

Ready, Set, Vote!

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Voter Registration

- ⊗ Eligible residents (British, Commonwealth and EU citizens) can register to vote from 16 years old (but can only vote when they turn 18). See online for more [information about eligibility](#).
- ⊗ Registering to vote is a legal requirement, but can also improve your credit score, and being on the register can be helpful in renting/applying for a mortgage.
- ⊗ Registering to vote can be [done online](#) (which usually takes around 5 minutes), or [by post](#).

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Changes to Voting

- ⊠ Voters will now need to show photo ID to receive a ballot paper when they go to vote at a polling station.
- ⊠ The government has published a list of [accepted forms of photo ID](#).
- ⊠ Alternatively, voters can apply for a free Voter Authority Certificate (VAC), [online](#) or [by post](#). The application uses National Insurance numbers and a passport-style photograph.
- ⊠ The Voter ID requirement applies to everyone voting at a polling station at all elections in England.

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Making elections accessible

- ☒ The electoral process is being made more accessible to all. This includes:
 - More information is available to help people understand the electoral process
 - Polling stations have more equipment to allow voters to vote independently and in secret

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Postal and Proxy Voting

- ☒ Also known as absent voting
- ☒ Voters can now apply for their absent vote [online](#) as well as by post.

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Upcoming Elections

- ☒ Greater London Authority (GLA) and London Mayoral Elections in May 2024
 - The plan as it stands is for these to be ‘standalone’ but there is also potential for it to be combined with a General Election.
- ☒ General election – by no later than January 2025

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