

**Secretary of the State of Connecticut**

**April 2, 2024, Presidential Preference Primary: Key Early Voting Deadlines and Dates**

The table below provides key deadlines and dates for early voting before the April 2, 2024, Presidential Preference Primary. Since same-day registration (SDR) is available only before regular general elections, the table does not include any deadlines or dates associated with SDR.

<b>Requirement</b>	<b>Presidential Preference Primary</b>	<b>2024 Deadline or Date</b>
<b>Start of Early Voting Period</b>	5 days before <sup>1</sup>	March 26, 2024
<b>End of Early Voting Period</b>	2 days before	March 30, 2024
<b>Duration</b>	4 days <sup>2</sup>	4 days
<b>Weekday Hours</b>	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
<b>Saturday Hours</b>	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
<b>Sunday Hours</b>	10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	N/A <sup>3</sup>
<b>Deadlines for Certifying and Finalizing Early Voting Location(s)</b>	Location(s) must be certified 20 days before the PPP and finalized 11 days prior	Certification deadline: March 13, 2024*  *Because this is the first time Connecticut will offer early voting, we ask that registrars of voters certify the location as soon as possible.  Finalization deadline: March 22, 2024
<b>Deadline for Certifying Ballots Ordered or Requesting Exemption</b>	The act does not specify. We request that registrars inform us in a manner and schedule consistent with primaries.	Suggested certification deadline: March 12, 2024  Suggested request waiver deadline: March 3, 2024

<sup>1</sup> The period excludes holidays designated under CGS Sec. 1-4 and March 31, 2024. The start date of the period is adjusted for such an exclusion so that it still provides four days of early voting.

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<sup>3</sup> The period excludes March 31, 2024 (Easter Sunday).

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	<p>For primaries:</p> <p>Certification deadline is 21 days before the early voting period;</p> <p>Waiver request deadline is 30 days before the early voting period</p>	
<b>Warning Deadline</b>	<p>Forthwith after receiving notice from the Secretary of the State or registrars of voters, as applicable, that a primary will occur</p>	<p>Secretary of the State determines order of candidates on ballot and sends notice of primary to town clerks: February 27, 2024</p> <p>Deadline to notice primary: forthwith after receiving notice from the Secretary of the State that a primary will occur</p>
<b>Deadline for unaffiliated voters to enroll and vote early</b>	<p>12:00 p.m. on the day before the early voting period begins</p>	<p>March 25, 2024, 12:00 p.m.</p>
<b>Deadline for new registrants to register and enroll and vote early</b>	<p>12:00 p.m. on the business day immediately before the day the individual wants to vote early</p>	<p>To vote starting on March 26: deadline is March 25, 2024, 12:00 p.m.</p> <p>To vote starting on March 27: deadline is March 26, 2024, 12:00 p.m.</p> <p>To vote starting on March 28: deadline is March 27, 2024, 12:00 p.m.</p> <p>To vote on March 30: deadline is March 28, 2024, 12:00 p.m.<sup>4</sup></p>

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<sup>4</sup> Friday, March 29, 2024, is a state holiday (Good Friday).