named district accurately and truly to the best of my ability, and in strict compliance with law, and the directions of the Department of Education contained on this page of this report.

Roe Hart

Census Taker.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1918.

V. O. Gilbert

The above oath is required where any person other than the trustee makes the enumeration.

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Number of Pupil Children	Names of Parents, Guardians, Heads of Families, or Persons Having Charge of Child or Children	Names of Children Between the Ages of 6 and 18 Years	Date of Birth			Age		Number of Pupil Children	Names of Parents, Guardians, Heads of Families, or Persons Having Charge of Child or Children	Names of Children Between the Ages of 6 and 18 Years	Date of Birth			Age	
			Month	Day	Year	Male	Female				Month	Day	Year	Male	Female
1	Robt Hart	Ethel M. Hart	July	30	1900		17	51	Grant Coyle	Clay Coyle	Sept.	22	1904	13	
2		Christie Lee Hart	Aug.	14	1902	15		52		Edward Coyle	July	22	1908	9	
3		Charles M. Hart	May	10	1905	13		53		Fra Mae Coyle	Nov.	17	1910	7	7
4		Henry H. Hart	July	25	1907	10		54	Emma Conyers	Roy Conyers	Nov.	13	1904	14	
5	J. W. Sovrell	Roy Sovrell	Nov.	16	1902	15		55		Ellen Conyers	Jan.	12	1906		12
6	Wm. Hedger	Ethel H. Hedger	Oct.	26	1903		13	56		Ivan Conyers	Sept.	6	1910	7	
7	Ernest Sobrell	Bernard Sobrell	March	25	1901	17		57	Andrew Conyers	Anna L. Conyers	March	16	1912		6
8		Hanson Sovrell	April	23	1908	10		58	Alford Mabley	Eland Mabley	April	30	1902	16	
9	Roy Stone	Elio Stone	June	19	1905		13	59		Billy Mabley	Dec.	28	1907	10	
10		Engene Stone	Feb.	24	1907	11		60							
11		Hanson Stone	Dec.	9	1909	9		61							
12		Sherman Stone	June	27	1912	6		62							
13	J. J. Coyle	Brooks Coyle	July	28	1907	10		63							
14	Phillips Williams	Raymond Williams	Dec.	17	1901	16		64							
15		Bonnet Williams	Jan.	23	1903	14		65							
16	Roxie Ann Wolfenbarger	Virgil Wolfenbarger	Feb.	28	1904	13		66							
17		Willie Wolfenbarger	Aug.	30	1906	11		67							
18		Jason Wolfenbarger	May	10	1910	8		68							
19	Ed. Puffitt	Clara Trimble	Dec.	12	1907		10	69							
20		Charlotte Jackson	Sept.	28	1908		9	70							
21		Calie C. Jackson	June	14	1901		7	71							
22	Rayton Horseman	Mabel Horseman	April	7	1911		7	72							
23	F. W. Horseman	Jewel Horseman	April	8	1906	12		73							
24	Emmett Horseman	Lucile Horseman	June	25	1906		12	74							
25		Wesley Horseman	May	9	1909	9		75							
26	Curren Crouch	Agnes Crouch	Aug.	14	1904		14	76							
27	Jess Goodpaster	Scott Goodpaster	June	26	1912	6		77							
28	John Tacket	Lyle Tacket	June	22	1902	16		78							
29		Ford Tacket	Nov.	13	1908	10		79							
30	Lemie Horseman	Clara Horseman	Aug.	26	1903		14	80							
31		Lara Horseman	Nov.	3	1904		13	81							
32		Bddie Horseman	March	24	1906		12	82							
33		Holman Horseman	March	10	1908	10		83							
34	Clarence Crouch	Virgil Crouch	Oct.	14	1907	10		84							
35		Lillie Crouch	Sept.	13	1909		8	85							
36		Leslie Crouch	July	19	1911	6		86							
37	Curren Crouch	Lettie Crouch	Oct.	2	1911		6	87							
38	Jessie Reynolds	Emmett Reynolds	Oct.	23	1905	12		88							
39		Gasper Reynolds	Sept.	9	1907	10		89							
40	Banks Coyle	Holman Coyle	Dec.	26	1902	15		90							
41		Otto Coyle	Aug.	8	1905	12		91							
42		Christina Coyle	April	20	1907		11	92							
43		Louise Coyle	Sept.	22	1909		9	93							
44		Opal Coyle	Jan.	3	1911		6	94							
45	A. B. Lathram	Albert Lathram	July	18	1911	6		95							
46	Thomas Hart	Lottie Hart	Sept.	26	1906		11	96							
47		Viollie Hart	Dec.	6	1908		9	97							
48		Ray Hart	Jan.	23	1910	7		98							
49	Bennie Horseman	Ray Horseman	Jan.	16	1903	13		99							
50	Grant Coyle	Floyd Coyle	Sept.	11	1902	10		100							

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TO THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

ENUMERATION RETURN

OF

CHILDREN OF SCHOOL AGE

OF

Subdistrict No. 1 Educational Division No. 6

OR

Graded School District No. \_\_\_\_\_

For the School Year 1918-1919

County of Bath State of Kentucky

Received at the office of the County Superintendent, examined and filed.

R. W. Furrer  
County Superintendent

April 30<sup>th</sup> 1918

ANNUAL CENSUS—ITS CHARACTER AND REQUIREMENTS—PENALTY FOR FRAUD.

SECTION 121—1916 EDITION COMMON SCHOOL LAW.

It shall be the duty of the trustee of each subdistrict, biennially during the month of April, to take an exact census of all the children that reside in such subdistrict on the first day of April, who will be, on the first day of July following, between the ages of six and eighteen years, and on or before the first day of May report a list of the same to the County Superintendent, and a duplicate list to the Clerk of the County Court, to be filed in his office, specifying the name, age, sex and names of the parents or guardians of each child, to be entered in a book furnished him by the State, and kept as part of the records of his office. Should said trustees wilfully add to the list of names of persons not entitled to be placed on same, or otherwise knowingly make a false list, such person thus offending shall, in addition to being liable to punishment for the crime of false swearing, be subject

to a fine of not less than fifty dollars; and should any other school officer be a party to such fraudulent lists, or in any way aid in the commission of such fraud, he shall be liable to the same punishment. For a failure to take such census and report the same within the time and in the manner herein required, the trustee shall be liable to a fine of not less than twenty dollars; and said trustee shall not take the census of any children who have recently removed into the district, and who have been previously reported in the census of the pupil children for the year in the district from which they have removed, or who have recently removed into the district from another State, or county, but any pupil child who may not have been reported in the district in which he resides may attend the common school without payment. This section shall be printed on the census blanks furnished by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

White Males 37; White Females 22; Total Number of White Children in District 59

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Graded or Common School Subdistrict No. 1, Educational Division No. 6, County of Bath ss.

I, Roer Hart, Trustee (or Census Taker) of the ~~subdistrict~~ subdistrict aforesaid, do solemnly swear that the foregoing Census is a correct copy of the one made under oath and that I believe it is full and accurate, and has been made in strict compliance with law, and the directions and suggestions of the Department of Education contained on the first page of this report; that the enumeration does not include persons who do not reside in the district here listed, or who are not otherwise entitled to be listed, and that the summary above is correct as I believe.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1918.

Roer Hart } Trustee or Chairman

R. W. Furrer } County Superintendent.

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