HOW CAN I BE PRESIDENT?

In order to become PRESIDENT of the UNITED STATES, you must:



Be 35 years old



Have lived in the United States for 14 years or more



Be born in the United States or have parents who are US citizens

WHAT IS THE PROCESS TO BECOME PRESIDENT?

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Primaries and Caucuses

Political party members in each state select the best candidate that will represent them in the election.

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National Convention

Each political party holds a large gathering to select a final presidential nominee. The presidential candidates also choose a vice presidential candidate.

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Campaign across the country.

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Declare your candidacy!



General Election

Voters in each state across the country vote for the next president.

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Prepare for your campaign.

Raise money, write speeches and papers, seek endorsements, or support from powerful people or groups, and hire staff.







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The newly elected president and vice president take office in January.



