



WOODBRIDGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

40 Beecher Road – South
Woodbridge, Connecticut 06525

Jonathan S. Budd, Ph.D. – Superintendent

June 14, 2021

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s) of Grade 6 Students:

The weather forecast looks glorious for this Friday. Please continue to keep your fingers and toes crossed!

Please read carefully these final details related to our grade 6 graduation ceremony on Friday, June 18, from 2:30-3:30 p.m. My prior letters are available by clicking here: [May 19 / June 4](#).

- Students should wear clothing and footwear appropriate for warm weather, and for walking on grass. Students should come to school Friday dressed in the attire they will wear for graduation; students will not have an opportunity to change their clothing during the school day.
- Grade 6 students who have been fully remote learners this year should be brought to campus for 1:30 p.m., proceeding to the South Assembly Room for lunch if they wish.
- All guests should arrive at the Beecher campus through the main entrance no earlier than 1:30 p.m. Police officers will direct guests to the proper parking location.
- If you requested a 3rd guest seat, you have received confirmation of that via e-mail today, and your name will be on the check-in list held by the greeters to the seating area. Otherwise, you should plan to bring 2 guests.
- The outdoor seating area is unshaded; therefore, guests for whom sitting outside in potentially high temperatures will be difficult are encouraged to view the live-streamed ceremony from the comfort of their homes. The link to the live-streamed ceremony will be eBlasted from my office this Thursday.
- To ensure the required social distancing and aisle space, all seating will be provided by Beecher Road School; guests should not bring their own chairs.
- Masks for all those in attendance will be required. One exception will be that each graduate will be permitted to remove his/her mask, at his/her discretion, when crossing the stage to receive his/her diploma and have the professional photograph taken.
- If the outdoor ceremony must be moved inside due to weather, an announcement will come from my office by 11:00 a.m. on Friday morning.
- At this point, all further inquiries should be directed to [my office](#) regarding:
 - Your child not participating in the ceremony.
 - Your guests requiring handicapped parking, or any additional accommodations.
 - Your child needing transportation home from the ceremony.

We are anticipating an excellent ceremony on Friday; [please do not hesitate to reach out](#) if you have any questions at all!

Sincerely,

Jonathan S. Budd, Ph.D.
Superintendent

I look forward to seeing you on Friday!