く SofBC Canadian Citizenship Preparation Lessons

CLB 6 – February Question

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CLB 6 – Canadian Citizenship and Voting

Living in a democracy, Canadian citizens have the right and the responsibility to participate in making decisions that affect them. It is important for Canadians aged 18 or more



to participate in their democracy by voting in federal, provincial or territorial and municipal elections.

One of the privileges of Canadian citizenship is the right to vote. You are eligible to vote in a federal election or cast a ballot in a federal referendum if you are:

- a Canadian citizen; and
- at least 18 years old on voting day; and
- on the voters' list.

Review Question:

Why should you vote when you become a Canadian citizen?

You can be deported if you	
don't vote.	

) It is a law that all Canadian citizens must vote.

It is your right and responsibility to vote as a Canadian citizen.

Voters have more freedoms and privileges than non-voters.