

# Ten good reasons

# for voting for KrF



The Christian Democratic Party (KrF) is a political party you can vote for during local elections in Norway on September 11th 2023. Anyone registered and has lived in Norway in the last three years before election day can vote in local elections. We believe that KrF is a great alternative for you!

KrF's political solutions are based on the principles of taking care of each other, promoting human dignity, and good stewardship of the world's resources. These principles are based on a Christian worldview; therefore, we call KrF a Christian Democratic party.

We believe a good society is built through solid interaction between the individual, public authorities, and private and non-profit actors. We also believe it is important that society is built from the bottom up, that we listen to the voices and experiences of individuals, involve them in the decision-making processes, and work together to create a fair and inclusive society where all people are equally valuable. KrF's goal is to create a society with room for everyone, regardless of religion, culture or ethnic background.

## Values that endure

KrF will take care of the values that Norwegian society was built upon. These values cannot be taken for granted. If we know where we come from, we will be in a better position to meet new people and cultures. Human dignity, caring for each other, and good stewardship are values to build our future society.

## Time and freedom of choice for families

KrF will continue to push for financial support for families that choose to have one parent home with their children until they are two years old. Moreover, we want to increase the child benefits by 2,000 NOK per month for children aged 0-6 and 1,500 NOK per month for those between 6 and 18.

## A society for all ages

Norway should be a place where people feel safe and happy to grow old. Therefore, KrF wants to implement a system where relatives can help receive support to help their elderly family members. Moreover, we want to strengthen the development of nursing homes home services for the elderly.

## Secure health care when you need it

Norway must have a sound healthcare system that can provide the right help at the right time. In Norway today, many healthcare workers are overworked and burnt out. KrF wants to increase recruitment in the healthcare sector and create better working conditions for healthcare personnel.

## Vibrant local communities with good jobs

KrF wants to create better conditions for locally-rooted businesses that create safe workplaces and contribute to building local communities nationwide. We want a viable agricultural industry that provides increased food production, better farmer income development, and strengthened environmental protection.

## A good transition from kindergarten to school

An excellent start to school lays the foundation for many vital years in a child's life. KrF wants to ensure there are more teachers in schools and kindergartens in Norway. Also, we want to replace the first grade with a preschool class where playing, safety and relationships have a central place.

## A fun and safe upbringing for children

KrF will introduce a "national leisure card" that allows all children and young people to participate in social activities like sports, music groups, or other clubs they may be interested in – for free! More and more young people today struggle with mental health challenges, and therefore KrF believes that the age limit for social media must be respected and that companies must be held responsible for this. KrF also believes that children should not use mobile phones during school hours.

## Human dignity in all phases of life

We will fight for human dignity in all phases of life. No one should be excluded based on their abilities or qualities. KrF wants to give, therefore, better support for those who have children with special needs. We also want to provide more legal protection for babies before birth and we are against euthanasia.

## Supporting those who need it the most

We will support the non-profit sector within, among other things, drug rehabilitation, children's services and youth work for those in difficult situations. We believe the non-profit sector is important for preventing and helping people in vulnerable situations.

## Helping others knows no borders.

KrF will continue to keep support international development at high levels. This contributes to eradicating poverty and caring for the planet for future generations. We think that the climate crisis is something that adversely affects the global south. Therefore, we must help stop climate change by cutting emissions from Norway and contributing internationally.