KNOW YOUR RIGHTS.
MAKE YOUR PLAN.
#VOTE2020

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2020 ELECTION OVERVIEW
Local, State & Federal Elections
WHAT'S ON THE 2020 BALLOT?

NORTH CAROLINA

What do you care about? The results of the 2020 national, state-wide, and local elections will affect you and your family every day, so make sure your voice is heard—VOTE!

ELECTION DAYS
MARCH 3, 2020
NOVEMBER 3, 2020

1. HEALTHCARE
Federal, state, and county officials are responsible for the nation's health, including the quality and availability of health services and public health programs like maternal and child health.

2. CRIMINAL JUSTICE
Elected members of the federal and state legislature, along with elected district attorneys and judges, decide what is a crime and how it should be punished.

3. EDUCATION
Local, state, and federal elected officials decide how much tax money is spent educating each student, what is taught in schools, and what is required to graduate.

4. CIVIL RIGHTS
The US and NC Constitutions mandate equal protection under the law for every person. Elected officials have an impact on how equal protection is enforced.

5. CLIMATE
Environmental laws, rules, and regulations—drinking water, air quality, etc.—are made at the local, state, and federal level. Look to your ballot if you care about these issues!

LEARN MORE
Researching Candidates

- [youcanvote.org/lookup](http://youcanvote.org/lookup) - Find your sample ballot so you know what you’re voting on
- [vote411.org](http://vote411.org) - A nonpartisan resource from our friends at the League of Women Voters

Review other resources:
- Candidate websites/social media
- Organizational endorsements
- Local newspapers
- Search for candidate forums & debates
- YCV is nonpartisan. Other resources may not be. Pay attention to the source
3 WAYS TO VOTE IN NC

#1: Vote EARLY! Vote at ANY early voting site in your County.
   ‣ There’s no “wrong precinct”
   ‣ Can use same-day registration
   ‣ youcanvote.org/voting

#2: Vote Election Day! Must be registered and go to YOUR ASSIGNED POLLING LOCATION.
   ‣ youcanvote.org/lookup

#3: Vote by Mail! Any registered voter can vote by mail.
   ‣ It’s a two-step process: request and return a ballot
   ‣ youcanvote.org/mail
Help voters understand the importance of MAKING A PLAN TO VOTE EARLY

★ Hours on nights and weekends
★ Can fix any problems with registration
★ Get registered and vote same day
★ Make sure your vote counts!

YOU CAN VOTE EARLY
OCTOBER 15-31

Vote at any Early Voting site in your county! youcanvote.org/voting
You can register and vote at any Early Voting site in your county.
YOU MUST BE REGISTERED to vote on Election Day.

YOU MUST GO TO YOUR ASSIGNED POLLING SITE to vote on Election Day.

LOOKUP YOUR REGISTRATION during Early Voting to make sure you are registered.

Share: youcanvote.org/register

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

2020 ELECTION DAY

Vote only at your assigned polling site from 6:30am-7:30pm.

Find your site and your ballot: youcanvote.org/lookup

Voter Hotline for Questions or Problems:
1-888-OUR-VOTE
Option 1: Register at campus address. This is often the easiest option for students at residential campuses. You have the option to register where you’re going to college.

Option 2: Register at back home. If you moved for college, you can register back home whether that’s elsewhere in NC, or out of state. You’ll need to head home at election time or request an absentee ballot to cast your vote if you select this option.

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REGISTERING TO VOTE

Touch Free at
youcanvote.org/register
WHO CAN REGISTER & VOTE IN NC?

REQUIREMENTS:

› Be a US citizen.
› Be 16-years-old to pre-register and 18 by Election Day to vote.
› Live at your residence for at least 30 days before Election Day.
› Not currently serving a felony sentence or on probation or parole for a felony.
Register entirely online!

Begin the form online. Form sent to voter to sign, date, mail to BOE. Pre-addressed, stamped envelope provided for free.

1. Visit youcanvote.org/register
2. You can confirm, update, and register to vote
3. Fill out and submit the required information for your voter registration application.
4. Only voters without an NC ID or Drivers License will be mailed:
   - Your filled out voter application
   - A stamped envelope that is already addressed
5. Sign and date your application.
6. Put the application back in the envelope, and then into the mailbox.

*Note: Updated information only applies to your voter registration, NOT your voter ID!
HAVE NC DMV ID & SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER?
- Entire process can be done online, except for name change.
- No signature required
- Follow steps carefully!

1. Select "NC VOTER REGISTRATION"

2. Select “Go to Voter Registration Application”
NO DMV ID? NO PROBLEM!

1. Select “CONTINUE”
2. Submit your info
3. Check your mail!

Registration Options

Great news! Your state offers online voter registration! If you have a valid state driver’s license or DMV-issued ID then use the state website to register:

NC VOTER REGISTRATION

If not, we can still help you register:

CONTINUE

How to Use This Registration Form

1. Fill out and submit the required information for your voter registration application.

2. Only voters without an NC ID or Drivers License will be mailed:
   - Your filled out voter application
   - A stamped envelope that is already addressed

3. Sign and date your application.

4. Put the application back in the envelope, and then into the mailbox.

IF YOU’RE A STUDENT, CLICK HERE FOR CAMPUS-SPECIFIC INFO
NO PHOTO ID REQUIRED IN 2020!

› For voters using same day registration at Early Voting, bring a proof of residency document:

A photo ID, bill, government check, or bank statement that includes your name and your registration address.
ACTION STEPS YOU CAN TAKE!

‣ Invite me or another YCV speaker to virtual speaking engagements in classes, at student group meetings, or at events
  ‣ rachel@youcanvote.org
‣ Join us for monthly #Vote2020 webinars & twice weekly trainings (encourage your friends to attend a training!).
  ‣ youcanvote.org/events
‣ Phone and text banking
  ‣ youcanvote.org/events
‣ YCV Champions: distribute materials on campus or in the community
  ‣ youcanvote.org/champions
‣ Follow/share social media @ycv_students
Thank You!