⊠ How do I vote?









Convocation

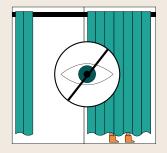


I go to the election office.

I bring my **identity card** or **passport**.

The address of the election office is written on the invitation.





At the election office, I receive the ballot paper.

Then I enter the voting booth.

There is a pen in the voting booth.

I can use it to fill in the ballot.

Elections are secret.

Someone can help me in the voting booth. But I can't show anyone else who I am voting for.



I vote in a small municipality.

My ballot paper then looks like this:



If I want to elect a candidate
I make a cross next to the name of the person.

The exact number of crosses is written at the top of my ballot. I **cannot make** more crosses.

However, I can make fewer crosses.

I vote in a large municipality.

My ballot will look like this:

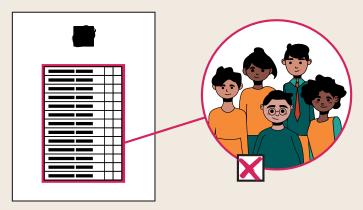


I now have two possibilities.

POSSIBILITY 1

I choose the whole electoral list of a party.

I blacken the circle above the electoral list.



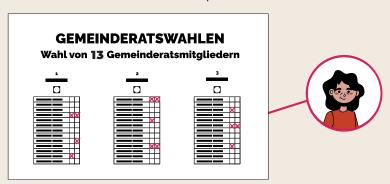


Each candidate on the list automatically gets 1 cross.

POSSIBILITY 2

I choose candidates

on one list of a party only **or** on several lists of different parties.



If I want to vote for a candidate

I make 1 or 2 crosses next to the name of the candidate.

The exact number of crosses I can make is written at the top of my ballot.

I cannot make more crosses.

However, I can make fewer crosses.



I am not allowed to draw or write on the ballot paper.

If I make a mistake, I ask for a new ballot paper.

I made my crosses.

I fold up the ballot paper. I put the ballot paper in the ballot box. It is a box with a slot. It is in front of the voting booth.



