

Sierra High School

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To the Sierra High Class of 2025 Parents and Guardians:

This letter is to inform you of important Class of 2025 events and deadlines. This will be the first of two parent letters I will be sending out prior to graduation, with the second letter planned for early May. Graduation will be held at Daniel Teicheira Memorial Stadium on Thursday, May 22nd at 7:00 pm. Leonard Photography will be offering a package of individual graduation pictures for purchase. Currently, we are planning on handing out 9 tickets per graduate. Everyone (adults, children, and infants in carriers that will take up a seat) must have a ticket to enter. Below are the requirements for graduation that need to be met to receive tickets:

- All graduates must wear a Sierra blue cap and gown with an embroidered wolf head and 2 gray stripes on the sleeves. You may place your order online at<u>www.highschool.herffjones.com</u> or through our Herff-Jones representative, Carlos Courtade, by calling 866-238-5336 or emailing cecourtade@herffjones.com.
- To receive your cap and gown at the senior meeting, orders must be placed by January 24th All orders placed after January 24th will be delivered at a later date. You must purchase by MARCH 1st to receive it in time for graduation.
- All graduates must be cleared on the Senior Clear List. Please feel free to call the school office and inquire about your student's bills, fines, and absences.
- All graduates will be required to sign a "Graduation Ceremony Agreement" which will be handed out March 18^{th.} Parents will also be required to sign this agreement. It must be returned to the Assistant Principal's office by March 28th at 3:00 pm.

Important Dates

- March 18 *Mandatory Meeting for all seniors at 10:45 am in the large gym (You will receive Graduation Agreement and your cap and gown if ordered by Jan 24th).
- March 28 Deadline to return Graduation Agreement
- April 17 Deadline to turn in applications for Honor Cords at 4:00 pm
- April 24-25 E-15 (Every 15 Minutes Dramatization). Seniors will be transported to E-15 sites from SHS
- April 26 Prom 8:00 11:00 pm at The Century in Modesto eligibility is required
- May 9-10 "Grad Nite" at Disneyland
- May 14 Senior Awards Night 7:00 pm in the cafeteria
- May 16 Deadline for ALL college-bound seniors to request final transcript at <u>www.parchment.com</u>
- May 20 Baccalaureate 6:00 pm at Sierra High School Cafeteria (nondenominational service)
- May 21 Senior Sunset- 7:00 pm seniors meet at the Baseball Field
- May 22 *Mandatory Senior Class Breakfast/Graduation Practice starting at 8:30 am
- May 22 Graduation Ceremony 7:00 pm (arrive between 6:00 6:15 pm and report to the large gym)
- May 22 Sober Grad (Location Boomers Details to come....contact Thaera Schluer thaera18@aol.com)

A Senior Clear List will be posted weekly beginning May 1st and then daily the last week of school which will inform students of requirements that need to be cleared in order to participate in the graduation ceremony. This will include bills and fines, library fines/textbooks, student laptops, Saturday Schools and all unexcused absences (including single periods), credits, and the graduation agreement. It is your student's responsibility to <u>check the list each time it is posted</u> to make sure they are on track for graduation. Your assistance in getting your senior on track to fulfill his/her expectations is appreciated. Go T'Wolves!

*All graduates must attend the mandatory SHS Senior Meeting on March 18th at 10:45 am as well as the meeting/breakfast/practice on Thursday, May 22, beginning at 8:30am. All dates above pertain to mid-year graduates as well.

If you have any questions regarding any of this information, please contact my secretary, Paula, at (209) 858-7413.

Together In Education,

Steve Clark, Sierra High School Principal