

My Voting Passport - Information

This passport may be used by anyone who requires additional assistance at the polling station.

Before polling day:

- Complete your voting passport details on the next page.
- Check what assistance is available by visiting our website here:
- Make a plan for voting, think about:
 - Who might help you vote (if you need it) at the election.
 - What support you might need to vote.
 - Find out who the candidates are and what they stand for.
 - Make sure you have valid photo ID or a Voter Authority Certificate.

On polling day:

- Bring your photo ID (e.g., passport, photo driving license, disabled or older person's bus pass, PASS card or blue badge), or a Voter Authority Certificate.
- Show your voting passport to polling station staff and let them know you need support.

If you cannot access the polling station, tell the Presiding Officer – they will bring the ballot paper to you.

You may bring your own pen or pencil.

You may also:

- Take someone to assist you with voting (they must be aged 18 or over).
- Ask the Presiding Officer for help, including reading candidates or marking your ballot paper.

What other people can't do:

- Decide for you.
- Mark the ballot paper against your wishes.
- Stop you from voting because you have a disability.

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Show this document at the polling station and let staff know that you would like help with voting

About Me

My name is

I have a learning disability/physical disability and/or autism and I need assistance to help me to vote.

What I need to help me vote (tick any that apply):

- A tactile voting device
- A ballot paper magnifier
- A writing aid
- To be shown a large print ballot paper
- Someone to provide me instructions on how to cast my vote
- Someone to read out the candidates on the ballot paper
- Someone to help me mark my ballot paper with my decision
- To be able to lip read instructions
- To avoid waiting in long queues
- To vote outside the polling booth
- I remain with the person who is helping me
- Other (please specify)

I would like help from (tick the option that applies):

- The person with me whose name is:
- A member of staff in the polling station

