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$$= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} (2x + h)$$

$$= 2x$$

WHAT IS THE
PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY?

The Presidential Primary is:

A way for voters to help the major political parties choose presidential nominees.

Washington voters do not declare a party when registering to vote, but to help the parties choose a presidential nominee, voters must mark one party box and sign the declarations on the return envelope.

Each major party writes its party declaration and provides it to the Secretary of State's Office to be put on the return envelope.

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Signature of voter (*Required*)

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Examples of acceptable envelopes

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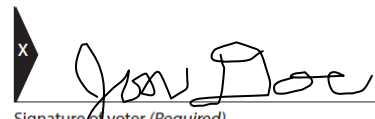
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These will be challenged and a letter will be sent to the voter

If the letter is returned with BOTH the box and signature, the process continues

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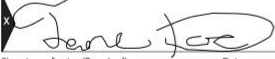

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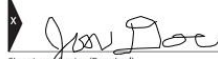

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Once the signature is approved, the envelopes are sorted by party type.



REP

Washington State's Presidential Primary ballot is a consolidated ballot. This means that both "ballots" are on the same paper.

The declaration you mark on the outside of the envelope must be the same as the party you vote for on your ballot.

This is why the envelopes are separated by party after being signature checked.

Once the ballots are separated from the return envelope for voter privacy, they are visually inspected by our opening crew.

Ballots will be removed from the batch to be sent to the canvassing board if:

- A different party is marked, or
- Both parties are marked

Important

Refer to insert for detailed instructions on how to vote.

For your vote to count you **must**:

Check **ONE** party box on the return envelope.

Vote for **ONE** candidate of the SAME party checked on envelope.

A ballot with votes for more than one candidate is void.

Instructions

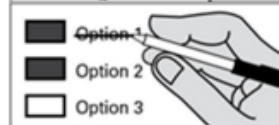


Fill in the box to the left of your choice using black or blue ink.

You may leave a contest blank, your ballot will still count.

If you vote for more than one, no votes will be counted for that contest.

Correcting a mistake



Draw a line through the incorrect candidate name. You may then make another choice.

Optional write-in

To vote for a candidate not listed in that contest, fill in the box to the left of the dashed line and print the name on the line.

Who donates to campaigns?

For a list of the people and organizations that donated to Presidential campaigns

Federal Elections Commission
www.fec.gov
Toll Free (800) 424-9530

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

President of the United States

- Joseph R Biden Jr
- Dean Phillips
- Marianne Williamson
- Uncommitted Delegates
- _____

REPUBLICAN PARTY

President of the United States

- Chris Christie
- Ron DeSantis
- Nikki Haley
- Vivek Ramaswamy
- Donald J. Trump
- _____

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

Ballots will be:

- scanned into the tabulation system by party type
- stored by party type
- retained until destruction date (1-13-2026)

Results will be certified on Friday March 20th

Questions?