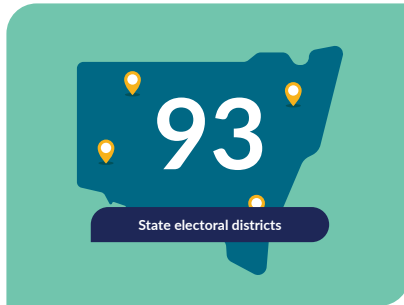


# Voting at the election

The NSW State election will be held on Saturday, 25 March 2023.

Voting is compulsory.



## Did you know...

New South Wales is divided into 93 state electoral districts, also called electorates.

At a state election, voters in each electoral district elect a member to represent them in the Legislative Assembly. This is also called the lower house. Voters also elect half of the 42-member Legislative Council for an eight-year term. This is also called the upper house.

## Make sure you're correctly enrolled

You must enrol to vote if you are 18 years old or over and an Australian citizen.

The New South Wales electoral roll is jointly managed by the NSW Electoral Commission and the Australian Electoral Commission. You can enrol to vote, check your enrolment details and update your information online by visiting [aec.gov.au/enrol](http://aec.gov.au/enrol)



## How to cast your vote

For this election, you can vote:

- in person on election day, or
- in person before election day at an early voting centre, if you are eligible, or
- by postal vote, if you are eligible.

If you are blind or have low vision, you can vote using operator-assisted telephone voting.

There is no internet voting (iVote) for the 2023 NSW State election.

To find out more information about your voting options and to check your eligibility, visit the NSW Electoral Commission's website at [elections.nsw.gov.au](http://elections.nsw.gov.au)

## Voting on election day

To vote on election day Saturday, 25 March 2023, visit a voting centre between 8am and 6pm.

To find out where you can vote on election day, visit [elections.nsw.gov.au](http://elections.nsw.gov.au)

In the "Find my electorate" tool, enter the address of where you are enrolled to vote to find a list of voting centres and information about each venue's accessibility.



## Early voting

If you are eligible to vote in person before election day, you can visit an early voting centre on Saturday, 18 March and from Monday, 20 March to Friday, 24 March 2023.

To find out if you are eligible, and where you can vote before election day, go to [elections.nsw.gov.au](http://elections.nsw.gov.au)

## Voting by post

You may be eligible to vote by post and have your ballot papers mailed to you. Check your eligibility at [elections.nsw.gov.au](http://elections.nsw.gov.au)

Apply online or over the phone by calling 1300 135 736.

You can also apply by downloading and completing the application form on the website.

## Key dates for postal voting

- Postal vote applications open Monday, 16 January 2023
- Postal vote applications close 6pm Monday, 20 March 2023
- Postal packs will be sent out from the week starting Monday, 13 March 2023.
- Complete your ballot papers and postal vote certificate by 6pm on election day, 25 March 2023.
- Your completed postal vote must be received by the NSW Electoral Commission by 6pm on Thursday, 6 April 2023.



For more information about the 2023 NSW State election, visit [elections.nsw.gov.au](http://elections.nsw.gov.au) or call 1300 135 736