

Special Election - November 4, 2025

Who is eligible to vote

To vote in the upcoming special election, you must first be registered to vote. You can register if you meet all of the following requirements. You must be:

- 1 A U.S. Citizen and a resident of California
- 2 18 years or older on Election Day
- 3 Not currently serving a state or federal prison term for the conviction of a felony
- 4 Not currently found mentally incompetent to vote by a court

How to Register

- Confirm if you are already registered to vote at voterstatus.sos.ca.gov.
- 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 or get a paper form at the DMV, post office, library, or your county elections office.
- If you're registered by Monday, October 20, you will receive your ballot in the mail.

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How to Vote

There are three main ways to cast your ballot: vote by mail, drop it off at a voting location or a secure drop box, or vote in person.

Option 1: Drop it Off



You can drop off your ballot at your county elections office or any voting location. You can look up drop boxes at caearlyvoting.sos.ca.gov. Make sure you drop it off before 8 p.m. on November 4.

Option 2: Vote by Mail



You can return your ballot by mail. No postage needed! Fill out your ballot and place it in the provided envelope. Remember to sign, date, and seal the envelope. Make sure it is postmarked by November 4.

Option 3: Vote In Person



Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Election Day. Many counties will also offer in-person voting from Saturday, Oct. 25 to Tuesday, Nov. 4. You can look up your polling place at sos.ca.gov/elections/polling-place.