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Get ready to vote

Enrol or update your details

Do it online at vote.nz

Electoral Commission

Te Kaitiaki Take Kōwhiri



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Print page 1

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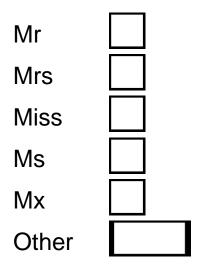
Print page 1

Questions? Please turn to print page 2 for help with this form.

Step 1: Your details

Please write clearly using a blue or black pen.

Title:



Surname or family name

First names

Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)					
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Mobile phone number

Other phone number

Email address

Step 2:

Your New Zealand address

Lived here under one month?

Turn to print page 2 to do **Step 2A** too.

Living overseas?

Leave **Step 2** blank and turn to print page 2 to do **Step 2B** instead.

Current NZ home address:

New Zealand

Step 3: Your postal address

If different from current home address or if you're living overseas.

Postal address:

Step 4: Your roll

This is an important choice.

To learn about Māori descent and roll choice, turn to the **Questions** section on print page 2.

Please tick **one** statement that applies to you.

I am of Māori descent.

Please enrol me on the Māori roll.

I am of Māori descent.

Please enrol me on the general roll.

I am not of Māori descent.

(You will be enrolled on the general roll.)

Step 5: Sign and return

Upload form at vote.nz/upload

Email form to enrol@vote.nz

Post form to Electoral Commission Freepost 2 Enrol PO Box 190, Wellington 6140

I declare that:

- I am eligible to enrol at the address I provided in this application
- All the information I have provided is true and correct, and
- I understand that giving false or misleading information is a criminal offence.

Signature

Date (dd/mm/yyyy)

Step 2A:

Current address under one month?

Please fill in this step, then return to print page 1 to complete and sign your form.

When did you move into your current home address?

/ / (dd/mm/yyyy)

What is the last address in New Zealand where you lived **for one month or more?**

New Zealand

Please return to print page 1 to complete and sign your form.

Step 2B: Living overseas?

Please fill in this step, then return to print page 1 to complete and sign your form.

Are you a New Zealand

Citizen

Permanent resident

When did you last visit or live in New Zealand?

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(dd/mm/yyyy)

What is the last address in New Zealand where you lived **for one month or more?**

New Zealand

Please return to print page 1 to complete and sign your form.

Questions? Read here

Eligibility to vote

You must enrol if you live in NZ and are:

- 18 or older, and
- a citizen or a permanent resident of NZ, and
- have ever lived in NZ continuously for one year or more.

You can enrol at 17 but can't vote until you're 18.

If you live overseas you can enrol if you're a

- NZ citizen who has visited NZ within the last 3 years, or
- NZ permanent resident and have visited NZ in the last 12 months.

For electoral purposes, a permanent resident is anyone lawfully in NZ and not required to leave within a specific time. If you're Australian, Cook Islander, Niuean, or Tokelauan you can enrol if you've lived in NZ continuously for one year or more. If this applies to you, you don't need a resident visa to enrol.

Personal safety

If having your information on the published electoral roll threatens you or your family's personal safety, you can apply to go on the unpublished roll. The unpublished roll is confidential. To learn more visit us at vote.nz/form

What address should I use?

Use the address you consider to be your home. Your home address does not change if you sometimes live away from home for your work or education.

Māori descent and roll choice

For enrolment purposes, Māori descent means you are descended from a NZ Māori. This includes Chatham Island Māori, but not Cook Island Māori.

If you're of Māori descent, you can choose to enrol on the Māori roll or the general roll. Your choice affects your electorate vote but not your party vote. On the Māori roll you'll vote for a candidate in a Māori electorate. On the general roll you'll vote for a candidate in a general electorate.

Your choice is important. This is because you can only choose your roll when:

• you enrol for the first time, or

it is the Māori Electoral Option (this happens every 5 years and takes place next in 2024), or

 you were removed from the roll before the start of the last Māori Electoral Option in April 2018.

If you need more information visit us at vote.nz/form

Completing the form for someone else?

You may be completing the form on behalf of someone else who is living or travelling overseas or unable to sign due to an impairment. You need an additional form from us. Call us at 0800 36 76 56 and we'll send you the form.

More information

If you need more information: Visit us at vote.nz Call us on 0800 36 76 56

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