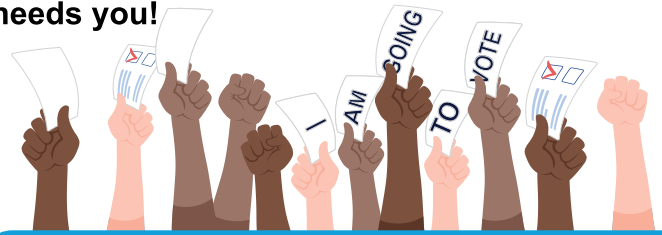


# Vote in the 2024 Elections

The countdown to South Africa's 2024 National and Provincial Elections has begun. Don't miss out on your chance to make a difference and let your voice be heard. Your democracy needs you!



## What are National and Provincial Elections?

National and Provincial elections are two different elections to choose representatives to the National Assembly and nine Provincial Legislatures. Although they are different elections, they are held on the same day nationwide.



## What is the difference between National Assembly and Provincial Legislatures?

- National Assembly makes and carries out laws and policies for the whole country.
- A Provincial Legislature makes and carries out laws and policies that affect the province only.



## How many ballots will I get?

If you vote at the voting station where you are registered, you will receive three ballots, not just two as in the past such elections.

### Ballot 1

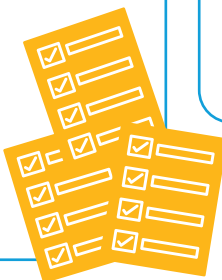
National Ballot to vote for a political party to represent you in the National Assembly.

### Ballot 2

Regional Ballot is a new ballot to vote for political parties or independent candidates contesting in that region (province) for elections to the National Assembly.

### Ballot 3

Provincial Ballots to vote for political parties or independent candidates contesting elections of the provincial legislature in that province.



## What's new in the 2024 Elections?

For the first time in South Africa, people who are not associated with political parties may stand as independent candidates to contest National and Provincial Elections, thanks to the 2023 Electoral Amendment Act.



## When are the 2024 Elections?

South Africa's seventh democratic elections must be held between May and August 2024. The exact date will be announced by the President early in 2024. Don't miss out – get ready to vote in the 2024 Elections!



## Who can register?

South African citizens aged 16 years+ may register as voters.  
To vote you must be 18 years+.



## What do you need to register?

Citizens need an SA ID card, ID book or valid temporary ID to register as voters. You must provide an address or description of where you live.

No proof of address is needed.



## Moved since you registered?

In the 2024 Elections you must register where you live, and vote where you are registered. So if you've moved since you last registered or voted, you need to re-register at your new address. Don't worry, it's easy!

- Update your address online anytime, anywhere. Go to <http://registertovote.elections.org.za>. It's safe, quick, and easy.
- Register at the voting station for your voting district between 8am-5pm on the weekend of **18 and 19 November 2023**. Find your voting station at <https://maps.elections.org.za/vsfinder/>.
- Register at your local IEC office Mon-Fri 8am-5pm. Visit [www.elections.org.za/pw/About-Us/Find-IEC-Local-Offices](http://www.elections.org.za/pw/About-Us/Find-IEC-Local-Offices). Call first to check availability.

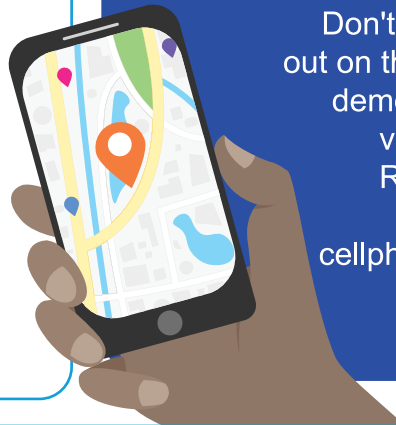
## How to check if you already registered?

- SMS your ID number to 32810 (R1/SMS)
- Go to [www.elections.org.za/pw/Voter/Voter-Information](http://www.elections.org.za/pw/Voter/Voter-Information) and enter your ID number
- Call the IEC helpline 0800 11 8000 nearer to the elections.



## Share the message

Don't let your family and friends miss out on their chance to have a say in our democracy. Help them to register as voters or check their registration. Remember you will need their ID number, full name, address and cellphone number/email address and permission to do so.



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