



GOTV in Arkansas

First things first

Register to vote:

- Go to: vote411.org/pflag
 - Check your registration status
 - If you are not registered – REGISTER NOW.
 - Find information about who is eligible to vote in Arkansas
- When you register you will be asked for your current address and ID Number (driver's license, state ID, or social security number).
- The voter registration deadline in Arkansas is October 5. If you are submitting your registration application by mail, it must be postmarked by October 5.



Voter Identification

In Arkansas, photo IDs are required to register and cast a ballot.

- If you're registered to vote but your name doesn't appear on the registration list, if you don't have a valid ID, or your eligibility is questioned by a poll watcher you can cast a provisional ballot.
- For more information visit: vote411.org/pflag
- There are resources available to help:
 - **League of Women Voters of Arkansas:** lwvar.org
 - **Vote Riders:** voteriders.org/freehelp/

Acceptable Photo ID

State issued photo
ID

U.S. Passport

AR Voter
Identification Card

US Passport

Student or employee
ID from an
accredited college or
university

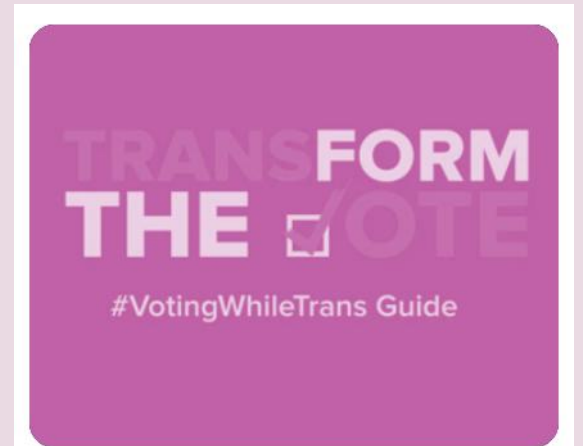
Military ID

And more!

Voting While Trans/Nonbinary

The state of Arkansas does not provide any specific guidance for trans and nonbinary voters. Here are a few recommendations from Advocates for Trans Equality:

- Bring valid ID and backups (voter registration card, utility bill)
- Share the #VotingWhileTrans guide with poll workers
- If needed, connect with a volunteer attorney on-site or call the National Election Protection Hotline (866-OUR-VOTE)
- Worst case, request and cast a provisional ballot and be sure to ask for follow-up instructions



TRANSform the Vote

Voting While Living With a Disability

- The Arkansas Secretary of State does not (currently) provide guidance online for people with disabilities; however, federal law requires polling places to have specific accommodations available.
- Arkansas voters can vote by mail if they are unable to go to the polls due to physical disability.
- The US Vote Foundation offers additional information here: usvotefoundation.org/disabled-voter-guide/arkansas
- Disability Rights Arkansas helps make sure that people with disabilities have voting access in Arkansas. If you need help or have a question, contact them at 800-482-1174 or online: disabilityrightsar.org/voting-rights/.

Voting as a New Citizen

Naturalized citizens have the same right to vote as citizens born in the United States. VoteRiders, a nonpartisan organization focused on voter-ID, recommends that new citizens:

- Update ID documents to be sure your citizen status is reflected accurately.
- Check your voter registration to ensure that you are registered (and then check again before your state's voter registration deadline).
- Familiarize yourself with the laws in your state that have to do with voting. Verify if language assistance is readily available.
- You can find additional information here: voteriders.org/voter/citizen



Absentee voting or voting by mail

Vote by mail.

- Arkansas requires an excuse for absentee voting. Valid excuses include:
 - You will be unavoidably absent from your polling site on Election Day
 - You will be unable to attend your polling site on Election Day due to illness or physical disability
 - You are a member of the Uniformed Services and are away from your polling location
 - You are a US citizen whose residence is in Arkansas but is temporarily living outside of the US



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- Voters must request their absentee ballot by October 27 if they're requesting by mail; the deadline is by close of business on October 30 for those requesting in person.
- In Arkansas, an absentee ballot must be received by October 30 if dropping it off in person; the deadline is 7:30pm on November 3 for those returning their ballot by mail.
- Absentee ballots cannot be hand-delivered to your polling place.
- You can access an absentee ballot application here:
sos.arkansas.gov/elections/voter-information/absentee-voting.



**PFLAG recommends that voters
request their absentee ballots as soon
as possible and get them in the
mailbox no later than Tuesday,
October 20.**

Early voting

Vote early.

- All registered voters in Arkansas can vote early for any reason.
- You can find information about early voting locations in Arkansas here: vote411.org/pflag
- Early voting begins on October 19 and ends on November 2.
- Voters who plan to vote early are required to have identification. Learn more here: sos.arkansas.gov/elections/voter-information/voter-registration-information/voting-in-arkansas



Voting on Election Day:

Vote on election day.

- Polls open in Arkansas at 7:30am and close at 7:30pm on Tuesday, November 3.
- You can find information about the location of your polling place here:
vote411.org/pflag
- If you arrive and are told you won't be allowed to vote:
 - Don't panic. Ask why, fix any problems, ask about same day registration, request a provisional ballot, etc.
 - Call 866-OUR-VOTE or 888-VE-Y-VOTA.



**If you are in line to vote
when the polls close,
STAY IN LINE.**