

Senior Meeting

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CLASS OF 2024

Please check your NISD email account often!

**As we approach the Spring semester, we will
share news on upcoming events, deadlines,
and other important senior-related
information!**

CLASS OF 2024 IMPORTANT DATES

- ❖ 12/9/2023 Cap and Gown Orders Due
- ❖ 2/14/2024 Last day to submit graduation cord orders
- ❖ 2/14/2024 Last day for Diploma Name Verification
- ❖ 4/5/2024 Rank Released
- ❖ 5/3/2024 Honors Breakfast
- ❖ 5/14/2024 Board of Trustees Awards Ceremony – BN PAC
- ❖ 5/17/2024 Royal Awards Ceremony – BN Competition Gym
- ❖ 5/18/2024 Prom at The Bowden, Keller
- ❖ 5/22/2024 Senior Sunset
- ❖ TBD Elementary Walks
- ❖ 5/24/2024 Mandatory Graduation Practice/Early Release
- ❖ 5/28/2024 Class of 2024 Graduation Ceremony – UNT Coliseum

Scholarships

- ❖ Please turn in all scholarship offers (academic, athletic, etc) that you are offered to Mrs. Jantz in the front office. Even if you don't plan on accepting the scholarship that you have been offered, we want to celebrate your accomplishments, and will include the offer in the Royal Awards program.
- ❖ We turn in our final scholarship dollar amount to Central Office. (In the past, BN always has the highest total as compared to the other two high schools...don't let us down!) 😊
- ❖ If you plan on enlisting or are already in the process of enlisting in the military, please see Mrs. Huizenga in AC119. We request that you provide a copy of your enlistment papers, so that we can recognize you at our Royal Awards ceremony in May.
- ❖ The deadline to submit scholarship offers or enlistment papers to be included in the ceremony is April 19, 2024 at 12:00pm. **There will be no exceptions due to the print deadline!**

Cap and Gown Package for Graduation Ceremony

- ❖ The basic package from Jostens includes four pieces: cap, gown, tassel, and stole. These items are required for the graduation ceremony.
- ❖ Package prices will increase on **December 10, 2023**.
- ❖ Orders can be placed at [Jostens.com](https://www.jostens.com) or by calling **940-382-8948**.
- ❖ If you plan to borrow a cap/gown from a sibling or friend, please try it on!!
- ❖ If you borrow:
 - You **must** have the BN stole. Please call **940-382-8948** to order.
 - You **must** have the '24 tassel. This item can be ordered by calling **940-382-8948**.
- ❖ Please let Mrs. Miller know if you are borrowing from a friend/sibling!

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students have NOT ordered!

Please place your order by 12/9!

Graduation Cords

- ❖ A letter and order form will be mailed in December with details on what each cord represents, and the requirements for each cord.
- ❖ A signature from the coach or sponsor is required for each cord.
- ❖ Cord price TBA. Exact cash, check, credit/debit cards (Visa/Mastercard only) are accepted. Order forms, with signatures, and payments must be submitted to Mrs. Miller in the front office.
- ❖ The following cords are provided to seniors at no charge: Blood Donation (2 times during senior year), Perfect Attendance (senior year only), Military (students who have completed the enlistment process, and the Top Ten students (not 10%) in the class of 2024.
- ❖ If a student qualifies as an AP Scholar, AP Scholar with Honor, or AP Scholar with Distinction, they must order and pay for their cord. If a student does not order their specified honor cord, the cord will not be presented to the student at Royal Awards; however, the student's name will appear in the program. Mrs. Miller is the required signature for any of the AP designations.
- ❖ To receive your green cord at Royal Awards, payment will be accepted after hours are verified: April 22 - May 10.
- ❖ Deadline to order cords is Wednesday, February 14, 2024 at 2:00pm. No late orders will be accepted!

Graduation Ceremony

- ❖ Class of 2024 graduation ceremony will be held at the University of North Texas on May 28 at 2:00pm.
- ❖ More details concerning the logistics of the ceremony will be shared at our spring meeting.
- ❖ No decorations are allowed on any part of the graduation regalia, including caps. This also includes any stoles, cords, or decorative items that are not approved by BNHS Administration. If you are out of dress code, you will be removed from the line/holding area, and will not be able to return until the situation has been resolved.
- ❖ Please ensure that our registrars have your current address so that you receive any information that is delivered through the postal service. You may contact them to update your delivery address at the emails listed below:

Heather Beasley - Last Names A-K
heather.beasley@nisdtx.org

Demetra LaRose- Last Names L-Z
demetra.larose@nisdtx.org

Rank

Rank will be run at the end of the first semester, and will be available in HAC in January 26, 2024.

At the end of the third quarter, rank will be run again to determine the Class of 2024 Recognitions: Valedictorian, Salutatorian, and the Top 10%. Rank is scheduled to be available in HAC on April 5, 2024.

Rank for the Highest Ranking Graduate will be determined in June.

Diplomas

- ❖ The student's legal name will appear on their diploma. This is the name that is on the birth certificate, and the name that is reflected in each student's eSchool record.
- ❖ If you anticipate a name change, or are currently in the process, legal documentation must be submitted to the registrars prior to February 14, 2024. After that date, no changes can be made due to print deadlines. *If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Miller in the front office.*
- ❖ Each student will receive one diploma. The school doesn't supply extra diplomas or replace diplomas that are lost after the ceremony.
- ❖ If you choose not to participate in the graduation ceremony, please let Mrs. Miller know before Friday, May 17, 2024.

Prom Tickets

On Sale February 26 - April 12

\$80 each

All fines and fees must be paid in full; no
hours owed

Questions?

Email Mrs. Miller at
emiller01@nisdtx.org


