

Can I vote while I'm away at college?

Yes. You have two choices:

1. Request a mailed ballot.

a) As soon as possible, go to MyVote.wi.gov and enter your name and birthdate. (If you need to register, use the address on your license or state ID.)

b) Click on Request Absentee Ballot. (Unless you have done this earlier, you need to upload a photo of your photo ID. when prompted.) Verify your name/address. Then select "I want my ballot mailed to a different address" and enter the address you are using at college. Complete your request.

c) As soon as you receive your ballot, line up a witness who is a resident of Wisconsin and 18 or older. Fill in your ballot. Place it in the enclosed envelope. Seal and sign the envelope, and then have your witness add their full address (street address, city, state, and zip code) and signature. [Contact your clerk if you are living out of state or internationally.]

d) Mail it back right away. You do not need to add postage. You can track your ballot at MyVote.wi.us

2. Vote in person on Election Day.

Register and vote at the polling place associated with your college address. [See other side for more information.]

Questions about voting?

~ Most answers can be found at MyVote.wi.gov



MyVote.wi.gov

~ Contact your municipal clerk.

~ Call or text the League of Women Voters of Wisconsin voter helpline at 608.285.2141

Clerk Contact Info (Winnebago Co. Municipalities)

All phone numbers have 920 area codes:

Algoma: 235-3789 townofalgoma.org/contact

Appleton: 832-6443
appleton.org/government/city-clerk/contact-us

Black Wolf: 688-1404 san@townofblackwolf.com

Clayton: 836.2007 clerk@townofclayton.net

Fox Crossing: 720-7103 foxcrossingwi.gov/contact/

Menasha: 967-3608
menashawi.gov/departments/city_clerk/contact_ct-clk.php

Neenah (city): 886-6101 clerk@ci.neenah.wi.us

Neenah (town): 725-0916 eskerke@tn.neenah.wi.gov

Nekimi: 509.9883 townofnekimi@gmail.com

Nepeuskun: 748.3909
townclerk@townofnepeuskun.gov

Omro (city): 685.7000 skromm@omro-wi.com

Omro (town): 685.2111 clerk@townofomro.gov

Oshkosh (city): 236-5000 ext 5011
DBartlett@ci.oshkosh.wi.us

Oshkosh (town): 235-7771 clerk@town.oshkosh.wi.gov

Poygan: 685-0552
townofpoygan.com/contact-us/

Rushford: 744-8092 town@northnet.net

Utica: 410-0347 utica1730@gmail.com

Vinland: 235-6953 vinlandtreas@ntd.net

Winchester: 836-2948
clerk@townofwinchesterwi.com

Winneconne (village): 582-4381
clerk@winneconnewi.gov

Winneconne (town): 582-3260
clerk@townofwinneconne.gov

Wolf River: 446-3837 townofwolfriver@centurytel.net

Or, find your clerk on MyVote.wi.gov

Or, call your public library.



The League of Women Voters of Winnebago County is a nonpartisan organization working to protect our democracy. Your vote is your voice. Don't let your voice be silenced. Vote in every election. Contact us at wclwvinfo@gmail.com Find out more about us at LWVWinnebago.org



When is the next election?

In 2024, we vote on:

Tuesday, February 20: Spring Primary

Tuesday, April 2: Spring Election & Presidential Preference Vote

Tuesday, August 13: Partisan Primary

Tuesday, November 4: General Election

- Primary elections are held only if needed to eliminate some candidates.
- Spring elections are for nonpartisan races (candidates do not run in a political party), but include a presidential preference vote every four years.
- Fall elections are for partisan races.

Who can vote?

Everyone who is at least 18 years old, a U.S. citizen, and has resided at their address at least 28 days before Election Day may vote.

[You may not vote if you have been convicted of a felony and have not as yet completed your sentence, probation, parole, or extended supervision, or if a judge has declared you unfit to vote, or if you have a wager on the results of the election.]

Who are we voting for?

~ Go to MyVote.wi.gov to see who is on your ballot.
~ The League of Women Voters offers a nonpartisan voting guide at Vote411.org. Click on Find What's on Your Ballot, and enter your address. See who you are voting for and learn where the candidates stand on the issues in their own words.



How do I register to vote?

You have three options:

- 1. Register online.** Go to MyVote.wi.gov and click on register to vote. Follow the steps. This website connects to data held at Wisconsin's Department of Motor Vehicles, so enter your name and address exactly as they appear on your card. **You may register online up to 20 days before an election.**
- 2. Register anytime at your clerk's office during office hours,** except for the Monday before an election.
- 3. Register at your polling place on Election Day.** When registering in person, you must supply the number on your Wisconsin Driver License or Wisconsin State ID. If you have never been issued one, you may supply the last four digits of your social security number. If your license or ID has your correct address, that is all you need. Otherwise, you will need to **verify your address.**

Vote every year to maintain your registration.

How do I verify my address?

Your proof of residence must include your full name and current address. These are the most common:

- A current and accurate State of Wisconsin Driver License or State ID card.
- An official ID card or license issued by a Wisconsin governmental body or unit.
- A real estate tax bill/receipt for the current year or the year preceding the date of the election.
- A public school grade report, schedule, etc.

- A university, college, or technical college identification card (must include photo) only if the voter provides a class-fee receipt dated within the last 9 months or the institution provides a certified housing list, that indicates citizenship, to the municipal clerk.
- A gas, electric, or telephone service statement (utility bill) for the period commencing no earlier than 90 days prior.
- Bank/credit card statement.
- Paycheck or paystub.
- A check or other document issued by a unit of Wisconsin government.
- A letter on public or private social service agency letterhead identifying a homeless voter and describing the individual's residence for voting purposes.
- Residential lease that is effective on date of registration. (Not valid if registering by mail.)
- An intake document from a residential care facility such as a nursing home or assisted living facility.

How do I cast a ballot?

You have three options:

- 1. Vote by mail.** At least a month before an election, but anytime during an election year, go to MyVote.wi.gov and click on Vote Absentee by Mail and complete a request. (You will need to upload a photo of your photo ID.) Your clerk will mail you a ballot a few weeks before an election, along with a return envelope. When you receive your ballot, follow the directions carefully, and mail it back quickly. Your ballot must be witnessed by a fellow Wisconsin resident who is 18 years old or older. Your witness must sign and write their full address where indicated. Ballots must arrive back at your clerk's office by Election Day. If time is a problem, return the ballot in person. (Check with your municipal clerk to see where your ballot may be returned in person.) Track your ballot at MyVote.wi.gov
- 2. Vote early in person** during office hours at your clerk's office beginning the Tuesday two weeks before an election. The last day to vote this way is the Friday before Election Day. You will need to present a photo ID.
- 3. Vote at your polling place on Election Day.** Polls are open from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm.
~ State your name and address, present your photo ID, and sign the poll book when asked (unless you are unable to sign because of a physical disability.)

~ You may ask to see a list of registered write-in candidates.

~ When you receive a ballot, go to a voting booth to mark your ballot. (It's OK to ask someone to help you read your ballot if you are visually impaired. There may also be a special device available to help you complete your ballot with auditory directions.)

~ Insert your ballot into the tabulation machine. And you're done!

~ While at your polling place, you may use a cellphone to present proof of address, photo ID, look up candidates while you vote, and take photos -- but it is illegal to photograph other voters or a completed ballot, even your own completed ballot.

~ If there is a reason you cannot enter your polling place, you can vote from your car in your polling place parking lot. Arrange a time to vote outside your poll by calling your clerk or call the phone number posted outside when you get there to make this request.

Where is my polling place?

Your polling place is associated with your address. Find your polling place online at MyVote.wi.gov (click on Find My Polling Place) or contact your municipal clerk.

What is a Voter ID?

Voters in Wisconsin must present a photo ID whenever they vote in person or they must have an uploaded photo ID on MyVote.wi.gov to request a mailed ballot. Voters may use:

- An unexpired State of Wisconsin Driver License or State ID card. (The address does not have to be correct if you are not using it to register to vote.)
- Military ID issued by a U.S. service
- A U.S. passport
- An ID card issued by a Tribe of Native People in Wisconsin
- A photo ID card issued by a Wisconsin accredited university or college that contains date of issuance, signature of student, and an expiration date no later than two years after date of issuance. If the ID is expired, you will need a separate document that proves current enrollment.

Questions about photo ID? Go to BringIt.wi.gov for more information or call or text 866-ID-2-VOTE.