Voter ID Resource -

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!Important information for all residents!

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Find out more on the Cotswold District Council website including what ID is accepted and how to apply for free ID if you don't have one of the accepted forms of ID - <u>www.cotswold.gov.uk/voterid</u>

Everyone who needs to apply for ID has until the 25 April to do so

Also remember to register to vote by 17 April if you aren't already registered.

The ID requirements will not affect postal votes so if you want to vote by post you can also find out how to do that on the district council website

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To vote in elections in England this May, you will need to show photo ID.

No ID? You can apply for free voter ID now and you will need to do so by 25 April

Find out what is accepted and apply for free voter ID if you need to IJ

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All voters will need to make sure they are registered to be able to vote in any way so please make sure to register before 17 April if you aren't already. You can do that by visiting <u>www.gov.uk/register-to-vote</u>

If you aren't online you can contact Cotswold District Council for support by calling 01285 623002 or visit the district council offices.