Introduction to Stats Canada Website

wwwgc.ca

<http://www.statcan.gc.ca/start-debut-eng.html>

<http://www12.statcan.gc.ca/census-recensement/index-eng.cfm>

Research the following information on the Stats Canada Website using the most recent census data:

1. What is the population of Canada?
2. What is the population of New Brunswick?
3. What is the population of Miramichi? Did our population increase or decrease since the last census? By how much?
4. Which cities (8) in New Brunswick had a decrease in population? Which had an increases?
5. Looking at the CPI index for August what was its rate? What are the 8 major components of the CPI index?
6. Looking the CPI index table comparing July / August 2012 .Which CPI index component’s increased? Which decreased?
7. Which province had the largest gain in CPI in August? Which had the smallest gain of CPI in July?
8. What was the unemployment rate in August?
9. What are the 10 main industry sectors that contribute to the GDP? Which ones increased in July? Which ones decreased?
10. Looking at the population for Miramichi .. What age range has the largest number of people?
11. In the Miramichi stats what two teen years have the same number of people in that year? How many?
12. List an interesting fact or figure that you found in your search for information.
13. Why are the numbers on the Stats Canada website important to businesses?