# REGISTERED

Do You Know?

IT ONLY TAKES 5MINS TO REGISTER TO VOTE

## WHY TO REGISTER?



# THERE'S POWER IN YOUR VOTE.

SPEAK OUT. BE HEARD.



YOUR VOTE MATTERS
DON'T LOSE IT



## BAD POLITICIANS ARE ELECTED BY **GOOD PEOPLE WHO** DON'T VOTE

VOTE IS NOT ONLY TO ELECT RIGHT CANDIDATES
ALSO TO ELIMINATE BAD CANDIDATES



#### **VOTE IT'S YOUR RIGHT**

THESE DAYS MOST OF US TAKE VOTING FOR GRANTED BUT IT HAS NOT ALWAYS BEEN SO EASY. ALTHOUGH VOTING IS ONE OF YOUR RIGHTS - THAT RIGHT HAD TO BE FOUGHT FOR. IN HISTORY MANY DIFFERENT GROUPS WERE DENIED THE RIGHT TO VOTE. FOR THESE CITIZENS PARTICIPATION IN THE VOTING PROCESS WAS ACHIEVED THROUGH YEARS OF STRUGGLE.





### \*\*Non-EU Citizens also entitled to Vote in Local Elections

### **Already Registered:**

if you are an Irish Citizen,
Check Your Details (<u>www.checktheregister.ie</u>)
and make sure **Election Type** is showing as 'P'

Entitlement to vote, based on citizenship outlined below:

	Local Elections	European Elections	Dáil Elections	Referendum or Presidential Election
Resident Irish citizens (P)*	YES	YES	YES	YES
Resident British citizens (D)*	YES	YES	YES	NO
Resident EU citizens (E)*	YES	YES	NO	NO
Resident Non-EU citizens (L)*	YES	NO	NO	NO

<sup>\*</sup> as indicated on the register

## You can now register online, takes <5mins All you need: Your "PPS Number, DOB & Eircode"



## checktheregister.ie

# www.checktheregister.ie Welcome to check the register The easy way to secure your say.

- > The electoral registration process has changed.
- > Even if you are already registered, you now need to add your PPSN, date of birth and Eircode.
- > This will allow your local authority to confirm your details and help to ensure the accuracy of the electoral register.

#### You can now use this site to:

- Register to vote
- Confirm or update your details
- Download forms
- Find more information

#### I want to register to vote

Register online

#### Choose this if you

- want to register online
- have your PPSN and Eircode
- are aged 18 or over and living in Ireland
- are aged 16 or 17 and want to pre-register

I don't have an address Your PPSN and date of birth are needed to enable your local authority to confirm your identity details. Learn more. Local Authority \* 🕜 Select your local authority PPSN \* Address \* Date of Birth \* 7 **Contact Number** Click to pick date... First Name \* Email Address \* Surname \* Confirm Email Address \* Nationality \* This determines which elections you are eligible vote in. For more information see FAQ Next

#### I'm already registered

#### Confirm or update online

#### Choose this if you

- have your PPSN and Eircode
- need to confirm your details
- update your name or address



## checktheregister.ie

**FAQ** 

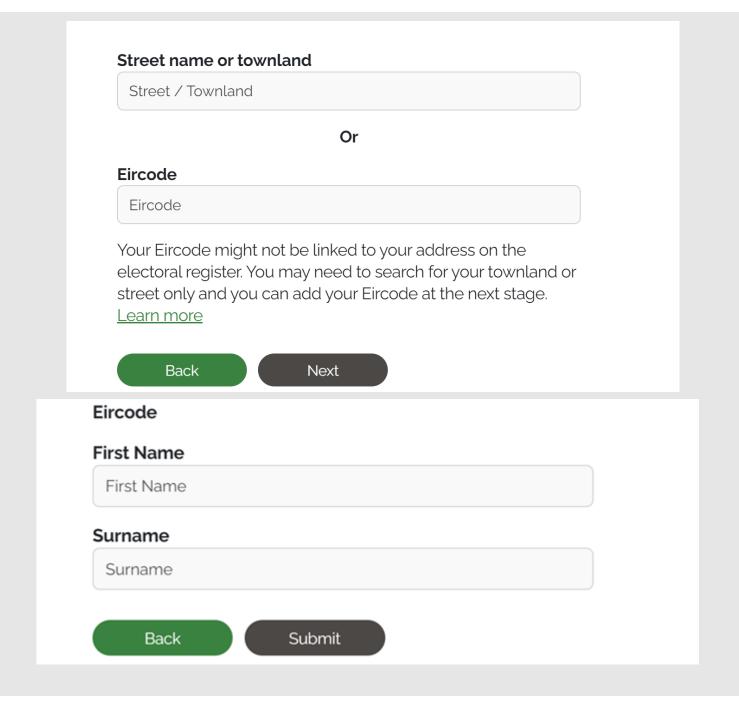
#### Find and complete or update my details

Choose your local authority. This is your city or county council.

Select your local authority



Next



Name	Address	
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#### Record found

If you are satisfied that this is your record, please complete it by adding your Eircode, PPSN and Date of Birth.

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Address	
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Station	
Election	Presidential (i)
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#### **Any Questions:**

You can refer to FAQ's section: www.checktheregister.ie

#### 10 Things Every Voter Should Know

- 1. Remember your name must be on the electoral register in order to Vote.
  The registration form is available from your local authority, post office,
  Garda station or Library.
  - 2. If you are not sure you are registered you can check with your local authority or on the website www.checktheregister.ie
- 3. If you are registered or have been registered also check with your local authority, as some people's names have 'fallen' off the register.
- 4. If you have moved house since you last voted update your details with your new local authority and/or electoral area.
- 5. Remember after the age of 18 your children or anyone in your family, are now entitled to Vote. Complete the form and encourage them to vote.
  - 6. Become acquainted with the candidates and issues on the ballot.
  - 7. If you meet a candidate in a public place or he/she comes to your door canvassing for your Vote be sure to raise your issues of concern with them.
    - 8. Follow media coverage and local media but keep an open mind!
- 9. On polling day know where your polling station is and know what time the polls open and close
- 10. On Election day Go out and Vote, Encourage others to Vote and use your Vote Wisely!

## Ireland Indian Community



## Please share with your friends, family & community until we reach every member who is eligible to vote

**NOT IRISH?** 

Everyone who is 18yrs or above and living in Ireland can vote in Local Elections

Irrespective of your visa status whether you are a student or on work permit, You can register and vote if you are 18yrs or above..

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