## 6 Steps to Becoming an Informed Voter



Use these tips to become a confident voter when casting your ballot this year.



Check your state's dates and deadlines for registering to vote and voting early or by absentee ballot on the Secretary of State or Board of Elections website.



Research your candidates to see who is running in your area. Visit their campaign websites and social media accounts for information on their platform and upcoming events.



If you plan to vote by absentee ballot and your state's rules allow you to do so, be sure to submit your application and vote your ballot ahead of your state's deadlines.



Look-up your voter information on file and update your address if necessary ahead of your state's voter registration deadline.



Attend town halls or candidate meet and greets to hear more about their stance on the issues and ask questions.



Vote! Look-up your polling place and voting hours before heading out on Election Day to cast your ballot.