

Class of 2025

General Graduation Information

Congratulations on your upcoming Graduation from High School. To ensure that your commencement ceremony is special, the following items **must be completed by the due dates listed below**. If you have any questions, please see Mr. Bickes, Mrs. Gurrola, or Mrs. Brown. All forms can be found on the Senior Google Classroom:

- **Thursday, January 30 - Senior meeting in the Auditorium @ 9:17 am (Club Time)**
 - Order: Cap and Gown
 - Join: Class of 2025 Google Classroom
 - Complete the FAFSA
 - Organize and prepare to submit the following when directed to do so:
 - Colleges applied to
 - Colleges admitted to
 - ALL Merit Scholarships, ALL Other Scholarships offered (total amounts of scholarship)
 - **Select Reader & Speaker by February 14 - Google Form**
 - Who would you like to Read the Names? - as you receive your diploma
 - Who would you like to Address the Class? - a speech that a teacher or staff member will present during the commencement ceremony
 - **Would you like to:**
 - Perform the National Anthem
 - Audition schedule & room to be determined. All interested performers will audition in front of a panel to be considered for selection.
 - Speak at Graduation
 - Reading schedule & room to be determined. All interested speakers will read their graduation speech to an adult panel to be considered for selection.
 - **TO BE CONSIDERED: SUBMIT YOUR NAME VIA THE GOOGLE FORM BY FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH (THE FORM WILL BE SENT TODAY VIA PARENTSQUARE AND POSTED IN THE CLASS OF 2025 GOOGLE CLASSROOM)**
 - **Order/Pay By March 7:**
 - Laude Stole (\$20) - You are eligible to order a stole to wear at the ceremony based on your cumulative high school weighted GPA calculated at the end of the 7th semester
 - AP Cord (\$10) - You are eligible to order an honors cord based on your AP scores (College Board).
 - Any Outstanding Fees
 - Eligible items and outstanding fees (if applicable) will be added to your Infinite Campus account
- **Wednesday, February 12 – Class of 2025 Panoramic Photo and Cap & Gown Photos (optional). Main gym. Formal attire is required.**
- **Thursday, March 6 - Senior meeting in the Auditorium @ 9:17 am (Club Time)**
 - Confirm: Song, Reader of Names, Address the Class
 - Graduation speakers must upload speeches to the form on the Senior Google Classroom page and turn in a paper copy of their speech to Mrs. Gurrola
- **Tuesday, March 25 - Senior Yard Signs and Banner Order Deadline**
 - Yard Signs - \$25.00 (Optional Name Rider - \$10.00)
 - Graduation Banners - \$50.00
- **Wednesday, April 16 – College Admission, Scholarships and Final College Selection or Future Plans**
 - Complete the form: College Attending, College Admission Offers and Scholarships that you are accepting

- **Thursday, April 24 – Senior meeting in the Auditorium @ 9:17 am (Club Time)**
 - Finalization of commencement ceremony
 - Final review of commencement program. All Seniors must approve the spelling of their name in the program.

- **Week of April 28th – Cap & Gown Distribution**
 - Distribution currently scheduled to begin Wednesday, April 30th
 - Items can be picked up during lunch or before/after school in the College & Career Center

- **Wednesday, May 1 – Speeches, Program & College Gear**
 - *Final draft of commencement speeches emailed to Mr. Bickes, bickes.robert@cUSD80.com.*
 - Celebrate your future and wear your “College Gear” or wear something that represents your future goals.

- **Monday, May 12 - Senior Checkout Form**
 - Distribution of Senior Checkout forms via 3rd period instructor

- **Thursday, May 15 – Final Exams**
 - Senior final examinations, periods 1, 3, and 5

- **Friday, May 16 – Final Exams & Check Out Form**
 - Final examinations, periods 2, 4, and 6
 - Senior checkout form due to Ms. Bastidas by 2:00 pm
 - Report to auditorium @ 1:45 for your Senior Tunnel and “clap out”.

- **Thursday, May 22 – Commencement Rehearsal & Commencement**
 - 8:00 AM - Commencement Rehearsal, ACP High School, Dr. Fred DePrez Stadium, (casual clothing)
 - **Class of 2025 Commencement Ceremony**
 - 6:30 PM - *Graduates need to report to ACP High School Main Gym*
 - *Must wear cap & gown*
 - *Leave all personal belongings in your vehicle (no backpacks, speakers, water bottles permitted)*
 - 7:30 PM - *Class of 2025 Commencement Ceremony begins*

Class of 2025 Commencement Ceremony
ACP High School
Dr. Fred DePrez Athletic Stadium
Thursday, May 22nd
7:30 PM

*** *There is no limit on the number of guests/graduate* ***
 ** *Stadium gates open at 6:30 PM* **