Registering to Vote is Easy!
A Guide to Voter Registration for Private and Public University Students

You can vote if you are:

- a U.S. citizen
- at least 18 years old
- have lived at your address for at least 28 days before Election Day
- “off papers” from any felony conviction

If you would like to register to vote in Wisconsin, go to the following link: [myvote.wi.gov/RegisterToVote](http://myvote.wi.gov/RegisterToVote)

When you are at [myvote.wi.gov/RegisterToVote](http://myvote.wi.gov/RegisterToVote) you can use a WI ID to register to vote. If you don’t have a WI ID, you can still register to vote. You will need to mail in your voter registration and proof of residence.

You can also register to vote with your proof of residence at the polls. You will also need your ID to vote.

**Deadlines to register:**

- For the April 5 election, online voter registration ends March 16.
- For the Aug. 9 election, online voter registration ends July 20.
- For the Nov. 8 election, online voter registration ends Oct. 19.
- If you don’t register in advance, you can register in person on Election Day.
If you don’t have a WI driver’s license, you can use any of the following documents to register to vote. Please make sure they have your name and current WI address:

Acceptable proof of residency documents:

- **College fee statement from last 9 months and student ID**
- A current and valid State of Wisconsin Drivers License or State ID card
- Any other official identification card or license issued by a Wisconsin governmental body or unit with current address
- A real estate tax bill or receipt for the current year or the year preceding the date of the election
- A utility bill for the period commencing not earlier than 90 days before registering
- A bank or credit union statement
- A paycheck or pay stub
- A check or other document issued by any government agency or public school
- Homeless voters can prove their voting address with an affidavit from a social service agency. The Wisconsin Elections Commission provides sample letters here.
- A university, college, or technical college ID card if accompanied by a fee statement for the current semester
- Any identification card issued by an employer in the normal course of business and bearing a photo of the card holder, but not including a business card
- An intake document from a residential care facility such as a nursing home or assisted living facility.
- Residential lease that is effective on date of registration. (Not valid if registering by mail)
- A letter from your tribal government
- *This is not a comprehensive list, but categories of the most common types used by voters. For more information, visit [https://myvote.wi.gov/en-us/ProofofResidence](https://myvote.wi.gov/en-us/ProofofResidence)*

Once you have your proof of residency document, follow these steps:

- Go to [https://myvote.wi.gov/en-us/RegisterToVote](https://myvote.wi.gov/en-us/RegisterToVote) to register.
- You will need to mail in your proof of residency document and voter registration form.