

How do I Register & Vote A guide for General Voters

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Systematic Voters' Education & Electoral Participation (SVEEP) Election Commission of India

You can enroll as a General Voter if you are



- An Indian citizen
- 18 years of age on 1st January





Who is not qualified to be enrolled in the Electoral Roll



GETTING STARTED: Registration in the Electoral Roll

Enrol as a General Voter



Collect **Form 6** from Electoral Registration Officer (ERO) or Booth Level Officer (BLO)

Fill Form 6

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Download **Form 6**, fill 2 copies and submit to ERO

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Fill **Form 6 online** on **www.nvsp.in** and upload required documents





OR Send by Post



Documents required with Form 6



Passport size colour photo

Photo-copies of documentary proof of age and residence



The list of documentary proof of age and residence which can be enclosed is given in the guidelines with **Form 6**.



Documentary proof of age for ages 18 to 21. For other cases, declaration of age by applicant is required

Declaration of Age

EPIC – Electors Photo Identity Card

Booth Level Officer visits address







If form is accepted, BLO delivers EPIC or calls you to office



If you have shifted home:

- Same constituency- fill Form 8A online or download and submit to the ERO/ AERO of the area
- Different constituency- fill Form 6 online or download Form 6 and submit



If you want to change address in EPIC, make a payment of Rs. 25 with an application to Electoral Registration Officer of the new constituency. The new EPIC address will carry the same EPIC number as the old one.

How to make modifications or corrections in your entries in the electoral roll

For correction of mistakes in electoral roll, fill **Form 8 online** or download the **Form 8** and submit to the ERO/ AERO.







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What is Form 7?

Application for objecting inclusion of or deleting a name from the electoral roll. You have to be registered as a voter to fill this form.

Deletion/Objection of inclusion/exclusion of name from electoral roll if:

- Person has shifted residence \mathbf{O}
- Known person is dead Ö
- \mathbf{O} Not eligible for other reasons



Casting your Valuable Vote

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Check your name on the Voter List which is available on the website of Chief Electoral Officer

Holiday is granted

on the day of poll

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Voter list is also available in the office of ERO

Stand in queue. Keep ID and the voter slip ready

Gadgets not allowed inside a polling booth

Polling official I: checks name on voter list and ID proof

Polling official II: inks finger, gives chit and takes your signature

Polling official III: takes chit and checks your finger

press button to vote on the Electronic Voting Machine; you hear a beep sound Press NOTA if you don't like any candidate

NOTA

KEEPING IN MIND: Points to Remember

Check your name on the electoral roll ahead of election on the website of the Chief Electoral Officer of your state – Having an EPIC does not guarantee you a vote, having the name on Electoral Roll is a must

Help Line - Call 1950 during elections to get any information related to enrolment and voting No person can be enrolled in more than one electoral roll; so while getting yourself enrolled at the new place of residence get your name deleted from the electoral roll of old assembly constituency

My Vote is Not for Sale Distribution of money, liquor or any other item among electors is a crime; both the giver and the taker are liable to imprisonment and fine

Find out the name of your Assembly Constituency and any other detail from www.eci.nic.in, www.ecisveep.nic.in or at www.nvsp.in



So get enrolled today to vote in the next election!



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Founded in 1950, the Election Commission of India conducts the entire process of elections to the office of the President, Vice President, Parliament and the State Assemblies. In the performance of its functions ECI not only prepares, maintains and periodically updates the Electoral Rolls, supervises the nominations of candidates, registers political parties, monitors the election campaigns and funding of candidates, but also ensures active and aware electoral participation of the second largest population in the world through its SVEEP programme.

The Constitution of India grants its every eligible citizen, regardless of gender, religion, caste, education, socio economic status or location - a right to vote and every vote carries the same value. Hence, it becomes imperative for all citizens to actively partake in the electoral process, ensuring many other rights by utilizing the right to vote. Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP) is

a programme to educate citizens, electors and voters about the electoral process and to enhance people's participation in the processes. SVEEP is based on a threepronged strategy of **INFORMATION-** To meet any gaps in information about the What, Where, When and How of registration and

MOTIVATION- To plug the gaps in motivation among people, catering to the Why posed by the people FACILITATION- To facilitate the citizens by making their electoral participation, easier, convenient and friendly.

voting process

CONTACT US: Help at Hand

Download requisite forms at **www.eci.nic.in** and find all the information you need at **www.nvsp.in** Also get updates, participate in exciting online competitions and win exclusive ECI merchandise on SVEEP Portal at **www.ecisveep.nic.in**



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