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2025 WA STATE ELECTION

Saturday, 8th March 2025 (Polling Day)

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Resource Information for WA Voters

(who value family, freedoms, faith and life)

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to help a Candidate

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2025 Western Australia State General Election

12 Political Parties (11 in Legislative Assembly & 12 in Legislative Council)

It's important for WA voters to be an informed voter, by knowing the policies and values of political parties and profiles of Candidates (including Independents) and how MPs voted on key Bills (legislation). There are 398 Candidates (including 27 Independents & 2 with "No Party Designation") listed on the WA Electoral Commission website for the 59 Electorates (Districts) - Legislative Assembly (Lower House).

See WA Electoral Commission link for Candidates names, Political Parties and 59 Electorates (Lower House): <https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/elections/state/sgelection#/sg2025/LACandidateParty>

For the Legislative Council (Upper House), the 6 regions are abolished - only 1 electorate across the state of WA with 37 Members to be elected (146 Candidates - 14 groups including independents and ungrouped).

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NB. Postal Voting commences 19.2.2025 and Early Voting commences 24.2.2025

1. **Animal Justice Party** [11 Candidates - Lower House] <https://wa.animaljusticeparty.org/elections>
2. **Australian Christians** [54 Candidates] <https://australianchristians.org.au>
3. **Greens** [59 Candidates] <https://greens.org.au/wa/candidates>
4. **Legalise Cannabis Party** [34 Candidates] <https://www.lcwaparty.org.au>
5. **Labor** [59 Candidates in Electorates] <https://walabor.or.au>
6. **Liberal** [59 Candidates in Electorates] <https://www.waliberal.org.au>
7. **Libertarian Party** [3 Candidates in Electorates] <https://www.libertarians.org.au/wa>
8. **Nationals** [20 Candidates in Electorates] <https://www.nationalswa.com>
9. **One Nation** [41 Candidates in Electorates] <https://wa.onenation.org.au>
10. **Shooters, Fishers & Farmers** [26 Candidates] <https://www.shootersfishersandfarmerswa.org.au>
11. **Stop Pedophiles! Protect kiddies!** [3 Candidates] **NO WEBSITE** (not affiliated with Labour DLP)
12. **Sustainable Australia Party** [10 Candidates - Upper House] <https://www.sustainableaustralia.org.au>

59 Electorates (Districts) - 398 Candidates

List of 59 Electorates and 398 Candidates as listed on Ballot paper (Albany to West Swan). 1 new district has been created called Oakford (incorporates localities of Anketell, Aubin Grove, Casuarina, Forrestdale, Haynes, Hilbert, Oakford, Piara Waters, Wandj and part of Banjup). 5 districts have had names changed by the Commissioners, to reflect amended boundaries:

<u>Current District Name</u>	<u>New Name</u>
Burns Beach	Mindarie
Mirrabooka	Girrawheen
North West Central	Mid-West
Moore	Mid-West
Warnbro	Secret Harbour
Willagee	Bibra Lake

Some WA Issues to Consider

- **Cost of Living Pressures** (rising food, fuel, travel, energy, transport, rates & everyday costs).
- **Affordable Housing, Social Housing, Rent Increases & Homelessness**
- **Health, Education, Regional Services & Crime**
- **25 MPs (Upper House) voted against providing resuscitation for born-alive aborted babies.** <https://www.skynews.com.au/opinion/wa-upper-house-votes-down-babies-born-alive-abortion-bill/video/d7662208ec37703ea2bb42d581392829>
- **Sex (gender) self-ID rushed & harmful legislation "Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Amendment (Sex or Gender Changes) Bill 2024"** (genuine concerns for safety, dignity, privacy, fairness & rights of women & girls in designated female-only spaces e.g. toilets, change rooms, services & sports etc.)
- **Freedom of Speech, Faith & Conscience**

WA 59 Electorates & Margin % (7 Key Seats)

No.	59 ELECTORATES (includes new district, Oakford) 59 MPs - comprising 53 Labor , 3 Liberal & 3 Nationals , <i>* Departing or Moving MP</i>	MARGIN % (Labor , Liberal , Nationals) 7 Key Seats < 8% <u>Source: "Pendulum" WA 2025</u> Election Guide, ABC News Elections
1	Albany	11.0% Labor
2	Armadale	33.8% Labor
3	Balcatta	25.8% Labor
4	Baldivis	35.8% Labor
5	Bassendean	31.7% Labor
6	Bateman	6.7% Labor
7	Belmont	29.4% Labor
8	Bibra Lake (formerly Willagee) <i>* Departing MP</i>	38.2% Labor
9	Bicton	16.2% Labor
10	Bunbury	22.5% Labor
11	Butler <i>* Departing MP</i>	32.6% Labor
12	Cannington <i>* Departing MP</i>	30.7% Labor
13	Carine	3.9% Labor
14	Central Wheatbelt <i>* Departing MP</i>	9.3% Nationals
15	Churchlands	1.6% Labor
16	Cockburn	28.1% Labor
17	Collie-Preston	23.3% Labor
18	Cottesloe <i>* Departing MP</i>	7.4% Liberal
19	Darling Range	14.1% Labor
20	Dawesville	13.1% Labor
21	Forrestfield	22.9% Labor
22	Fremantle	15.7% Labor v Greens
23	Geraldton	9.3% Labor
24	Girrawheen (formerly Mirrabooka)	33.4% Labor
25	Hillarys	18.7% Labor
26	Jandakot <i>* MP contesting Oakford</i>	18.2% Labor
27	Joondalup	25.5% Labor
28	Kalamunda <i>* Departing MP</i>	14.5% Labor
29	Kalgoorlie	11.2% Labor
30	Kimberley	21.4% Labor
31	Kingsley	16.9% Labor
32	Kwinana	38.2% Labor
33	Landsdale <i>* Departing MP</i>	25.6% Labor
34	Mandurah <i>* Departing MP</i>	24.2% Labor
35	Maylands <i>* Departing MP</i>	29.3% Labor
36	Midland <i>* Departing MP</i>	26.9% Labor
37	Mid-West (formerly North West Central & Moore)	8.6% Nationals

38	Mindarie (formerly Burns Beach)	27.9% Labor
39	Morley	27.9% Labor
40	Mount Lawley * Departing MP	21.9% Labor
41	Murray-Wellington	17.3% Labor
42	Nedlands * MP contesting Upper House - Legislative Council	3.1% Labor
43	Oakford (newly created district)	27.7% Labor
44	Perth	29.2% Labor
45	Pilbara	17.6% Labor
46	Riverton	10.9% Labor
47	Rockingham	37.7% Labor
48	Roe	12.2% Nationals
49	Scarborough	9.5% Labor
50	Secret Harbour (formerly Warnbro)	31.3% Labor
51	South Perth	10.1% Labor
52	Southern River	33.1% Labor
53	Swan Hills * Departing MP	27.3% Labor
54	Thornlie * Departing MP	30.6% Labor
55	Vasse	4.3% Liberal
56	Victoria Park	27.7% Labor
57	Wanneroo	28.5% Labor
58	Warren-Blackwood	2.2% Labor
59	West Swan	34.8% Labor

Source Link: <https://www.abc.net.au/news/elections/wa/2025/guide/pendulum>

Tips on How to Find Information on Candidates/Parties for Voters

1. After a Voter locates their WA electorate, source the WA Electoral Commission website to find the ballot paper order and names of the Candidates/Parties in that electorate (see page 5 links).
2. Go to ABC News Elections WA 2025 Guides which provides electorate information, electorate borders, margin %, past election results, Candidates profiles, photos and website links (where published).
<https://www.abc.net.au/news/elections/wa/2025/guides>
3. Go to the ACL website <https://www.acl.org.au/wavotes> and see the differences or similarities between the various political parties' policies/values. Choose which is the preferred party and then go to the political party or candidate website and/or social media (Facebook) page to seek further profile details e.g. community work, civic ability, skills, values and policies.
4. Additional information - type the Candidate's name into an internet browser search engine using quotation marks at beginning (before first name) and at end of surname e.g. "Joe Bloggs". For some Candidates, this method of internet searching isn't possible; hence the need to search party/candidate websites, social media platforms e.g. Facebook and ABC News Elections WA 2025 Guides etc.
5. If in any doubt as to which is the preferred candidate, search for the Candidate's contact details (if available) to ask them any relevant questions. A trustworthy recommendation about a Candidate is also useful.
6. Make a decision as to the choice of Candidate (or Party) in a preferred order for the electorate ballot paper.
7. Voters in the 2025 WA Election who are deeply concerned about any of the issues listed on page 2 and/or family, freedom, faith and life values (which are fundamental to all human rights), will need to consider carefully how their vote will impact the next 4 years of WA Parliament and the WA Government until 2029.

Make your vote count - VOTE WISELY.



Information & Links

1. Find Your Electorate & Current Boundaries

<https://www.boundaries.wa.gov.au/electorates/find-your-electorate> (type in postcode/locality to find electorate)

<https://www.boundaries.wa.gov.au/electoral-distribution/current-boundaries> (see current vs. 2019 boundaries)

2. Western Australia Electoral Commission <https://www.elections.wa.gov.au>

Legislative Assembly (Lower House) Candidates listed in Electorate/District (alphabetically)

<https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/elections/state/sgelection#/sg2025>

Legislative Assembly (Lower House) Candidates listed within Political Parties

<https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/elections/state/sgelection#/sg2025/LACandidateParty>

Legislative Council (Upper House) Candidates listed in whole of state, showing Candidate details and parties

<https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/elections/state/sgelection#/sg2025/region/00/candidates>

Above links help to find:

- **59 DISTRICTS** (electorates) in Legislative Assembly (Lower House) from ALBANY to WILLAGEE. WA voters must number *all* the boxes on the smaller ballot paper (Legislative Assembly) in order of their own choice (preference).
- 398 Candidates, surname (alpha) in Legislative Assembly (Lower House) & Electorate/ Ballot Paper Order.
- 146 Candidates (37 Members to be elected for Legislative Council - Upper House) via 14 groups. WA voters have the option to vote *either* above or below the line. For above the line (ATL), voters need to place a "1" for their choice or they can number as many boxes as they prefer. *It is recommended to number all boxes if choosing ATL.* For the Candidates/Parties listed below the line, WA voters need to number a minimum of 20 boxes; however, as there are 37 positions for Candidates to be elected (Legislative Council – Upper House), it is recommended, that WA voters, number a minimum of 37 boxes up to 146 listed names (below the line). **Do NOT** vote both above and below the line. Choose and number carefully your choice of Party/Candidates.

3. Western Australia Electoral Commission - "Voting in a State Election"

(coloured Ballot Paper = Legislative Assembly and the white Ballot Paper = Legislative Council)

<https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/vote/voting-state-election>

4. ABC News WA 2025 Election Guides

Electorates, Candidates (with photos/profiles) and links to their websites/social media (where available). Interactive boundary maps, results from past elections and margin % etc.

<https://www.abc.net.au/news/elections/wa/2025/guides>

6. Wikipedia Candidates of the 2025 Western Australia State Election & Candidates (Legislative Assembly/Council)

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2025_Western_Australian_state_election

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Candidates_of_the_2025_Western_Australian_state_election

5. Freedom for Faith - Candidate Forums <https://meetyourcandidates.org.au>

6. Australian Christian Lobby (ACL) (compares political parties and policies) <https://www.acl.org.au/wavotes/>