

PTP Campaign Fellow – 2026 General Election

Time Commitment: 15 or 30 hours per week

Compensation: \$250/week (15 hrs) or \$500/week (30 hrs)

Program Dates: June–November 7, 2026 (start dates vary by campaign)

About the Program

The Progressive Turnout Project (PTP) Campaign Fellows Program expands Democratic voter turnout by placing trained fellows into priority campaigns.

After being identified by a selected campaign or partner organization (e.g., party/legislative committee or campaign committee), Fellows are hired and paid by PTP and to strengthen field operations in key districts. Fellows focus on direct voter contact—especially door-to-door canvassing—to mobilize Democratic voters and increase turnout where it matters most.

This program combines paid field experience, structured training, and real electoral impact, making it one of the most hands-on ways to work on competitive campaigns.

Fellows play a direct role in increasing turnout in competitive districts that determine control of state legislatures and Congress.

What You'll Do

Field Work (Core Responsibility)

- Knock doors and have conversations with voters to increase Democratic turnout
- Communicate campaign messaging clearly, respectfully, and persuasively
- Record voter data accurately using campaign tools (e.g., MiniVAN)
- Meet weekly goals for voter contact, turf completion, and data reporting

Campaign Integration

- Work within the assigned field program led by the partner organization or campaign
- Support staging locations, canvass launches, and volunteer efforts
- Build relationships with organizers, staff, and fellow canvassers
- Receive day-to-day direction from the partner organization's field team

PTP Program Responsibilities

- Submit a weekly report tracking voter contact metrics and field activity
- Participate in PTP trainings, check-ins, and program requirements
- Maintain consistent communication with PTP staff

What You'll Gain

- Direct campaign experience in competitive elections
- Hands-on training in voter persuasion, turnout strategy, and field operations
- Exposure to data-driven organizing and campaign infrastructure
- A strong foundation for future roles in campaigns, advocacy, or public service
- Opportunity to contribute to electing Democrats and defending democracy

Who This Role Is For

You'll be a strong fit if you:

- Are 18+ and authorized to work in the U.S.
- Are comfortable having conversations with voters at the door
- Are motivated by electoral impact and increasing Democratic turnout
- Can commit to a consistent weekly schedule through Election Day
- Are organized, responsive, and able to manage multiple responsibilities
- Are comfortable using tools like Google Suite and campaign apps

Important Notes

- Fellows are part-time employees of PTP, not the campaign/partner organization
- Fellows are assigned to support a partner organization's field program, which may deploy them across targeted districts
- Schedules, locations, and responsibilities may shift based on campaign needs

How to Apply

To become a PTP Fellow, you must be recruited or referred by a participating campaign or partner organization.

If you're interested, connect with participating campaigns or partner organizations in your area, or contact PTP for more information.

Questions about the role may be directed to:
fellows-program-staff@turnoutpac.org

About PTP

Progressive Turnout Project is dedicated to mobilizing the Democratic Party. Our voter turnout initiatives focus on motivating Democrats to exercise their right to vote and building long-term power.

Through data-driven research, we design, test, and deploy specialized voter turnout programs. We share resources, implement strategy, and offer expertise to advance Democrats and democracy.

Progressive Turnout Project is committed to building a staff that reflects the diversity of the communities we serve. We strongly encourage individuals with the listed experience and skills to apply. PTP is an Equal Opportunity Employer and prohibits discrimination on the basis of age, disability, genetic information, national origin, race or color, religion, sex, citizenship or immigration status, military or veteran status, or any other basis prohibited by applicable law.

Looking for fellows in NE, SW, & Central Ohio

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