

Voter's checklist

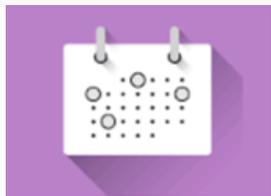
Get to know your voting options and choose what works best for you.



Make sure you're **registered** at your current address



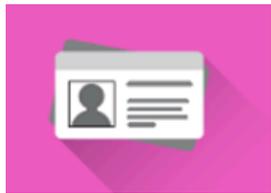
Watch for your **voter information card** in the mail



Make a plan to vote



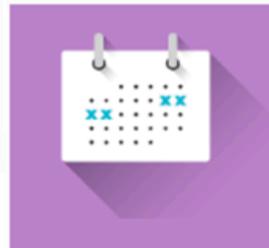
Find out **who the candidates** are in your riding



Bring ID when you go to vote



Vote on election day, April 28, at your assigned polling station



Vote on advance polling days, April 18, 19, 20 or 21 at your assigned polling station



Vote early at any Elections Canada office across the country (until Tuesday, April 22, 6 p.m.).



Vote by mail (deadlines apply).

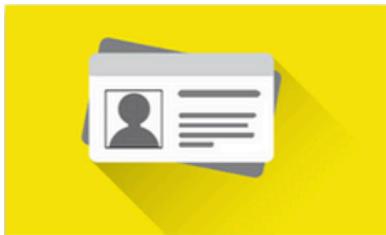
If you require or prefer any of the following, they are available to ensure you have an easy experience.

Voting assistance tools and services on election day:

	Ballot with candidate names in large print		Language and sign language interpretation and other assistance (upon request in advance)
	Large-print and braille lists of candidates		Assistance marking your ballot (Bring someone you know or ask an election worker)
	Tactile and braille voting template		Large-grip pencil You can also bring your own pen or pencil
	Magnifiers		Signature guide

Note: Braille lists of candidates are only available on election day. Large print is available on advance polling days and on election day.

Voter Identification

		
<p>Option 1: Show one of these pieces of ID</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• your driver's licence• any other card issued by a Canadian government (federal, provincial/territorial or local) with your photo, name and current address	<p>Option 2: Show two pieces of ID</p> <p>Both must have your name and at least one must have your current address.</p> <p>Examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• voter information card and bank statement• utility bill and student ID card <p>Don't have these? No problem!</p> <p>See the list of accepted ID for Option 2.</p>	<p>Option 3: If you don't have ID</p> <p>You can still vote if you declare your identity and address in writing and have someone who knows you and who is assigned to your polling station vouch for you.</p> <p>The voucher must be able to prove their identity and address. A person can vouch for only one person (except in long-term care facilities).</p>

List of accepted ID to prove your identity and address under Option 2

From a government or government agency

- band membership card
- birth certificate
- Canadian citizenship card or certificate
- Canadian Forces identity card
- Canadian passport (accepted only as proof of identity)
- card issued by an Inuit local authority
- firearms licence
- government cheque or cheque stub
- government statement of benefits
- health card
- income tax assessment
- Indian status card or temporary confirmation of registration
- library card
- licence or card issued for fishing, trapping or hunting
- liquor identity card
- Métis card
- old age security card
- parolee card
- property tax assessment or evaluation
- public transportation card
- social insurance number card
- vehicle ownership
- Veterans Affairs health care identification card

From Elections Canada

- targeted revision form to residents of long-term care facilities
- voter information card

From an educational institution

- correspondence issued by a school, college or university
- student identity card

From a health care facility or organization

- blood donor card
- CNIB card
- hospital card
- label on a prescription container
- identity bracelet issued by a hospital or long-term care facility
- medical clinic card

From a financial institution

- bank statement
- credit card
- credit card statement
- credit union statement
- debit card
- insurance certificate, policy or statement
- mortgage contract or statement
- pension plan statement
- personal cheque

From a private organization

- employee card
- residential lease or sub-lease
- utility bill (e.g.: electricity; water; telecommunications services, including telephone, cable or satellite)

Letters of confirmation

- letter from a public curator, public guardian or public trustee
- letter of confirmation of residence from a First Nations band or reserve or an Inuit local authority
- letter of confirmation of residence from an Alberta Metis Settlement authority
- letter of confirmation of residence, letter of stay, admission form, or statement of benefits from one of the following designated establishments:
 - student residence
 - seniors' residence
 - long-term care facility
 - shelter
 - soup kitchen
 - a community-based residential facility

Important information about ID

- We accept pieces of ID in their original format. If your document was issued electronically, like an e-statement or an e-invoice, bring a printout or show it on a mobile device.
- We accept different pieces of ID from the same source if the documents serve different purposes. For example, we accept an invoice and a transcript from the same school.
- The pieces of ID must be issued with your name and current address. They can't be added by hand, unless they are added by the issuer of the document, like a residence administrator or a guardian.
- Expired ID can be used as proof of identity if it has your name and as a proof of residence if it has your name and current address.
- The pieces of ID listed above are authorized by the Chief Electoral Officer. No other pieces will be accepted.
- The pieces of ID required for a federal election are not the same as for provincial, territorial or municipal elections.