# How to Vote in California's November 5, 2024 Election

# Get Ready

If you are already registered to vote, visit <u>voterstatus.sos.ca.gov</u> to make sure all of your information is correct. If you are not registered or need to reregister because you moved or changed your name, you can register online at <u>registertovote.ca.gov</u> or get a form at the DMV, post office, library, or your county elections office. After October 21, you can also register up to and on Election Day (Tuesday, November 5) at your elections office or polling place. **If you're registered by Monday, October 21, you will receive your ballot in the mail.** 

### **Option 1 - Vote by Mail**

You can return the ballot **by mail**. No postage needed! Fill out your ballot, place it in the provided envelope, and sign, date, and seal the envelope. Make sure it is *postmarked* by November 5.

# **Option 2 - Drop it Off**

You can **drop off your ballot** at your county elections office or any voting location. Most counties also have secure drop boxes that are available starting in early October. You can look up drop boxes at <u>caearlyvoting.sos.ca.gov</u>. Make sure you drop it off before 8 pm on November 5.

# **Option 3 - Vote in Person**

Election Day is **Tuesday, November 5**. Polls will be open from **7 am to 8 pm**. You can look up your polling place at

sos.ca.gov/elections/polling-place.

#### Many counties will also offer in-person voting from Saturday,

**October 26 through Tuesday, November 5.** Check with your local elections office or look up voting locations at <u>ca early voting.sos.ca.gov</u>. To make voting in person even easier, bring the ballot you received by mail to your voting location.





