#### **Together.eu**

This is the official website of the European Parliament, which fosters a community that believes in democracy and seeks active participation in European democracy, both locally and at the EU level. The platform enables knowledge sharing, skills improvement, interaction with the European Parliament, and connections with like-minded individuals.

On together.eu, you will find, among other things:

- events,
- informational and educational materials,
- training opportunities,
- civil society organizations willing to cooperate.

#### Want to support European democracy? Join together.eu!



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Your voice, your Europe: go vote!





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On June 9, 2024, you, as a citizen, will have the opportunity to influence the future of the European Union. Elections to the European Parliament are not only a duty but, above all, a chance to express your preferences and shape the policies of the European Union.

# What is the European Parliament?

The European Parliament (EP) is the only EU institution directly elected by universal suffrage across Europe. MEPs represent the citizens of their countries and their interests in the decision-making process at the European level.

## Why is it worth voting?

The European Parliament decides on and legislates important issues that affect your daily life, such as climate change, human rights, jobs, the economy, migration, and more. Your vote can influence the direction in which both Europe and your local community develop!



Democracy is an ongoing process that requires constant effort and collective commitment. But democracy also starts with simple actions: participating in a referendum, signing a petition, or simply voting in an election. Remember, the more people who vote, the stronger democracy becomes. Use your vote!

### Who can vote?

Any citizen of the European Union who is at least 18 years old on the day of the election and registered to vote can take part in the elections. Whatever your nationality, you have the right to vote if you are an EU citizen.



You elect the Members of the European Parliament who will represent your interests. Your vote shapes the composition of the Parliament and influences the decisions it takes.

## How many MEPs do we elect?

Poland will elect 53 European Parliament members in 2024.

### How to vote?

- Check whether you are registered to vote at the district electoral commission in your place of permanent residence. You can also obtain a certificate confirming the right to vote to be able to vote in any voting district in Poland.
- 2 Verify who you can vote for and choose the candidate you think will best represent your interests at the European level.
- **Find** your polling station and its opening hours. Voters in Poland vote in district electoral commissions in their place of permanent residence.
- **Come to** your designated polling station on election day (9 June 2024, Sunday).

#### Don't forget to bring a valid ID card or passport.



Receive a ballot and **vote** for the candidate you choose.

#### Find out more:





https://elections.europa.eu/ en/how-to-vote/pl/