

## Your Voter Registration Card

After you apply, a voter registration certificate (your proof of registration) will be mailed to you within 30 days.

Check your certificate to be sure all information is correct. If there is a mistake, make corrections and return it to the [Voter Registrar](#) immediately. Note: **"RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED"**, is instruction to the post office only. We do not need your voter registration certificate returned unless you are making corrections.

On your registration certificate, you will see a precinct number. Your residence is located in a specific "precinct," or area within the county where you will vote on Election Day. In some cases, precincts may be combined to accommodate joint local elections, so always consult your [Collin County Elections Administration](#) in the days before an election for the address of the polling place where you're to vote.

If you lose your certificate, notify your county [Voter Registrar](#) in writing to receive a new one.

You will automatically receive a new certificate every two years if you haven't moved from the address at which you are registered.

1. VUID—Voter Unique Identifier, unique number given by the state after approval of application.
2. Gender.
3. Year of Birth. You can register at age 17 yrs. and 10 mos., however, you cannot vote until you are 18 yrs. of age.
4. Precinct Number—Voting Precinct.
5. Valid from and through (has to do with the card itself). New ones are mailed every two years. Look for a new card Dec. 2011.
6. Residence Address.
7. Congressional District
8. State Senator District
9. State Representative District.
10. County Commissioner District.
11. County Justice of the Peace District.
12. City – City you are eligible to vote in. If “UN” appears here, your are in an unincorporated area and not eligible to vote in city elections.
13. City District—Specific district of city if applicable. (If “UN” appears here, your are in an unincorporated area and not eligible to vote in city elections.)
14. ISD – School you are eligible to vote in.
15. ISD District—Specific district of the ISD if applicable.
16. State Board of Education District.
17. Certificate Number assigned by the county elections office.
18. Your mailing address.

[✓ Check Your Voter Status](#)

[Has your address changed?](#)

[Has your name changed?](#)

**If you answer YES to either of these, contact the Election s Office.**