



Voting Eligibility

Voting requirements are outlined in the Constitution of the United States. Here is a brief summary:

Today, **citizens over the age of 18** cannot be denied the right to vote, regardless of race, religion, gender, or disability. Voting rights can also not be taken away if a citizen fails to pay taxes.

In most states, citizens must first register to vote, and voting can be restricted if citizens are in prison or are convicted felons.

Suffrage [suhf-rij] (noun) the right to vote, especially in a political election.

