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SCHOOL CENSUS, 1920

OF
Muhlenberg COUNTY, SUB-DISTRICT No. 54

KENTUCKY 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 kept as part of the records of his office. Should said trustee wilfully add to the list the 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 list, 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 had 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."

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.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE ENUMERATOR

This report must be made to the County Superintendent on or before the first day of May, and a duplicate list filed with the County Clerk.

Be sure you know the boundary of your subdistrict before attempting to take this census, and be careful not to list children outside your boundary. The power to change boundaries of subdistricts is vested in the County Board of Education.

Include in this list only children who were bona fide residents of the district on the first day of April and will be between six and eighteen years of age on the first day of July.

Include children six years of age on or before the first day of July, but do not include any who are eighteen years of age on or before that date.

Do not include children who moved into the district after the first day of April or who reside only temporarily (for employment or other purpose) in the subdistrict and whose legal residence is elsewhere with their parents or guardians.

Do not include children who have left the subdistrict indefinitely to seek employment in other states.

Do not include in the total count any child that is totally deaf or blind, or any that has been adjudged an idiot by a court of competent jurisdiction, or any feeble-minded child in charge of the State Institute for Feeble-Minded.

After the name of any child that is blind, write BLIND; after the name of any child that is deaf, write DEAF; after the name of any child that is crippled, write CRIPPLED.

Visit each home, residence or place of abode, in the district, and, by actual observation and interrogation, enumerate the census children of the same.

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.

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.

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.

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.

Be sure you have your report correct before presenting it to the County Superintendent or County Clerk; and do not ask him to add names after he has reported to the State Superintendent.

W. C. BELL,
Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Census of White Children

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
1	Pearlie Graham	Marion Graham	May	11	1914	16	
2		Bertha Graham	Oct	24	1916		13.00
3		Alice Graham	May	26	1921		8
4		Willis Graham	Feb	22	1924	6	
5	Bernis Addison	Ura Mae Addison	May	9	1924		6
6	Ernest Tucker	Thelma Addison	July	11	1919		11
7	Will Tucker	Orval Tucker	Feb	20	1919	11	
8	Lem Jenkins	Lloyd Jenkins	Dec	30	1913	16	
9	Alice Jenkins	Wilma Jenkins	Sept	21	1916		13
10	George Mayes	Melba P. Jenkins	April	20	1922		7
11	Jim Mayes	Maudie Mayes	Nov	5	1914		13
12	Carl McKinney	Ritchard McKinney	Jan	24	1914	14	
13	Mary McKinney	Ura McKinney	July	16	1917		12
14		Unice McKinney	Dec	13	1918		11
15		Bernice McKinney	March	22	1920	9	
16		Milton McKinney	Aug	19	1922	7	
17	Jim Revelett	Imogene McKinney	May	11	1923		6
18	Bertrude Revelett	James Revelett	Nov	11	1914	15	
19		Philip W. Revelett	May	19	1920	10	
20		Helen L. Revelett	Jan	10	1921		9

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			Month	Day	Year	Male	Female
1		William R. Russell	July	19	1920	6	
2	H. L. Davis	Arthur J. Davis	Dec	26	1918	12	
3	May Davis	Lee Davis	Oct	15	1920	10	
4	Bill Ray	Charles E. Davis	March	6	1923	7	
5	Lav Ray	Estel Ray	May	11	1913	16	
6	L. H. Sluizer	Albert Sluizer	Oct.	27	1913	16	
7	Nannie E. Sluizer	Luther Sluizer	Aug	27	1918	11	
8		Mildred Mae Sluizer	April	1	1923		7
9		Arthur L. Sluizer	"	"	"	7	
10	W. R. Trauis	Melvin Trauis	May	21	1915	15	
11	L. E. Trauis	Merle "	Nov.	29	1917	12	
12	Tim Gregory	Harlan R. Gregory	July	3	1914	15	
13	Mina Gregory	Zelpha W. Gregory	March	31	1917		13
14		Elva B. "	Sept.	2	1919		10
15		Nara L. "	Aug	13	1921		9
16		Maudie L. "	May	28	1924		5
17	S. S. Mellon	Ruby L. Mellon	Aug	16	1914		15
18	M. F. Mellon	Mildred "	"	22	1916		13
19		Vera "	Sept	17	1918		12
20	Travis Knight	Delphord "	Jan	25	1920	10	
21	Annie Knight	Luther Knight	Sept.	18	1921	9	
22	Clifford Ward	Ruch ward	May	28	1913		16
23	Mabel Ward	Duan "	Jan	14	1923	7	
24	Archie West	June West	Aug	20	1922		7
25	Florence West	Josephine "	May	14	1924		5
26	Claud Grayson	Bernard Grayson	Nov	7	1912	14	
27	Nedie Grayson	H. W. Grayson	Dec	30	1918	11	
28	J. F. Trauis	Annie M. Trauis	April	13	1916		13
29	J. L. Trauis	Angnell Trauis	June	29	1920		9
30	Elmer Davis	Berna Davis	April	3	1913		17
31	Merry E. Davis	J. L. "	Nov	19	1919	10	
32	Ellis Jenkins	Edna Mae Jenkins	July	1	1918		16
33	Carrie Jenkins	Warron E. Jenkins	July	28	1915	14	
34		Claude E. Jenkins	Jan	20	1924	6	
35	Claude Vick	Clifford Vick	Sept	22	1915		15
36	Verna Vick	Virginia "	July	13	1916		13
37		Claudia "	Dec	20	1918		11
38		Lurcan "	Oct	16	1919	10	10
39		Nevo	Aug	6	1923	7	
40	Mary Fulcher	James Campfield	May	29	1916	14	
41		Luther "	Sept	11	1918	12	
42		Paul "	Feb	28	1920	11	
43	H. W. Shinn	Fred Shinn	July	5	1912	17	
44	Annie Shinn	Esther "	Feb	11	1914		16
45		George "	June	17	1915	14	
46		Ezra "	Aug	16	1917		12
47	Hennie Mathis	Marie Mathis	June	6	1922		7
48	Floella Mathis	Agnes "	Dec	23	1924		6
49	Perry Harris	Raymond Harris	June	13	1920	9	
50	Viola Harris	Lartha "	Oct	5	1921		8

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			Month	Day	Year	Male	Female
1		Nannie Morris	Sept.	71	1923		6
2	Walter Brunley	Pearl Brunley	June	22	1913		16
3	Jocie Brunley	Louise Brunley	Oct	14	1915		14
4		Bertha Brunley	Sept	14	1917		12
5		Theo Brunley	April	6	1922		8
6	J. A. Yonts	Nellie Yonts	Aug	24	1920		9
7	Sara Yonts	Mildred Yonts	Feb	12	1923		7
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Census of Colored Children

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
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STATE OF KENTUCKY

Common School Subdistrict No. 54, County of Muhlenberg } ss.

I, Ellis Jenkins, Trustee (or census enumerator) of the subdistrict aforesaid, do solemnly swear that the foregoing Census has been made in strict compliance with law and instructions by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and that this enumeration does not include persons who do not reside in this subdistrict or who are not entitled to be listed.

Ellis Jenkins, Enumerator.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of April, 1920.

M. C. Hughes, County Superintendent.

By: W. L. Winebarger

Examined and approved for:
 White Male 36; White Female 41; Colored Male ; Colored Female ; Subdistrict total 77

April 25, 1920 M. C. Hughes, County Superintendent.