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Northwestern University is required by the Higher Education Act to provide students with information on voter registration. The University encourages members of the NU community who are eligible to register and vote.

### Resources and Registration Tools

Northwestern has created a website to help members of the University community (students, faculty, and staff) register themselves, update their registration, check their registration status, and/or request an absentee ballot (college students have a legal right to register and vote at either their permanent or campus address). You can access this tool at [www.NUVotes.org](http://www.NUVotes.org).

### The easiest way to register:

If you have questions, or would like assistance with extra steps that are often required (like printing, copying your photo ID, mailing, etc.), we encourage you to stop by an **NU VOTER REGISTRATION STATION** on the Evanston or Chicago Campus **TOMORROW (Monday, October 10)**.

- The **Evanston Campus** Voter Registration Station will be open in the Mezzanine Entryway at the Norris University Center from 10:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.
- The **Chicago Campus** Voter Registration Station will open be in the Atrium of the Rubloff Building at the Pritzker Law School from 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

### Process and Deadlines

Please note, voter registration and absentee ballot requests are a process managed by each individual state, so while these web tools and in-person resources are intended to assist you, ultimately it is each voter's own responsibility to work with their state's board of elections to make sure that they get registered properly and on time.

Deadlines for registration and absentee requests vary by state – and many deadlines are this week.

- In **Illinois**, full registration (paper and online) is open until **Tuesday, October 11**.
- Illinois online registration is open - for registrants with an Illinois Drivers License **ONLY** - through **Sunday, October 23**.

### Year-Round Registration Support

Remember, members of the Northwestern community can always register to vote and get help with registration questions at the Center for Civic Engagement (1813 Hinman Avenue) on the Evanston Campus.

### NU Votes

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