



VOTING MADE EASY: COLLEGE GUIDE

I. REGISTER

Registering is easy. The only requirement is that you are 18 years of age before the election date, which is Tuesday, November 2nd. The deadline to register to vote is Friday, October 1st.

Some students choose to register in their home town and vote by absentee ballot. You may also register in the county where you attend school but you have to live there 30 days before you register to vote.

To register, you can get a form online at www.sos.state.ms.us or you can request one by calling the Mississippi Secretary of State's Office at 601-359-6342. The registration form will have your county circuit clerk office's address. Simply mail it to your county circuit clerk's office and you are finished. You will receive your voter registration card and voter precinct information in the mail.

2. GET OUT AND VOTE

You registered to vote...Now what? You can vote two ways, either at your polling place or by absentee ballot. If you are registered somewhere besides the county where you go to school, you will either need to drive to the county where you are registered or you can vote by absentee ballot. To vote by absentee ballot, please contact your circuit clerk's office. The telephone numbers are posted on operationhealthyvote.com under all about absentee ballots.

3. FINAL THOUGHTS

Several important elections will take place this November, including: President, US House of Representatives (all four seats) and MS Supreme Court (four positions). Remember that your opinion matters and every vote counts. Get out, register and vote!

For help with any Mississippi elections question, please contact the Secretary of State's Office at 359-6357 or 800-829-6786, or your county Circuit Clerk.