

Commencement Exercises



ENMARKET ARENA

Thursday, May 21, 2026

9:00 A.M.

Principal

Mrs. Arlethia Brown-Hall

Assistant Principal

Dr. Amber Jones

Senior Class Advisors

Mr. James Edwards

Ms. Lily Roy

Mrs. Patricia Clark

Senior Counselors

Dr. Chelsea Zimmerman

Mr. Aaron Clark

Senior Class Coordinators

Mrs. Jennifer Turner

Dr. Christina Regian

To our Parents & Learning Coaches:

You believed in us and never gave up on us even though learning looked different. Every sacrifice, every late night, and every word of encouragement in this virtual journey has led us here. This diploma carries your love. Thank you.

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A Special Message to Our Audience

The graduating Class of 2026 asks of you a very special request: the loving gift of silence.

As a final remembrance of these last few moments of friendship, unity, and school spirit, the graduating Class of 2026 asks that the roll call of names be received with dignity and honor. While each name stands alone, individually recognized, they will all be joined forever in a bond of shared achievement.

The members of the Class of 2026 have worked long and hard to accomplish this shining milestone in their young lives. They ask only that you allow them to approach this threshold proudly, in quiet reflection.

Please demonstrate your respect for them by granting this request.



Sign Language Interpreters

The Division of Academic Affairs is pleased to provide sign language interpreters for those in attendance who may be hearing impaired.

Inspirational Educator Grant

The 2026 Inspirational Educator Grant Award is made possible by the Educate Chatham Foundation, Inc., a non-profit organization dedicated to the support of Savannah-Chatham Public Schools.

Commencement Exercises

Processional.....Savannah Brass Quartet
Presentation of Colors.....Groves High School JROTC
National Anthem.....Savannah Brass Quartet
Pledge of Allegiance*.....Abigayl Peralta, SCELA
Welcome.....Ah'Breya Renae Phillips, SECHS
Introduction of
Valedictorian and Salutatorian.....Abigayl Peralta, SCELA
Salutatorian's Address.....Xavier Rockne DesLauriers
Valedictorian's Address.....Autumn Edana Grizzard
Presentation of Candidates.....Mrs. Arlethia Brown-Hall, *Principal*
Awarding of Diplomas.....S. Denise Watts, Ed.D.,
Superintendent, Savannah-Chatham County Public Schools
Recognition of Graduates.....Mrs. Arlethia Brown-Hall, *Principal*
Alma Mater*
Recessional*.....Savannah Brass Quartet

*Audience please stand



Graduation Regalia

Honor Graduate – *Gold Cord*
Information Technology – *Navy Cord*
Dual Enrollment CTAE – *Royal Blue Cord*
Business Management & Administration – *Drab Cord*
Future Business Leaders of America – *Blue/Gold Cord*
Student Leadership Program – *Red/Purple/Teal/Green Cord*

SAVANNAH-CHATHAM E-LEARNING ACADEMY

Candidates for Graduation

2025-2026

Valedictorian

Autumn Edana Grizzard

Salutatorian

Xavier Rockne DesLauriers

Honor Graduates

Devin Lucas Ardis-Aguilar
Cynthia Victoria Carey
Lillianna Madilyn Grier
Ayanna Na'Jai Johnson
Desiree Shametria Johnson
Samantha Ella Kennard
Abigayl Peralta

Kiara Chante Adams
Hope Elizabeth Argo
Karen Olivia Baer
Darius Odell Bacon
Jakell Montae' Baker
Susanna Clare Beasley
Ellis Billberry-McKenzie
Jivar Javonne Brown
Shana Ariel Bryant
Xzavian Shawntrell Cobbs
Jaidyn Dezaree' Cross
Jaylin Anthony Devore
Morgan Jo'Ann Dortch
Laela Jaslene Farmer
Tiana Alexandria Fletcher
Gavin Gene Hagy

Simone Zaharia Hall
Cassandra Sue Harden
Javis Dantrelle Harris
Jillian Claire Helms
Jaylen Remon Hills
Tiaira Makailyn Holmes
A'Niyah Nevaeh Howard
De'Laya Amaria Howard
Asia Monique Hurst
Aldo De Jesus Jaime
Rosa Isel Jaramillo
Johnel James Johnson
Burk Lorenzo Jones
Warren Xavier Jones
Ta'lasia Jalai King
Emmalee Marie Lee
Estella Marie Leppert
Richard Lopez Del la Cruz
Joshua Ashton Millidge
Ja'Layia SaRiyah Parrish
Adam Phillips
Ashelia Shay-Elyse Phillips
Ja'Shanti Porshaya Pringle
Julian Eric Riley
Eugene Rountree
Bryan Alexander Sesena-Herrera
Saivon Syncere Smith
Maurianna Stephens
Kristina Areum Stevenson
Destiny Jollette Torres
Curtis Fernando Virgil
Kayleigh Marie Wagoner
Aubriana Ruby West
Aniyah Lajae Williams
Omaria Zamyia Rashonda Williams
Parker Lee Wright
Amari David Young