

Wisconsin's Voter ID Rules

Wisconsin requires photo ID to vote.

In Person: You must show an accepted photo ID.

By Mail: You need to include a copy of accepted photo ID with your **first** absentee ballot request.

Most people use one of the following IDs:

Ok if expired after Nov. 5, 2024

- Wisconsin driver's license
- Wisconsin state ID card
- US passport
- Military ID

If you're a student, you can use student ID issued by an institution accredited in Wisconsin:

- ID must show your signature
- ID must show the issuance date
- ID must show an expiration date that is within 2 years of issuance
- If your ID is expired, you must also show current proof of enrollment (examples: tuition fee receipt, course schedule)

You can also use:

- Veterans Affairs Card
(Unexpired or no expiration date)
- Tribal ID issued by tribe in Wisconsin
(Can be expired)
- Certificate of Naturalization
(Issued within 2 years)
- ID receipt from Wisconsin DMV

2026 Primary Election

Online & Mail Registration Deadline: Jan. 28

Deadline to Request Mail Ballot: Feb. 12

Election Day: February 17
(Same-day registration available!)

Do you need ID?

VoteRiders is sending you this letter because we want to make sure you have the right ID to vote.

Please contact us if you have questions or need help getting an ID!



Call or Text 866-432-8683

All our services are free.

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Get ready to vote!



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- Voter ID info and help
- Check or update registration
- Request absentee ballot
- Información en español

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