

ABSENTEE VOTING

You may vote absentee before Election Day if you cannot appear to vote at your polling place on Election Day. You must have a reason or excuse.

Who can vote an absentee ballot?

1) Voters who are away from their municipality because of:

- business, duties or occupation
- leave of absence or sabbatical leave
- vacation
- college student living at school

2) Voters who cannot go to the polling place because of:

- illness or disability
- veterans who are bedridden or hospitalized
- observance of a religious holiday
- election duties

3) Voters who are:

- outside of the United States because of business and their accompanying spouses and dependents
- serving in the armed forces or Merchant Marine

Go to [VotesPA.com/absentee](https://votespa.com/absentee) for more information about absentee voting

How do I request an absentee ballot?

1) You can request an absentee ballot by:

- submitting an absentee ballot request form (by mail or in person). You can download an application form from
- [votesPA.com/absenteeballot](https://votespa.com/absenteeballot)
- sending a letter to the county board of elections in the county in which you are registered

2) Print, complete, sign and deliver or mail the application to your local county election office. The address and telephone number for your local county elections and voter registration office may be found using the County Information Link at [votesPA.com/county](https://votespa.com/county).

