

HIGHLANDS HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2020

Important Commencement Information

1. All seniors are expected and invited to participate in Commencement.
2. **Commencement will take place on Wednesday, July 1, 2020 @ 6:00 PM in the Highlands High School Gymnasium.** Seniors are to report to the cafeteria no later than **5:15 PM**. Seniors should park in the student parking lot.
3. **GRADUATION TICKETS:**
Each senior will receive **two** Reserved Seating tickets for family members to view a live stream feed of the Commencement ceremony. Tickets are required for viewing Commencement in the auditorium, auditorion, and gymnasium. Tickets also list a designated parking area for family members. We will distribute tickets at Graduation Rehearsal on Tuesday, June 30, 2020.
4. **GRADUATION REHEARSAL:** We will have one rehearsal, scheduled for **Tuesday, June 30, 2020**. All graduates participating in the Commencement ceremony are expected to attend. Please report to the High School gymnasium at **8:45 AM**. We will start rehearsal promptly at 9:00 AM.
5. **CAPS & GOWNS**
Gowns are to be pressed with a COOL iron on the inside. Wear caps parallel to the floor with the tassel on the right side. Do not alter the gown or cap in any manner. The only items permitted to be worn on the gown are the Honors Cords / Medallions & NHS Medals. Honors Cords will be distributed when you report for Commencement on Wednesday, July 1, 2020.
6. **DRESS CODE/ ATTIRE:** Gentlemen are to wear white or light colored shirts, dark ties, dress trousers, and dress shoes. Tennis, Sport or Gym shoes are NOT PERMITTED. All gentlemen MUST wear socks. Ladies are to wear dresses or suits. The neckline of the dress MUST be appropriate. No dark or bright shoes/ nylons are to be worn. All hosiery should be light and light colored, and dress shoes should be worn. Hair should be worn so that the cap can fit on top of your head. Sunglasses, flip flops, shower shoes, dangling & extremely large earrings are NOT PERMITTED to be worn.
7. **DIPLOMAS:** Diplomas will be issued during the Commencement ceremony.