

Tell us about voting in the 2022 Victorian election

Book 2

Parliament of Victoria



Easy English

Blue words



Some words in this book are **blue**.

We write what the blue words mean.

Help with this book



You can get someone to help you

- understand this book

- find more information.



Contact information is at the end of this book.

You can choose to take part



You can choose

- to do the survey

or



- **not** to do the survey.



It is okay if you choose **not** to do the survey.



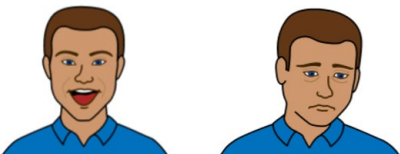
You can answer

- all questions

or



- only some questions.



You can change your mind about the survey at any time.

Questions about you

These questions tell us about who you are.

1. What is your gender?



Tick **1** box



Male



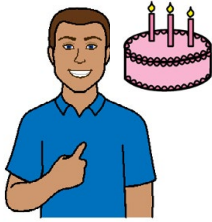
Female



Non binary



Something else



2. What is your age?

Write your age in the box below.



3. What language do you speak at home?

Tick **1** box



English

Something else



If you ticked **Something else**, write what language you speak at home in the box below.



4. Where do you live?

Tick **1** box

Melbourne

Somewhere else in Victoria



5. Do you have a disability?

Tick **1** box

Yes

No



6. Do you need support to take part in the community?

You can tick **more than 1** box

No. I do **not** need any support.

Yes. I need support to move.

Yes. I need support to feel comfortable.

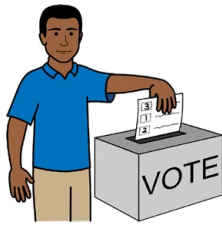
Yes. I need support to communicate.

Yes. I need support to understand information.

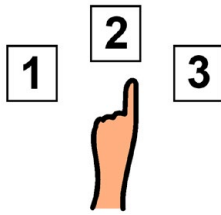
Yes. I need support to be social.

Yes. I need support to learn.

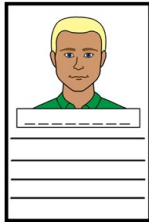
Yes. I need something else.



Next we want to ask you about voting in the 2022 Victorian **election**.



Election means you make a choice.



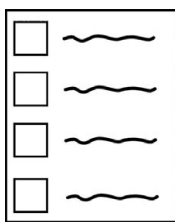
You must be **enrolled** to make a choice.



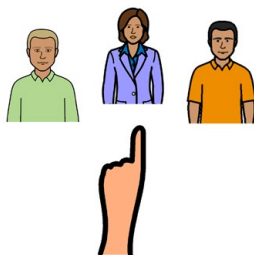
Enrolled means you have put your name on a list to vote in an election.



A **ballot paper** is used in an election to vote.
You write on a ballot paper.

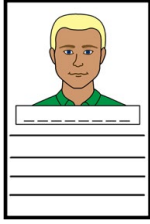


A ballot paper is a list of **candidate** names.



Candidates are people who wish to be chosen in an election.

A candidate might be in a group called a party.



Questions about voting

7. Are you enrolled to vote?

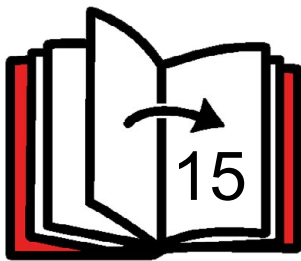
Tick **1** box

Yes

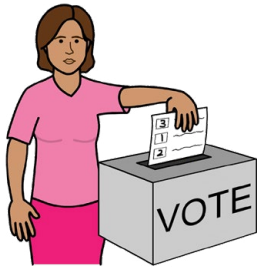
No

I do **not** want to say

I do **not** know



If you ticked **No**, please go to question 15
on page 15.



8. Did you vote in the 2022 Victorian election?

Tick **1** box

Yes

No

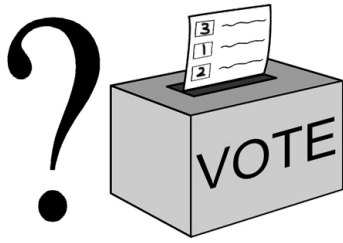
I do **not** want to say



9. If you ticked No, you can tell us why you did not vote in the box below.



If you ticked **No**, please go to question 15 on page 15.



10. How did you vote in the 2022 Victorian election?



Tick **1** box

At a voting centre on election day

At an early voting centre

By post

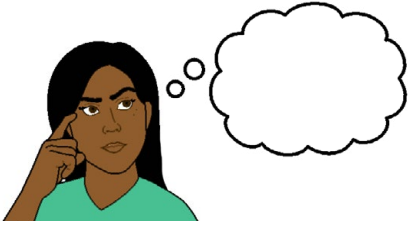
By phone

A voting official came to me

I voted another way



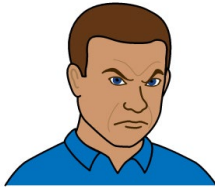
If you ticked **I voted another way**, write how you voted in the box below.



11. How did you like voting in the 2022 Victorian election?



Tick 1 box



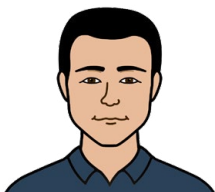
I had a **very** bad experience



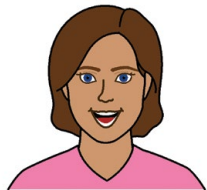
I had a bad experience



I had an okay experience



I had a good experience



I had **very** good experience



12. Tell us why you gave your answer in the box below.

13. If you have support needs, did you have any problems taking part in the 2022 Victorian election?



Tick **1** box

Yes

No



14. If you ticked Yes, you can tell us about the problems in the box below.



15. Did you have the support you needed to vote in the 2022 Victorian election?



Tick **1** box

Yes

No



16. If you ticked No, when did you need more support?



Write when you needed more support in the box below.

For example, I needed more support to enrol to vote or I needed more support to learn about who to vote for.



**17. Did you have the information
you needed to vote in the
2022 Victorian election?**



Tick **1** box

Yes

No



18. If you ticked No, what information did you need?



You can tick **more than 1** box

How to enrol to vote

How to fill out the ballot paper

The different ways to vote

How to vote with help from
voting officials

Who or what to vote for

Something else



If you ticked **Something else**, write what you needed information on in the box below.



19. Where did you find information about who to vote for in the 2022 Victorian election?

For example, information about a party.



You can tick **more than 1** box

My family and friends

My paid carers

In media

For example, on the radio

On social media

For example, on Facebook

From a candidate or party

I could **not** find information

Something else



If you ticked **Something else**, write how you found information in the box below.



20. If you found information about who to vote for in the 2022 Victorian election, was it easy to understand?

Tick 1 box



It was **very** hard



It was hard



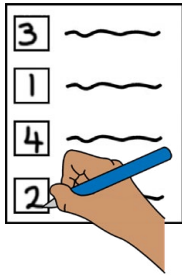
It was okay



It was easy



It was **very** easy



21. Where did you find information about how to vote in the 2022 Victorian election?

For example, how to fill out a ballot paper.

You can tick **more than 1** box

My family and friends

My paid carers

In media

For example, on the radio

On social media

For example, on Facebook

From a candidate or party

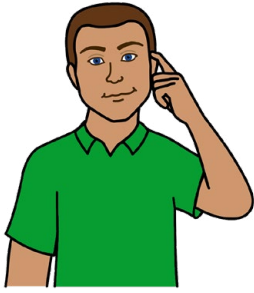
The Victorian Electoral Commission

I could **not** find information

Something else



If you ticked **Something else**, write how you found information in the box below.



22. If you found information about how to vote in the 2022 Victorian election, was it easy to understand?



Tick 1 box



It was **very** hard



It was hard



It was okay



It was easy



It was **very** easy



23. What would make voting easier for you?

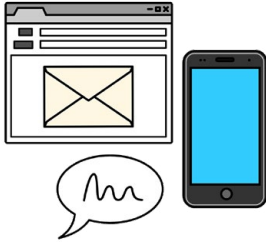


Write what would make voting easier for you in the box below.

Can we contact you?



We may want to learn more about your experience and ideas.



24. Can we contact you again about voting in the 2022 Victorian election?



Tick **1** box

Yes

No



If you ticked **Yes**, write your name and contact details in the box below.

More information



For more information contact the
Electoral Matters Committee.

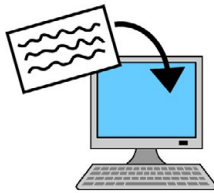


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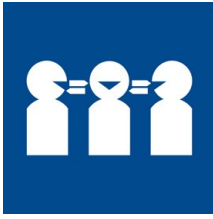


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