# **Zoom Polling for Meetings**

## **Overview**

The polling feature for meetings allows you to ask multiple choice polling questions. You will be able to launch the poll during your meeting and gather the responses from your attendees to engage your audience and allow participant input.

To turn on the polling feature, go to [Polling for Meetings](https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/213756303-Polling-for-Meetings#h_90771265-fee5-4dda-8ae6-981dcb6760e0) and scroll down to **For Your Own Meetings**.

**Note:** If you are making a recording of the meeting, poll results **do not** appear in the recording. Please download the report for polling results.

### **Requirements**

* To launch polling, the host must be using the [Zoom Client for Meetings desktop application](https://zoom.us/download) on PC, Mac, or Linux
* Only the original meeting host can use polling. If host control is transferred to another participant, the new host will not have polling ability
* Attendees using the [desktop application](https://zoom.us/download) or the [Zoom mobile app](https://zoom.us/download) will be able to participate in polling, but those using a web browser (such as Chrome or Firefox) are unable to view or participate in polls.

The web client of Zoom has limited features and functions as you saw polling is one of those.

For more info on: [Zoom web client](https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/214629443-Zoom-web-client)



If you want to ensure that your students/participants use the desktop application, you can disable the show link to join from browser on your account settings:



## **Accessing Poll Results**

If you are making a recording of the meeting, poll results **do not** appear in the recording. Follow the steps to download polling results.

1. Go to zoom.us and **Log In.**
2. Select **Reports.**
3. Select **Meeting**



1. For **Report Type**, select **Poll Report**
2. Enter a **date range** for results and click **Search.**

3. Select **Generate** to the right of the meeting you wish to get poll results for. T*he* ***Report Queue*** *opens with all generated results.*
4. Select **Download** to download the poll results to a .csv
5. Poll results open in a .csv

### **Learn More**

* For additional instructions on creating a poll, launching a poll, and downloading a report of poll results, see [Polling For Meetings](https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/213756303-Polling-for-Meetings?zcid=1231) in the Zoom Help Center.
* For ideas about how to use polls to engage your audience, see [3 Ways To Use Polls In Meetings](https://blog.zoom.us/wordpress/2016/09/20/3-ways-to-use-polls-in-meetings/) on the Zoom Blog.