

Voting in New Hampshire in 2024

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Your Vote is Your Voice. Use it! Every Vote Counts!

Step 1: Register to Vote

Every New Hampshire citizen, 18 years and up, has the Constitutional right to vote. If you are already registered in your town, you don't have to register again.

Where to Register to Vote

At your town or city clerk's office before the election. *Or* register at your polling place on Election Day.

What to Bring with You to Register

A **photo ID**. Also bring, If you can, paperwork to show your **age**, **citizenship**, and **where you live**.

A driver's license, passport, or other photo ID will work for ID & age. Tax or utility bill addressed to you will show where you live. Birth certificate or naturalization papers will prove citizenship and age.

If you don't have papers like these, you can sign a statement confirming your age, citizenship, or where you live.

New for 2023 & 2024: If you register at the polls on election day, you <u>must</u> show a photo ID or your ballot will be provisional. Ask election officials for more details.

May I Register by Mail?

If you can't register in person because of **disability** or **temporary absence**, you may register by mail. *Call your town or city clerk for more information*.

Before you vote, learn about the candidates. Verify facts in trusted sources.

Step 2: Vote

Voting in Person

If possible, show a photo ID to the Ballot Clerk at the polls. You need <u>only</u> one ID.

Acceptable photo IDs include

- Driver's license from NH or any other state;
- Non-driver's photo ID issued by NH Department of Motor Vehicles;
- US armed services ID card;
- US passport or passcard;
- Valid student ID card;
- Other photo ID such as a work ID.
- Or you can be identified by the moderator or other election official.

If you don't have one of these photo IDs, and you're already registered, you will be able to vote by signing a form saying you are who you claim to be. Your photo will be taken and attached to the form. You'll receive a follow-up action by mail from the Secretary of State.

Absentee Voting

If you're registered but you can't vote in person because of **disability** or **medical condition** that limits your public exposure, religious beliefs, **work hours** (which includes caring for children or the elderly, even if you aren't paid), **military service**, or **temporary absence**, you may ask your city or town clerk for an absentee ballot application before the election. Do this as early as you can.

For more information: www.sos.nh.gov/elections