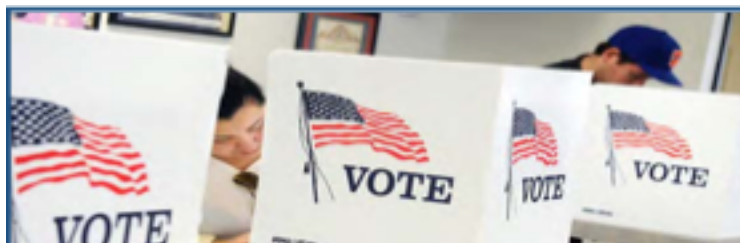


I'm going to vote...are you ?

INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW TO VOTE



When is Election Day in 2018?

November 6. In Connecticut, voting places will be open from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m.

(If you're registered and in line at your voting place by 8 p.m., you'll be able to vote. If you're not inside and in line by 8 p.m., you won't be allowed to vote.)

Do I have to be registered in order to vote? YES!

You should register by October 30, 2018, either

- online at <https://voterregistration.ct.gov> (in English or Spanish)
- at any CT Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) office during business hours
- at the Registrar of Voters office located in your town or city hall, using a printed registration form that's available in English or Spanish. (Forms are also available at public libraries.) Mail your completed form to the local registrar immediately, or take it in person to the registrar (or Town Clerk) during business hours.

What are the requirements to register?

- You must be a U.S. citizen
- You must be at least 18 years old by Election Day
- You must be a resident of the Connecticut city or town in which you intend to vote

For more information go to www.sots.ct.gov or www.votect.net/

What documents will I need to register?

The number of a driver's license (or learners permit) issued by the DMV, OR the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number.

And when I go to vote, what documents will I need?

All voters must have identification (for instance, a document with a DMV I.D. number, Social Security card, U.S. passport, or signed credit card). If you don't have one of these, ask to sign a form attesting that you are the person whose name and address appear on the official voter list.

When you vote for the first time, you must present a document showing your identity and current address (such as a current CT driver's license or permit, student I.D. card with photo and current address, bank statement, phone bill, or rental contract showing your name and current address).

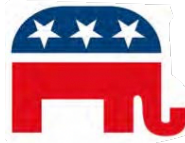
Where is my voting place?

When your registration is processed, you'll receive a letter from your local Registrar of Voters verifying that you are registered. The letter will include the name and location of your voting place (usually a school, government building, or public library). If election day is near and you haven't received this letter, contact the Registrar of Voters during business hours. Registered voters can confirm their voting place at any time on www.sots.ct.gov, the website for the Secretary of State.

Do I have to join a political party?

No, in Connecticut you don't have to select a political party—you can register as an “unaffiliated voter,” and vote in general elections only. (To vote in a political party's primary election, you must be a member of that party.)

In Connecticut there are 2 major parties, Democrats and Republicans, whose logos are shown from left to right.



Minority parties (whose logos appear below from left to right) are the Working Families Party, Green Party, Libertarian Party, and Independent Party.



Where can I find more information about elections?

- The Secretary of State's office (860.509.6200) or www.sots.ct.gov
- The League of Women Voters of Connecticut, 203.288.7996, www.votect.net, or www.facebook.com/LWVofCT/
- Your public library
- Online, using search engines like Google, Bing, etc.



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