

Absentee Ballot Voting

Are you an eligible voter for the school election? If you have lived within the school district for at least 20 days and you are over 18 years of age and a U.S. citizen, you are eligible to vote in this election.

Are you registered? You can pre-register up until 20 days before the election. Otherwise, you can register the day of the election with the proper identification or by having a registered voter vouch for you.

Would you qualify to vote by absentee ballot? If you know you are going to be out of town on election day such as for a trip, or you are in college, or if you are unable to get to the polling place for medical reasons, an absentee ballot is a way for you to be part of this important election.

Osakis school district has residents in Douglas, Todd and Pope Counties. You need to contact the auditor's office where you live to receive an application for an absentee ballot. If you prefer, you can go to www.sos.state.mn.us and go under "Voting and Election Information". Then click on "Forms and Handouts" and "Absentee Ballot Application". If you have the auditor's office mail you an application, you need to fill out all the information and return it. Once they receive it, they will mail out a ballot. If you are not registered, they will include a registration form with the ballot. You should mail ballots back in time to be included with the count on September 9. If you go into the auditor's office after August 11 to fill out the application, you can also vote at that time.

All applications should be mailed to the County Auditor's Office in the county you live in. The county addresses are listed below:

Douglas County Auditor
305 8th Avenue West
Alexandria, MN 56308

Pope County Auditor
130 East MN Avenue
Glenwood, MN 56334

Todd County Auditor
221 1st Avenue South #200
Long Prairie, MN 56347