

Not religious any more?



Mark **'No religion'**
on the 2016 census

Were you born into a religion but are no longer religious?

Many people in Australia are born into religion but no longer practice or hold the same beliefs.

On the 2016 census, the opportunity to choose 'No religion' is now at the top of the list, giving people the chance to consider their answer first.

Accurate census data helps policy makers & political leaders make all sorts of planning and funding decisions. So if you're not religious any more, mark the 'No religion' box on the 2016 Census.

The Census is an important chance to make sure your interests are met and that views you don't hold are not over-represented in the coming years.

Why mark 'No religion'?

How you answer this question in the Census will influence decisions by Australian governments.

Often the transfer of your tax dollars to religious organisations is justified on the basis of the Census results. Also, special concessions and exemptions are given, including the right to discriminate against some groups.

Australia is following in the footsteps of New Zealand and England & Wales, where after an awareness campaign, the marking of 'No religion' has increased to nearly 50% of the population in the last 5 years.

But without the accurate data, we can't know the truth. We are encouraging all Australians to reflect and respond to the question on the Census with consideration and honesty.

What can you do?

- Tell your friends
- Talk to your family
- Visit our website
- Share the campaign on social media
- Donate to the campaign
- Print and display this poster

**And on Census night, if you are not religious any more,
mark **'No religion'****

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