Undocumented Student Action Week - Oct. 17-21, 2022

Juntos Podemos (Together We Can):
Collaborative Ecosystems that Support Undocumented Students
2022 ANNUAL CONVENTION

OUR TIME IS NOW

NOVEMBER 17-19
HYATT REGENCY
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Basic Needs
Transfer Education
Career Education
Base Funding
Financial Aid
Civic Engagement
Student Retention & Enrollment

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George Harris, SOS Graduate Student Assistant
EVERY VOICE MATTERS

REGISTER TO VOTE AND MAKE A PLAN TO VOTE

Presented by the
California Secretary of State Students Vote Project
AGENDA

1. Students Vote Project Overview

2. California University and College Ballot Bowl Overview

3. Register to Vote and Make a Plan To Vote Checklist
Established in 2016

Launched the inaugural California University and College Ballot Bowl Competition in 2018

Implements the Student Civic and Voter Empowerment Act (SCVEA), AB 963, of 2019
  - Landmark legislation that requires higher education institutions to participate in the democratic process
The California Secretary of State is **required** to:

- Send important dates to campuses/coordinators one month before statewide elections
- Collect action plans from each CCC and CSU
- Send annual report to the Legislature with student voter registration numbers
- Maintain a program website: StudentsVoteProject.sos.ca.gov

**SCVEA REQUIREMENTS**

California Community Colleges (CCCs) and California State Universities (CSUs) are **required** to:

- Hire or appoint a Civic and Voter Empowerment Coordinator
- Create and submit an action plan to the Secretary of State’s Office
- Host civic engagement events
- Include important dates on the academic calendar
- Post on social media and send critical emails

* The University of California (UC) and the Association of Independent California Colleges and Universities (AICCU) systems are not required to comply, but continue to be strong participants in SVP programs
WHO IS YOUR CIVIC EMPOWERMENT COORDINATOR?

• CCCs are required to identify a Civic Empowerment Coordinator

• Civic Empowerment Coordinators can be a:
  ○ Student Life Director
  ○ Student Services Director
  ○ State Relations/Government Relations Director

• Ways you can support/collaborate with your Civic Empowerment Coordinator:
  ○ Relay SVP resources to peers
  ○ Suggest ideas for your Campus’ Action Plan
  ○ Create, host, or help promote new civic outreach event ideas
  ○ Post on election information on social media, or place resources/flyers on campus
  ○ Share key dates to friends and classmates
CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE BALLOT BOWL

- Statewide student voter registration competition
  - CCC
  - CSU
  - AICCU
  - UC

- Competition Dates: August 15, 2022 – November 8, 2022

- Overall Champion
  - One campus will be awarded overall champion with the highest number of student voter registrations across all higher education systems

- There will be awards given in each higher education system for the categories below:
  - Highest number of students registered
  - Highest percentage of the student body registered
  - Most creative approach to registering students
California Online Voter Registration

Welcome to the California Online Voter Registration website.

Language Preference
If you wish to continue in a language other than English, please select your language below.

Español Spanish
한국어 Korean
हिंदी Hindi
中文 Chinese
日本語 Japanese
ئیجابی کیمیر

Register to Vote Now
For California residents who want to be voters

Pre-Register to Vote
For California residents age 16 and 17 who want to be future voters

Check Your Registration Status
For California voters who want to confirm their address and other details

Classification - Voter Registration Application

All fields marked with an asterisk (*) are required.

Classification
I am one of the following.*

- A U.S. citizen and resident of California.
- A U.S. citizen and a member of the Uniformed Services or Merchant Marine on active duty outside my county.
- A U.S. citizen and an eligible spouse or dependent of a member of the Uniformed Services or Merchant Marine on active duty outside my county.
- A U.S. citizen and an activated National Guard member on State orders outside my county.
- A U.S. citizen residing outside the U.S. temporarily.
- A U.S. citizen residing outside the U.S. indefinitely.
- A U.S. citizen and have never resided in the U.S.

Next
VOTER REGISTRATION FORM

All fields marked with an asterisk (*) are required.

Qualifications

☐ I am a U.S. citizen and resident of California.

Registration/pre-registration

☐ I am 18 or older.
☐ I am 16 or 17 and want to pre-register.

Personal Information

Legal Name

Prefix: Select prefix
First name: 
Middle name: 
Last name: 
Suffix: Select suffix

Email address: 
Confirm email: 
Phone number: 

Place of Birth

☐ S. B. State/Province
☐ Foreign
☐ Other

Identification:

New voters may have to show a form of identification or proof of residency the first time they vote. If a driver’s license or ID card was not provided when registering:

California driver license or California identification card number: 
Social security number (last 4 digits): 
I do not have a California driver license or California identification card.
I do not have a social security number.

My ancestry is: 
My language preference for receiving election materials is: 
Other Language: 

Home and Mailing Address

Home Address

Street address: 
City: 
State: California
Zip: 
Country: 

I change mailing address to different from my home address.
I was previously registered or pre-registered to vote.

Political Party Preference

Do you want to choose a political party preference?

☐ Yes, my political party preference is: Select party preference
☐ No, I do not want to choose a political party preference.

Phone numbers are posted at polling places on election day.

If you are 16 or 17 years old pre-registering, you will automatically be a registered voter once you turn 18.

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VOTER REGISTRATION FORM

Vote-by-Mail in All Elections

All active registered voters will be mailed a vote-by-mail ballot for every election. If you want to vote in person, you must turn in your vote-by-mail ballot, or you may be required to vote a provisional ballot.

State Voter Information Guide

I want to get my state voter information guide by mail before each statewide election.*

☐ Yes  ☐ No

County Voter Information Guide

I want to get my county voter information guide by mail before each election.*

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Volunteer on Election Day

☐ I want to be a poll worker and assist voters on election day.
☐ I can provide a polling place on election day.

Accessibility

☐ I want voting materials in an accessible format

Help Filling Out This Form

Did someone help you fill out this form?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

University or College

My college or university system is: [Select school system]
My campus is: [Select school]

Consent to Use Signature

To register to vote online, the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) must send the California Secretary of State an electronic copy of the signature from your driver’s license or state identification card.

I consent to the use of my DMV signature to register to vote.*

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Affirmation

☐ I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that:

- I am a U.S. citizen and a resident of California and at least 18 years old.
- I am not currently serving a state or federal prison term for the conviction of a felony.
- I am not currently found mentally incompetent to vote by a court.
- I understand that it is a crime to intentionally provide incorrect information on this form.
- The information on this form is true and correct.

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STUDENTS VOTE PROJECT
VOTER REGISTRATION CARD

California Voter Registration/Pre-Registration Application
Solicitud de Inscripción/Preinscripción de Volante de California

SOS
Postcard using blue or black ink. Do not use a pen. (1) do not write on the form, (2) do not use a marker, (3) do not use a red marker, (4) do not use a blue marker, (5) do not use a green marker, (6) do not use a black marker, (7) do not use a red pen, (8) do not use a blue pen, (9) do not use a green pen, (10) do not use a black pen.

1. I am 18 years of age or older and resides of California
2. I wish to change my political party preference. You may also register on the back of this card.
3. I am a U.S. citizen and resident of California
4. I have not been convicted of a felony in California
5. I have not been convicted of a felony in any other state
6. I have not been declared a legally incapacitated person
7. I am a United States citizen and resident of California
8. I am a U.S. citizen and resident of California
9. I have not been convicted of a felony in California
10. I have not been convicted of a felony in any other state
11. I have not been declared a legally incapacitated person

Political party preference
Preferencia de partido político

I wish to change my political party preference. Do not indicate a preference of party political. 

American Independent Party
Partido Independiente

Democratic Party
Partido Demócrata

Green Party - Party Verde

Libertarian Party
Partido Libertario

Peace and Freedom Party - Partido Librepueblo

Republican Party - Partido Republicano

Other (please specify)
Otro (especifique)

I do not want to change a political party preference. Do not indicate a preference of party political.

As a Non - Party Member - Partido Ninguno

Optional voter information - Datos adicionales del votante

Email

Preferred voter contact language - Lenguaje de contacto preferido del votante

English - Español - Español

Spanish

Other (please specify)
Otro (especifique)

Voter Information Contact:

For information, contact the:

Secretary of State

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Make a Plan to Vote
Voter Checklist

☐ Have you registered to vote?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

- Every active registered voter will receive a vote-by-mail ballot for the 2022 General Election
- Check or update your voter registration information as early as possible at RegisterToVote.ca.gov/Find to ensure your vote-by-mail ballot is sent to the correct address

☐ Choose How You Will Vote: ________________________________

- Voting by Mail: This is a secure and safe way to return your ballot
- Voting in Person: In-person locations offer important resources such as Same Day Voter Registration, ADA accommodations, replacement ballots, and other support in various languages

☐ Identify When and Where You Will Vote: ________________________________

- Early in Person: Counties in California will be offering early in-person voting opportunities; visit CAEarlyVoting.sos.ca.gov to find your nearest polling location
- Early by Mail: Sign and mail your ballot as soon as you complete it; completed vote-by-mail ballots must be postmarked on or before Election Day
- Secured Drop Box: The secure drop box shall be clearly and visibly marked as an “Official Ballot Drop Box” that shows language stating that tampering with the drop box is a felony
- Election Day: Voting Locations will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, November 8, 2022; if you are in line by the closing time, then you have a right to vote

☐ Carry Out Your Plan!

[QR Code]
THANK YOU!

Contact us at CastStudentsVote@sos.ca.gov for questions or more information.
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