



The 2021-2022 Governor's Challenge for Voter Registration Has Started!

The Virginia's Governor's Challenge was established in 2016 to recognize high schools that register the most students!

- High Schools across the Commonwealth must register **65%** of their senior class in order to gain recognition from the Governor's Office.
- Enter the challenge by using your school's unique URL found here: <https://lwv-va.org/virginiahsvr/>. Students without driver's licenses need to apply on paper forms. For information on how to get and return paper forms, email HSVRChallenge@lwv-va.org.
- New Virginia law requires schools assist eligible students to register. Again, we can help you accomplish that – just email us!

What Are The Prerequisites For Registering To Vote In Virginia?

- Be a United States citizen
- Be a resident of Virginia
- Be at least 18 years old by the next general election. 17-year-olds who will turn 18 on or before the next general election (November 2, 2021) can register now.
- Seventeen-year-olds who are registered to vote can also vote in primary AND special elections in Virginia!
- Have had voting rights restored if ever convicted of a felony
- Have had capacity restored if ever declared mentally incapacitated in a Circuit Court.