



Midlothian High School Road to Graduation

Class of 2022



Congratulations Seniors!

- This information will be shared via email with all seniors and parents.
- Congratulations on making it this far! But, it's not over yet!
 Finish strong Panthers!
- As of Tuesday, March 29, Seniors have 37 school days left!



Project Graduation Activities

• Senior Breakfast

Sunday, April 3rd- 10am - Thorntree Golf Club- DeSoto, TX

Senior Dinner

Sunday, May 1- Blaine Stone Lodge

• <u>Senior Sunset</u>

Friday, May 20th- MHS Campus- Specific Location TBD

• Senior Picnic

Sunday, May 22- Lakeview Camp & Retreat Center

Senior All Night Event

Sunday, May 29, (Graduation day)- Midlothian Conference Center

Additional Information:

- Students provide their own transportation to the events.
- Students must be registered with Project Graduation to attend.
 - MidloHighSchoolProjectGrad2022@gmail.com



Baccalaureate Ceremony

- Sunday. May 22- 4:30 pm
- Location: Stonegate Church
- This event will honor MHS and HHS graduates.
- Baccalaureate is a student led, religiously based service honoring the graduating class.
- Graduates wear their graduation gowns for the ceremony (no caps or cords).
- During the service, graduates will hear from their peers and respected leaders in the religious community.
- Participation in this event is optional.
- If you would like to help plan the event or have questions, please contact
 Trevor Tobey, Kennedy King or Fletcher Newman.





Who: 2022 Seniors, Family, Friends, and Community Members



Scan for more information. Seniors, please wear your graduation gown (no caps or cords)





Scholarship & Awards Night

- Tuesday, May 17th at 6:30pm
- Location: Midlothian High School Arena
- A special evening to honor any senior who has been awarded a scholarship or special award.
- If you want to be honored you <u>MUST</u> send the scholarship award letter or official documentation showing the award or scholarship by <u>May 6th</u> to Mrs. Wolf.
- Please submit all your scholarships to Mrs. Wolf via the following link:
- MHS Scholarship Reporting.







THE BIG DAY!

Sunday. May 29: GRADUATION DAY!

- Seniors, we want you to represent yourself, your family, your class, your school, and your community with pride, respect, and class. We want nothing to take away from the quality of YOUR graduation.
- Do not bring your phone (or anything else) on stage.
- Do not bring beach balls, silly string, confetti poppers, etc. We will have teachers on each row to watch carefully.
- Do not decorate your cap or wear any unapproved stoles, cords, medals, etc.
 on the day of graduation.





Arrival Information: Sunday 5/29

- **3:00 pm:** Seniors will arrive at the MHS Arena and check in.
- Graduates should have everything that is needed for graduation with them when they arrive at MHS.
- **3:20 pm:** Buses will leave from MHS for the Mansfield Center for Performing Arts to take all graduates to the ceremony.
- Seniors will rehearse upon arrival, and then we will settle into the holding room. No family or guests are allowed in the holding room. We will have water available, music playing, and a slideshow in the holding room.
- **6:00pm:** Doors open for family and guests to find their seats. All seats are assigned.
- After the Ceremony: Most graduates will leave the facility with family members, but if you need a ride back to MHS after the ceremony, please tell Dr. McMullen by Friday, May 27 by completing this form: <u>Bus Back to MHS</u>





What to Bring To Graduation

- Cap/Gown/Stole on a hanger. Be sure you have your tassel!
- NHS stole, approved cords & Val or Sal Medal (if applicable).
- You will not be allowed to have your phone/wallet/keys/purse on the stage at graduation. Each line leader will have a small bin that is locked up during the ceremony to hold any of your belongings you must have with you. You will collect them outside after the graduation ceremony.





<u>Graduate Attire</u>

- Graduates should dress in "Sunday Best" attire.
 - Dresses.
 - Dark Pants / White collared shirt.
 - Comfortable shoes. If you wear heels, it is recommended to wear a wedge heel.
 - Full graduation regalia.



Graduation Regalia

- <u>IMPORTANT</u>: If you have not yet paid for the graduation regalia (cap,gown, & tassel), please go to: <u>hallsrecognition.com</u> and select "Shop Now", then select "Midlothian High School" and it will direct you to the online store.
- The total is \$80.00 and includes cap, gown, and tassel.
- Please use a computer (Chromebook, etc.), not a phone

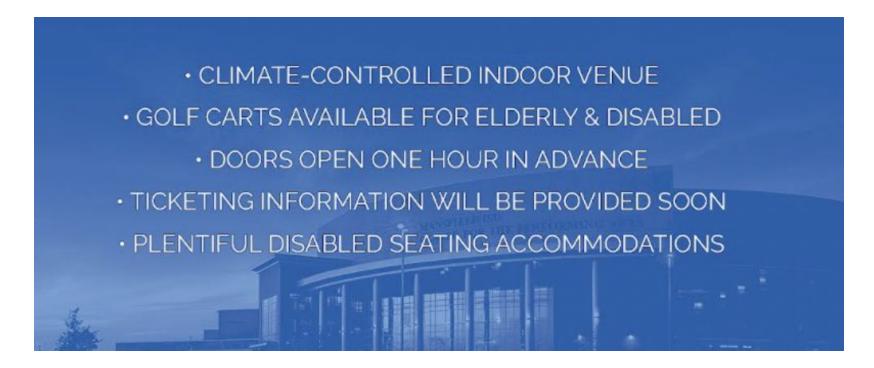
Graduation Regalia

- Full Midlothian ISD Graduation Regalia:
 - Cap, Gown & Tassel
 - Students are not permitted to decorate/personalize caps.
 - Approved Honor Cords Only:
 - White Cord for Performance Acknowledgement
 - Gold Cord for Honor Graduates (Top 10%)
 - NHS Stole for National Honor Society Members
 - Navarro Associates Degree
 - Val & Sal Medals
 - Additional Honor Cords/Stoles
 - Graduates may wear any items to personal parties or for personal photographs.
 - Permission must be granted to wear additional items during the graduation ceremony.
 - MISD Graduation Regalia Special Request Form.
 - Deadline: Thurs. April 14

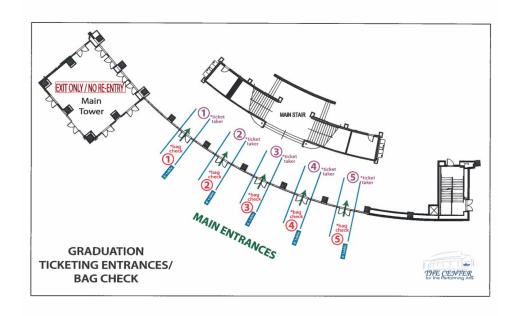




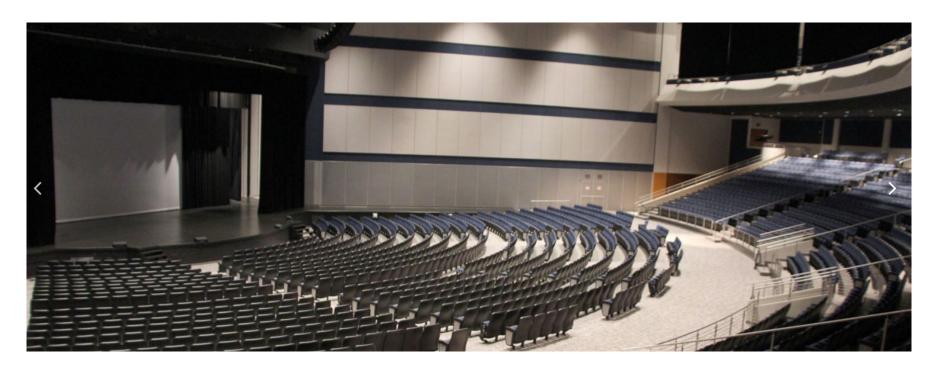








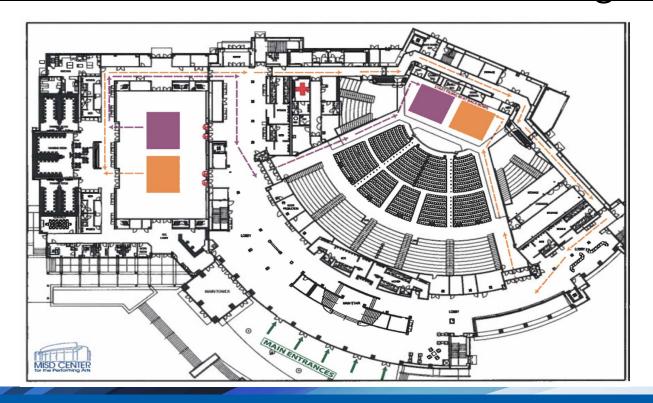
















Ticketing for Graduation Ceremony

- We will be distributing tickets to graduates in early May (dates TBD) during lunches in the cafeteria.
- Each graduate will randomly select a bundle of **10 tickets in an envelope**. All graduates have an equal opportunity to select each bundle of tickets.
- MHS staff will document which tickets were selected. In the event that someone loses their tickets, please contact Shelley Jones, MHS Secretary- shelley.jones@misd.gs
- The ceremony will also be available to view for free via livestream.
- Extra tickets may be requested with the completion of the Google form below. The extra tickets will not be seated near the original bundle of seats.
- THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE GRADUATE FROM HIS/HER MISD GOOGLE ACCOUNT.
 - o DEADLINE: Thursday, April 14
 - MHS Extra Ticket Request Form



Sample Ticket

SECTION: 100 ROW: SEAT: 91





2022 GRADUATION CEREMONY 7:00 P.M. SUNDAY, MAY 29

DR. JIM VASZAUSKAS CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS 1110 WEST DEBBIE LANE | MANSFIELD, TEXAS 76063



ROW:

SEAT: 91

EXPECT EXCELLENCE





Back Of Ticket

Guests admission to The Center auditorium 1 hour prior to graduation start time.

To limit distractions during ceremony, please arrive to the venue prior to the start of event.

Every person, regardless of age, must have a ticket.

Overflow seating will be available for guests without tickets.

All seating is assigned; saving seats will not be allowed.

Strollers, wheelchairs and walkers should not block aisles and pathways.

No hired video or photography allowed.

No flowers, balloons, noise-makers or air horns allowed.

Food and drink will not be allowed in The Center before, during, or after graduation.

In preparation for the next graduation, students and families will not be allowed to re-enter The Center after exiting.

All graduates will meet their families on the outside of the venue at the conclusion of each ceremony.





Special Seating Requests

- You can request special seating for guests who are in a wheelchair or who have a
 physical disability. This request will give wheelchair accessibility within your bundle of
 to tickets.
- Also, you can use the form below to let us know if you have other special family situations that may influence how your tickets are distributed (twins, split families, etc).
 These requests will not change the total number (10) of tickets in your original bundle.
- Requests for special seating should be made by completing the Google form below.
- DEADLINE: Monday, April 4, 2022
- MHS Graduation Special Seating Request Form





Flowers & Gifts For The Graduate

- Flowers and other gifts for the graduate may be pre-ordered for pick up at the ceremony! This makes for great photos and is simple and convenient!
 - https://www.thecommencementgroup.com/midlothian-hs/
 - These items will be available for pick up immediately following the ceremony since they are not allowed inside of the venue.







<u>Graduation Assistance</u>

Graduation Assistance Request

A local community group has reached out to provide assistance for current seniors in need of help paying for graduation announcements, cap and gown, and photos. If you feel you may qualify for assistance with any of these items, please complete this form by Friday, April 8th. Completion of this form does not guarantee assistance.



We are proud of your accomplishment and excited for you as you wrap up your senior year. To celebrate your accomplishment and to help you prepare to walk across the stage at graduation, the Outreach Church of the Rock would like to sponsor your graduation cap and gown, a mini photo session, and graduation announcement cards. For more information, please contact Cheryl Green at rocative/ovahoo.com by Abril 1, 2022.







Sunday, April 3rd - 10:00 am

Senior Breakfast at Thorntree Golf Club in DeSoto, TX

Monday, April 4th

Deadline for special seating requests

• Thursday, April 14th

Deadline to request extra tickets and additional regalia requests.

Saturday, May 7th- 8:00-11:30 pm

Prom at River Ranch in Fort Worth Stockyards

Tuesday, May 17- 6:30 pm

Senior Awards & Scholarship Night- MHS Arena

Tuesday, May 17 - Thursday, May 19

Senior final exams.





Thursday, May 19

MEF "Showcase of Stars" for top 5% graduates. Time & Location TBD

Friday, May 20

 Any student who has not completed their course requirements for all credits and any attendance recovery owed by this date will not have their name listed in the program at graduation.

Sunday, May 22- 4:30 pm

Baccalaureate Ceremony- Stonegate Church





<u>IMPORTANT DATES</u>

Monday, May 23

- o 9:00 am- Graduation walkthrough
- Name pronunciation verification with Mr. Medina

Tuesday, May 24

- o 8:45am: Arrive at MHS Arena for Class of 2022 Photo & Senior Walks at elementary schools.
 - Bring your full regalia: cap/gown/stole/tassel/approved honor cords
 - Please wear neutral colored shoes for the photo.
- Students will be bused from MHS arena, to elementary campuses, back to MHS arena
 - Due to parking constraints, students participating in the walk need to ride the buses provided.
- o Senior Walks at elementary schools will be finished for the day around noon.
- We will send out a Google form later in April for you to sign up to participate so we have enough buses to each school.





Wednesday, May 25th

- o 9:00 am: Senior meeting in MHS Arena for final transcript form and graduation overview.
- <u>Laptop return</u> & exit survey prior to being released early this day.
- Name pronunciation verification with Mr. Medina

Thursday, May 26th

- 8:45 am-10:00 am: Mandatory graduation rehearsal in gym.
- Students will be released for the day following rehearsal.

Friday, May 27

- Back up day for anything needed.
- Most likely there will not be anything planned for graduates this day.





Sunday, May 29: GRADUATION DAY!

- o 3:00 pm- All graduates should be at the Midlothian HS Arena with all things needed for graduation.
 - Dress in Sunday Best (dresses, dark pants, comfortable shoes).
 - Be sure you have full graduation regalia (cap/gown/stole/tassel/approved honor cords)
- 3:20 pm: Graduates will load buses and transport to the Mansfield ISD Center for Performing Arts for the ceremony.
- o 6:00 pm- Doors open for guests to find their seats
- o 7:00 pm: Graduation Ceremony will begin.
 - If all fines are cleared, we are working to pass out diplomas as you exit graduation.
- After Graduation: Project Graduation All Night Event at Midlothian Conference Center

• <u>Summer 2022</u>

• Seniors pick up diploma from MHS main office. Pick up 8a-4p, Mon-Thurs in June.





Contact Information

- Counselors:
 - A-C: <u>Sabra.Golden@misd.gs</u>
 - D-Ho: <u>Caleb.Rigsby@misd.gs</u>
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- College & Career Liaison:
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- Project Graduation:
 - midlohighschool2022projectgrad@gmail.com
- Jostens:
 - Heath Hall: hallh@jostens.com
 - CONGRATULATIONS CLASS OF 2022!!





Google Form Links

- MHS Graduation Special Seating Request Form (due April 4)
- MHS Extra Ticket Request Form (due April 14)
- Bus Back to MHS (due May 27)
- The Commencement Group- Flowers & Gifts
- MHS Scholarship Reporting



