

Under the Constitution, our **Senators** must be:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Natural-Born Filipino Citizen ○ At least 35 years of age on May 12, 2025 ○ Able to read and write ○ A registered voter ○ A resident of the Philippines for not less than 2 years immediately preceding May 12, 2025 	<p>No person shall be a Senator unless he is a natural-born citizen of the Philippines, and, on the day of the election, is at least thirty-five years of age, able to read and write, a registered voter, and a resident of the Philippines for not less than two years immediately preceding the day of the election. <i>(Section 3, Article VI, Constitution)</i></p>
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while our **District Representatives** must be:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Natural-Born Filipino Citizen ○ At least 25 years of age on May 12, 2025 ○ Able to read and write ○ A registered voter of the District ○ A resident of the District for not less than 1 year immediately preceding May 12, 2025 	<p>No person shall be a Member of the House of Representatives unless he is a natural-born citizen of the Philippines and, on the day of the election, is at least twenty-five years of age, able to read and write, and, except the party-list representatives, a registered voter in the district in which he shall be elected, and a resident thereof for a period of not less than one year immediately preceding the day of the election. <i>(Section 6, Article VI, Constitution)</i></p>
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Under the 1991 Local Government Code, our **Governors** and **Mayors** must be:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Filipino Citizen ○ At least 23 (for governor or highly-urbanized city mayor) or 21 (for independent component city, component city and municipal mayor) years of age on May 12, 2025 ○ Able to read and write Filipino or any other local language or dialect ○ A registered voter of the Province/ City/ Municipality ○ A resident of the Province/ City/ Municipality for not less than 1 year immediately preceding May 12, 2025 	<p>Qualifications. — (a) An elective local official must be a citizen of the Philippines; a registered voter in the xxx municipality, city, or province xxx; a resident therein for at least one (1) year immediately preceding the day of the election; and able to read and write Filipino or any other local language or dialect.</p> <p>(b) Candidates for the position of governor xxx or mayor xxx of highly urbanized cities must be at least twenty-three (23) years of age on election day.</p> <p>(c) Candidates for the position of mayor xxx of independent component cities, component cities, or municipalities must be at least twenty-one (21) years of age on election day. <i>(Section 39, 1991 Local Government Code)</i></p>
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