



Class of 2026 Graduation Ceremony Audition Information



2026 GRADUATION SONGS AUDITION INFORMATION

- National Anthem and graduation song auditions will be held on Wednesday, March 11, 2026 in room 312 beginning at 2:20 PM.
- Sign-ups will be Monday, March 2 - Friday, March 6 on a Google form.
- You may have as many “seniors only” in a group or solo.
- You may audition with your own accompaniment (piano or CD).
- You may audition for the National Anthem and/or song. Any version of the National Anthem is acceptable. It may be sung acapella, with a piano or CD, or with an instrument.
- The song **MUST** be appropriate for graduation. Please bring your music to the audition.
- All singers must be available to practice in the DVHS auditorium on **Wednesday, May 13, 2026 at 1 PM** and at the State Farm Stadium on **Thursday, May 14, 2026 at 9:45 AM**. THIS IS MANDATORY!

2026 GRADUATION SENIOR ADDRESS SPEECH AUDITION INFORMATION

- **Senior Address** speech auditions will be held Thursday, March 12, 2026 in room 212 starting at 2:20 PM.
- Only graduating seniors may audition.
- Sign-ups will be Monday, March 2 - Friday, March 6 on a Google form.
- Your speech must be written by you and delivered at the time of the audition. It does not have to be memorized and notes may be used. **Please bring 7 copies of the speech when auditioning.**
- **The time limit is 2.5 minutes.**
- Criteria for judging will include:
 - o Volume
 - o Articulation
 - o Eye contact
 - o Conviction
 - o Substantial and worthwhile content
 - o Appeal to the audience
- All speakers must be available to practice in the DVHS auditorium on **Wednesday, May 13, 2026 at 1 PM** and at the State Farm Stadium on **Thursday, May 14, 2026 at 9:45 AM**. THIS IS MANDATORY!