

Class of 2017 Graduation Information



Friday, May 5, 2017

Senior Final Exams 1st and 3rd Blocks

Monday, May 8, 2017

Senior Final Exams 2nd and 4th Blocks

All online Edgenuity Classes must be complete by noon.

Final Grades Due by 2:30 PM

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

7:30 AM – 10:00 AM Last Chance Final Exams / Make-up Exams

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM 1st Graduation Practice

Valedictorian / Salutatorian Announced
Speaking Roles Assigned for Ceremony

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Senior Class Luncheon

Wednesday, May 10, 2017

No School for graduating seniors

Thursday, May 11, 2017

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Only students with speaking roles report.
Graduation Speeches Due/Approvals/Edits
Practice for Students with Speaking Roles
Last Chance to Turn in Textbooks/Pay Fines

Friday, May 12, 2016

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM 2nd Graduation Practice – Dress Rehearsal!!

Caps and Gowns Distributed
Graduation Tickets Distributed
All debts must be cleared to receive these items.
Senior Awards Ceremony (AUDITORIUM)

9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

Seniors MUST attend both GRADUATION PRACTICES to participate in the JHS Ceremony.

Half-Day students must make arrangements with employers to be sure they are present for practices.

School Uniforms REQUIRED & You MUST Be ON TIME!! If transportation is an issue, ride the bus!

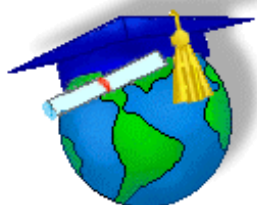
Monday, May 15, 2017

4:30 PM

Line-up in Library
Students do not wear gown to school. Students will put gowns on after dress code checks have been complete.

6:00 PM

Students ONLY! Parents/Guests not allowed in the school building. The doors will be locked after 5:00 PM!!
Ceremony Begins



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JEANERETTE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION CEREMONY IMPORTANT INFORMATION



STUDENT DRESS CODE

Males: Shirt and Tie; Dark Colored Dress Pants (Black or Grey) and **SOLID BLACK** Shoes;
No tennis shoes, flip flops, sandals, jeans, sunglasses, cell phones, or gum.
You must be clean shaven according IPSB Dress Code or you can not walk.
No unnatural or distracting hair styles or colors will be allowed at graduation.

Females: Dark Colored Dress or Skirt with dressy **SOLID BLACK** shoes.
No tennis shoes, flip flops, sandals, jeans, sunglasses, cell phones, or gum.
If you have a question about if your shoes are acceptable, bring them to the office.
No unnatural or distracting hair styles or colors will be allowed at graduation.
No colored extensions are allowed.

The ROW LEADERS will check dress code before the processional. If you do not meet dress code, you will be pulled from the ceremony. If you have a cell phone or gum, you will be pulled.

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY RULES

- Each graduate will receive 8 guest tickets for the auditorium, and 4 for the cafeteria where the ceremony will be streamed live (tentatively).
- Everyone must have a ticket to enter the ceremony, regardless of age.
- Please tell all guests to be prepared to remain for the entire ceremony. People leaving and climbing up and down the bleachers distracts the speaker and makes it hard for everyone to hear.
- No flowers, balloons, stuffed animals, etc. allowed in the auditorium during the ceremony. This obstructs the view of other guests. Females will only be allowed to carry the class flower given to them by the school.
- Guests must remain in the stands during the ceremony.
- Guests will not be allowed in and out of the auditorium once the ceremony begins.
- Guests must remain seated until after the graduates have left the ceremony. Graduates will process out of the auditorium and return to the commons area after the ceremony. Guests are not allowed in the school building. Graduates will meet their guests outside after being issued their packets at the end of the evening.
- Students/ Parents / Guests will park in the student parking area near the tennis courts. If the ground is dry, there will be additional parking in the rear of the building.

Speaking Roles:

Assigned based on the order outlined below.

Graduation Order and Seating:

Valedictorian(s)

Salutatorian (No Salutatorian if multiple Vals)

Honor Graduates - 3.5 GPA or above in the Honors Program (Seated in Weighted GPA Order)

Honors Program - Completed the Honors Program Requirements with less than a 3.5 GPA (Seat in Alpha Order)

Distinguished Graduates - 3.5 GPA or above in the regular curriculum (Seated in GPA Order)

All other Graduates Seated in Alpha Order

Commencement Address

Presiding

Pledge

Invocation

Welcome

Introduction of Honored Guests

Tassel Ceremony

Benediction