

# Voting Requirements & Election Calendar

## Qualifications

You may register and vote if you are:

- A United States citizen.
- A Kansas resident.
- At least 18 years old on election day.

## Registration

1. Registration is required before voting.
2. Register at your county election office or at locations designated by the election officer.
3. You also can register when applying for or renewing a driver's license.
4. You can register to vote online with a valid Kansas driver's license or nondriver's identification card at <https://www.kdor.org/voterregistration>.
5. You can register to vote by mail. Print the form at <http://www.sos.ks.gov/forms/elections/voterregistration.pdf>.
6. Registration is closed 21 days before any election, and re-opens the day after the election.

## Re-registration

You should re-register if you:

1. Change your address.
2. Change your name.
3. Change your party affiliation.

## Party Affiliation

You may declare a party affiliation when you register to vote, or you may sign a declaration at the voting place when you vote in a primary election. You also may choose not to affiliate with any political party.

## 2018 Election Calendar

### Primary Election:

July 17 ..... Last day to register  
July 18 ..... Advance voting begins  
August 7 ..... Primary Election

### General Election:

October 16 ..... Last day to register  
October 17 ..... Advance voting begins  
November 6 ..... General Election

## Advance Voting

If you are a registered voter, you can vote before election day either by mail or in person. Contact your county election office to request a ballot.

## Kansas Voter ID Law

Every voter must show a government-issued photo ID document when voting. A voter requesting a ballot by mail must either write his or her driver's license number on the application or send a copy of a photo ID to get a ballot. A voter age 65 and older may use an expired document. Certain individuals are exempt from the ID requirements.

More information about the Kansas Voter ID Law, as well as a list of documents that may be used as photographic identification for purposes of voting in Kansas, may be found at <http://www.voteks.org> or [www.gotvoterid.com](http://www.gotvoterid.com).

## Questions

If you have questions about voter registration or any part of the election process, contact your county election office or the secretary of state's office.

800-262-VOTE

<http://www.voteks.org>