

YOUR VOICE MATTERS

VOTE IN NJ

Cast a ballot this November to help shape your
community. Vote!

SWIPE TO LEARN HOW

BY NIHARIKA IYER, SANA MAMTANEY

STEP 1: DECIDE HOW YOU WANT TO VOTE

There are two methods of voting for you to choose between:

1 In-Person Voting

This takes place at a voting booth.

If you did not provide ID when you registered to vote, you may need to present ID at your polling place which can include:

- driver's license
- military or government ID
- student or job ID
- store membership card
- US passport
- a copy of a current utility bill, bank statement
- car registration
- government check
- rent receipt

or other official document that contains the name and address of the voter



2 Mail-In Voting

Convenient for staying home due to COVID-19 or being away/at college. If you are an active registered voter, you will automatically be mailed a ballot to your registered address. .



STEP 2: PREPARE TO VOTE

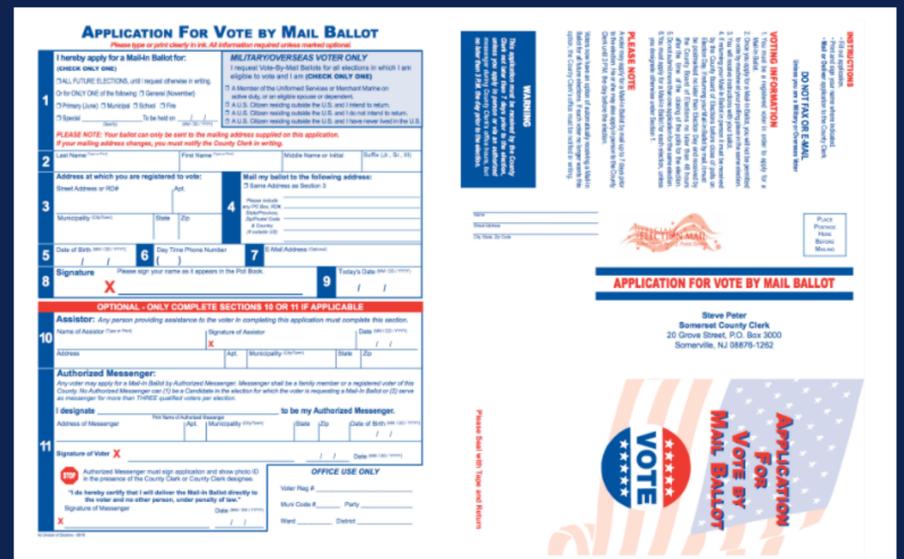
All NJ residents who are already registered to vote will automatically receive a mail-in ballot prior to the election. If you are not yet registered, use the link below to ensure that you will receive a ballot in November.

The form should look like this:

Visit

<https://www.state.nj.us/state/elections/vote-by-mail.shtml>

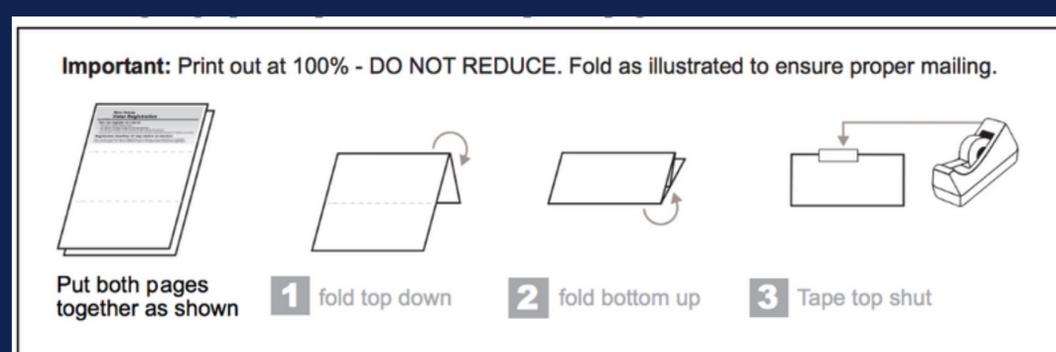
and select your county's vote by mail application.

The image shows a sample of the 'APPLICATION FOR VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT' form. It is a multi-section document with numbered fields (1-11) for personal information, address, and signature. It includes a 'MILITARY/OVERSEAS VOTER ONLY' section and an 'ASSISTANT' section. There are also instructions, a 'WARNING' box, and a 'MAIL BALLOT' logo. The form is titled 'APPLICATION FOR VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT' and includes the Somerset County Clerk's contact information.

New Jersey is pursuing a hybrid voting model, in which in person voting is also available in all counties. Mail-in ballots can also be placed in secure drop boxes around the state, if you want an alternative to mailing them in through the US Postal Service.

If you will be in college (including out of state) or not at the address where you are registered to vote on election day (November 3rd), indicate the address for where your ballot is to be mailed to you. If you will not be at your registered address, it is imperative to send a vote by mail application to ensure that your ballot is mailed to the right address.

If you will be at the address you are registered to vote at but would rather not vote in person on election day, mark the checkbox to mail the ballot to your registered address. You should only do this if you registered to vote after October 5th or are an inactive registered voter, otherwise you will be mailed a ballot automatically.



Voting in Person:

Visit <https://voter.svrs.nj.gov/polling-place-search> and input your street address and zip code to find your polling place

STEP 3: RESEARCH THE CANDIDATES TO DETERMINE WHO YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOTE FOR

The following elections are taking place in November 2020:

Presidential Election:

- **JOE BIDEN (D)**
- **DONALD TRUMP (R)**

12 House of Representatives Elections:

- Find your congressional district based on the map on the left and do some research to find which candidates are running

1 Senate Election:

- **CORY BOOKER (D)**
- **RIK MEHTA (R)**



Ways To Research the Candidates:

Enter your information on

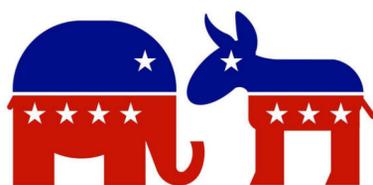
https://ballotpedia.org/New_Jersey_Sample_Ballot

to view the candidates who will be on your ballot

Visit <https://www.knowyourvote.io/> and type in a

candidate's name to see where they stand on

different issues



STEP 4: VOTE!



REGISTRATION

RECEIVED BY:
October 13, 2020

BALLOT
REQUEST

BY MAIL:
October 4, 2020
BY EMAIL/FAX:
October 30, 2020

BALLOT
RETURN

RECEIVED BY:
November 3, 2020
ELECTION DAY

