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# WHAT IS DISINFORMATION?

AND WHAT YOU CAN DO

Ever since the 2016 election, everyone's been talking about false news. But what does that mean?

There are **two types** of false news:



## DISINFORMATION

- False information made with the intent to harm and deceive
- May be created as propaganda, as part of a scam, or simply to cause chaos and confusion



## MISINFORMATION

- False information made with good intentions, but that refers to inaccurate sources
- May be created by people who believed disinformation

## WHY THE CENSUS?

The 2020 Census will affect the distribution of over \$800 billion in federal funds per year and the distribution of seats in Congress for the next 10 years. This makes the Census a target for people looking to influence these outcomes. Ensure your community gets factored into the funding! Get out the count with Yalla Count Me In!

## HOW TO HELP

**WATCH OUT FOR NEWS STORIES THAT SEEM TOO GOOD – OR TOO BAD – TO BE TRUE.**

**LEARN HOW TO REPORT SPAM AND DISINFORMATION.**

**SHARE RESOURCES FROM YALLA COUNT ME IN AND OTHER CENSUS ADVOCATES TO SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT ACCURATE INFORMATION.**