



SCHOOL YEAR 2025-26

# SLO County Elections Office

## Student Elections Ambassador Program

OPEN TO STUDENTS COUNTYWIDE AGES 16 TO 18

### Why join?



- Gain in-depth knowledge of elections and voting in San Luis Obispo County
- Share your passion for civic engagement with your peers and younger students
- Make a direct impact on your community
- Develop leadership and project management skills
- Earn community service hours (if approved by your school)

### What you'll do



- Learn key details about the history and importance of voting
- Get trained in facilitating voter registration and pre-registration
- Create voter registration events using existing models and/or your own creativity
- **Spearhead at least 2 voter outreach events of your own during the 2025-26 school year – on-campus, in the community, via social media, etc. – and report back to the Elections Office about how they went (with photos and/or screenshots)**
- Encourage future students' participation in the program

### Support you'll get



- Training in voter registration requirements and best practices
- Access to Elections Center materials (tablecloth, pop-up tent, etc.) as needed
- An outreach kit with Elections Office credentials, t-shirt, voter registration materials, & tally sheets
- An advisor to help you with questions and troubleshooting throughout the school year
- Zoom check-in/brainstorming meetings with all participants (once in fall and once in spring)

### How to get started



- Submit the [application](#), get accepted, and get assigned an advisor
- Complete the self-paced online training course
- Attend a kickoff meeting in person at the SLO County Elections Center in August



#### Questions?

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