

Nevada

Voting is the cornerstone right of our democracy. You can only have your voice and your needs reflected in government if you vote. Pre-registration is an important tool that allows people younger than 18 to vote as soon as they are eligible.

- ✓ Nevada has pre-registration to vote starting at age 17 (effective as of Jan 1, 2018).¹
- ✓ To pre-register, fill out a standard NV voter registration form.²
 - You can pre-register [online](#). To do this, you need a current and valid Nevada driver's license or state identification card.
 - You can also pre-register by filling out this [form](#). Print, sign, and mail it or bring it to your [local DMV](#) or [county clerk or registrar](#). You do not need state identification or a driver's license to pre-register.³
- ✓ Upon turning 18, those who are pre-registered become automatically registered to vote.⁴ You can [check your registration status](#) online.

Nevada law does not allow those younger than 18 to vote in primary elections, even if they will be 18 by the time of the general election. You must be 18 to vote.⁵

Although Nevada requires poll workers to be registered to vote and at least 18 years old, city clerks may appoint “trainees” so long as they are 16 years old, enrolled in high school, are US citizens, residents of the county in which they serve, and have parental and school permission.⁶

For more information, see ACS’s resources on [pre-registration](#) and [youth poll workers](#) in all 50 states.

ACS encourages everyone to learn more about voter registration in their state. ACS is not a voter registration entity. This is simply an informational tool and is not intended, nor should it serve, as legal advice.

¹ Enacted by [Nevada SB 144 \(as enrolled\)](#) in 2017. Approved by the Governor on June 12, 2017. Effective Jan 1, 2018.

² *Id*

³ *Id*, at Sec. 42(5)

⁴ *Id*, at Sec. 14(2)

⁵ NEV. REV. STAT. 293.485

⁶ NEV. REV. STAT. 293.2175.