

EDGEWOOD SCHOOLS INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE



Monday, July 27, 2020

Dear Parents & Class of 2020 Graduates,

Unfortunately, we will not be able to host our traditional graduation ceremonies on July 28, due to new restrictions being imposed by Governor Newsom and the LA County Department of Public Health. However, we believe that we can adhere to social distancing guidelines and recognize the achievement of our graduates by holding a "Drive-thru" ceremony.

Barring any new restrictions, we will hold our "Drive-Thru" graduation ceremony on Thursday, August 13 beginning at 9:00 am at the New Event Center on Edgewood High School's campus during staggered times according to the last name of the graduates.

Time	By Graduate's Last Name
9:00-9:30	А
9:30-10:00	B-C
10:00-10:30	D-F
10:30-11:00	G-K
11:00-11:30	L
11:30-12:00	M-O
12:00-12:30	P-R
12:30-1:00	S-Z

## Vehicle Information

- Only one (1) vehicle per graduate.
- Vehicles can be decorated, but in an appropriate manner (no offensive language or images).
- Graduates must be seated in the passenger seat to assist us with the flow of traffic.

## **Ceremony Information**

- Graduates must wear their cap/gown and facial covering.
- Only school provided stoles and cords may be worn during the ceremony.
- Vehicles will line up along Durness Street and enter the procession line at the parking lot entrance at the Event Center
- Upon arrival, graduates will confirm graduates name on the pre-labeled name card and hand to staff
- As the vehicle nears the stage, the graduate will be directed to exit the vehicle (while wearing a facial covering) and will be provided a diploma cover.
- Graduates can remove their facial coverings for photos once on stage (approximately 2-minute)
- Family members MUST remain in the vehicle but will be encouraged to cheer, take photos, etc.
- Professional photographers will be present and will provide purchasing information



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## Additional

- Caps/gowns will be available for purchasing or renting on Wednesday, August 12 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm from the front office for those students who did not obtain theirs in the spring.
- For those graduates who have not picked up their diplomas in the spring, diplomas are available Friday, August 14, 2020 beginning at 8:00 am in the front office.

We thank you for your cooperation and are confident that our "Drive-Thru" graduation ceremony will be a successful and dignified event. Please contact my office if you have any questions (626) 939-0600 ext. 6001 or email me at rmaddox@wcusd.org.

Sincerely,

Roni Maddox, Ed.D.

## Edgewood Graduation 2020 Drive-Thru Graduation Map



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