

Voting:

You can vote early by absentee ballot or you can vote in person.

Absentee Voting

You need to be registered to vote to receive an absentee ballot application. First you need to request an absentee ballot application. You can do this in one of three ways:

1. In- Person at your clerk's office (<http://gab.wi.gov/clerks/directory>): You can receive an absentee ballot application at your clerk's office. You must show a proper photo ID. Then, upon approval of your application you must immediately fill out your absentee ballot.
2. By mail: Request an absentee ballot from your municipal clerk via mail (<http://gab.wi.gov/clerks/directory>). Once you get the application fill it out, include a copy (a photo copy) of an appropriate photo ID, and mail it to your clerk's office. An absentee ballot will be sent to you upon approval of your application. Fill out your ballot and mail it back.
3. Through email or fax: You will receive a ballot application via email or fax. If you return the ballot application through email or fax then you do not have to provide a copy of your photo ID. You will have to provide a copy of your photo ID when you mail in your absentee ballot.

Voting in Person

What do you need to bring to the polls?

Bring an acceptable photo ID to prove your identity.

**Also bring a document to prove your residency if you registered less than 28 days prior to the election.*

If you haven't registered to vote yet, then register at the polling place.

Show the poll worker your photo ID, your proof of residency (*if applicable), and sign the poll list.

Then vote!

Appropriate forms of Photo ID

Photo IDs are used to prove your identity.

The State of Wisconsin distinguishes between those IDs that you can use to vote if they are expired, and those IDs have to be current.

These four types of IDs will prove your identity and can be used for voting purposes even if they're expired:

1. Wisconsin drivers license
2. Wisconsin state ID card
3. Military ID Card
4. Passport

These IDs are also will prove identity and allow you to vote, but they cannot be expired:

1. A certificate of naturalization that was issued not earlier than two years before the date of an election at which it is presented.
2. A driving receipt issued by the Wisconsin DOT (valid for 60 days)
3. An identification card receipt issued by Wisconsin DOT (valid for 60 days)
4. An identification card issued by a federally recognized Indian tribe in Wisconsin
5. A photo identification card issued by a Wisconsin accredited university or college that contains a date of issuance, the signature of the student, an expiration date no later than two years after the date of issuance, and a separate document that proves enrollment.
 - UW- Eau Claire offers this type of ID. You can receive a photo ID in Davies Center room 156.
 - You can print your tuition bill from My CampS. This will serve as your document to prove enrollment at UW- Eau Claire.

If you need any other information about the new voter ID law, how/where to register to vote, and how/where to vote please go to <http://gab.wi.gov>