

European Parliament elections

Your voice counts!

Friday, June 7, 2024

14:00–22:00

Saturday, June 8, 2024

8:00–14:00



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Who can vote for the European Parliament?

Citizens of the Czech Republic and other EU Member States who reach the age of 18 on the second day of the elections at the latest, and who are registered for permanent or temporary residence in the Czech Republic at least 45 days before the election.

What should I do if I want to vote?

EU citizens must register to vote at least 40 days before the first election day. Czech citizens do not need to register; the authorities do it for them automatically.

STEPS:

1. Where should I register?



If you are planning to vote for the first time, apply to be entered on the electoral roll for elections to the European Parliament at the municipal office in your place of residence, in Prague **at the office of the relevant city district, the Department of Civil and Administrative Agendas**. The application is submitted in person only. A sample application can be found on **the Ministry of the Interior website**. When submitting your application, you need to prove your identity (valid ID card, travel document or permanent residence permit for an EU citizen, or a certificate of temporary residence/ a registration certificate). Detailed information on registration can be found on the **Public Administration Portal**.

If you have previously voted in elections to the European Parliament in the Czech Republic, you are already on the electoral roll and do not need to do anything else.

2. Where do the elections take place?



You cast your ballot at the polling station determined according to your place of permanent residence. For a list of polling stations, check your local authority website.

Where will I find the election results?

The results will be published on the **European Parliament's dedicated website**.

3. Who are the candidates and which political parties can I vote for?



The list of candidates and registered political parties will be published 48 days before the elections on the website of the **Czech Statistical Office**. You can choose from Czech candidates only. 21 MEPs will be elected from the Czech Republic. If you want to vote for your country's candidates, do not register on the electoral roll and contact your representative office in the Czech Republic (embassy/ consulate).

4. Where do I get my ballots and how does the election work?



You will receive the ballots in your post box at your permanent residence address at least 3 days before the election. Ballots are also available directly at the polling station. You will need to show a valid ID card or a valid passport when you arrive at the polling station. You should also bring a document proving your residence in the Czech Republic. Each ballot contains the candidate of one group. You can use up to 2 preferential votes - by circling the serial number of a particular candidate you increase his/her chances of being elected. Don't forget to put the ballot paper in the envelope! You can find more information on how to vote on the **Ministry of the Interior website**.

For more information, visit <https://www.elections.europa.eu/>

