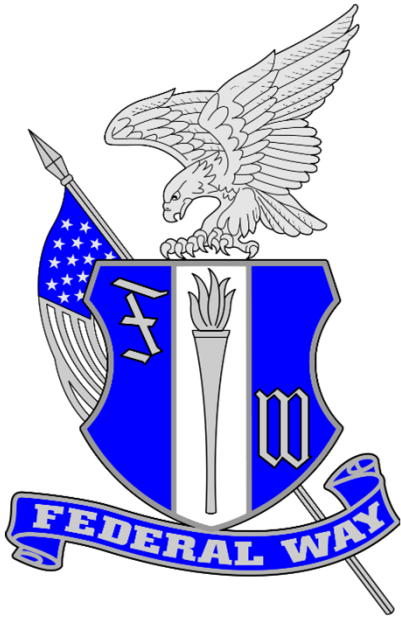


Senior & Parent Meeting

May 19, 2026 at 6pm



Federal Way High School Class of 2026

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Agenda



Welcome

Goal: Fun, safe, and no surprises

- Graduation requirements
- Senior Awards Night
- Senior Checkout
- Graduation Tickets
- Graduation Rehearsal
- Graduation Ceremony: Families
- Graduation Ceremony: Graduates
- Diploma, transcripts, and immunization records pick-up
- Questions

Senior June Timeline Summary



Senior Awards Night
May 27, 6pm at FWHS

Senior Checkout Sheet
Distributed June 2 in
Advisory / Mailed home
to fulltime Running Start
& PSSC students

- Senior Checkout Sheet**
- Submitted no later than June 8 to Bookkeeping
 - Graduation tickets received

**All graduation requirements
must be met by your student no
later than June 8**

Graduation Rehearsal
for graduates on June 11,
10am at FWHS

Senior BBQ lunch after
Graduation Rehearsal on
June 11 at FWHS

Graduation Ceremony
June 14 at 7pm at
ShoWare Center

**Diploma, Transcript,
Immunizations Records
Pick-up**

- Starting July 8, 9am-1pm at FWHS
- After July 8, every Wednesday in July from 9am- 1pm at FWHS

Graduation Requirements



How do I know my student is meeting the graduation requirements?

Some requirements are:

- ✓ Will your student meet the course credit requirements with a minimum of 26 credits?
- ✓ Did your student complete the *High School & Beyond Plan* on SchoolLinks?
- ✓ Has your student met the *Graduation Pathway* requirements?

All graduation requirements must be met by your student no later than June 8 to participate in the commencement ceremony at ShoWare Center

Please contact your student's counselor immediately if you have any questions about graduation status

Graduation Requirements for Class of 2019+

CREDITS FOR FEDERAL WAY PUBLIC SCHOOLS		
English	4	
Mathematics	3	Algebra 1, Geometry, Algebra 2 or other 3rd credit of math* (4 years of math is highly recommended to increase post-secondary readiness)
Science	3	Including at least 2 lab sciences, 3rd Science credit* (4 years of science is highly recommended to increase post-secondary readiness)
Social Studies	4	1.0 U.S. History, 2.0 World History, 1.0 Civics / Cont. World History
Health and Physical Education	2	0.5 Health and 1.5 Fitness. Scholars must earn credit for physical education unless excused by RCW 28A.230.050
Career & Technical Education (CTE)	1	
Arts	2**	1 credit may be a Personalized Pathway Requirement**
World Language or Personalized Pathway courses**	2**	Both credits may be a Personalized Pathway Requirement**
Electives	5	
Total Required Credits	26	
Additional Requirements		- High School & Beyond Plan Including: - Completion of required tasks on High School and Beyond Plan Grade Level Checklists - Community Service (24 hours)*** - Career Plan Essay - Completion of Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA/WASFA) - Other School Specific Tasks: - MYP Project at Thomas Jefferson Certificate of Academic Achievement or Individual Achievement awarded to scholars who pass the required assessments**** - Washington State History and Government
Assessments (See chart on page 13 for more details)		- Smarter Balanced English Language Arts (ELA) Test or state approved alternative - Smarter Balanced Math Test or state approved alternative - Washington Comprehensive Assessment of Science or state approved alternative
Graduation Pathway Options (See chart on page 13 for more details)		Complete sequence of CTE courses which includes the potential to earn college credit or earn an industry recognized credential - ASVAB Score - SAT or ACT scores on ELA and/or Math sections - Earn College Credit in ELA and/or Math Transition Course in ELA and/or Math - AP/IB/Cambridge Courses or Exams in ELA and/or Math - Combination of ELA and Math option from any listed above

Senior Awards Night



**May 27 at 6pm
Main Commons, FWHS**

Seniors and their families will receive an invitation

Presentations for:

- Scholarships
- Community and school awards
- Department awards
- Scholar Athlete awards
- Athlete of the Year awards
- Associates Degrees recognition
- Valedictorians recognition
- Receive honor cords
- And more

Senior Checkout



FWHS Senior Checkout Sheet

- Seniors receive on June 2 during Advisory or mailed home to fulltime Running Start & PSSC students.
- Must be completed and turned in no later than June 8 to Bookkeeper.

Seniors receive their commencement ceremony tickets for graduation when their senior checkout sheet is turned in. Each graduate will receive **10** tickets.

Graduation Tickets



What if I need more tickets?

- Once your graduate has turned in their completed Senior Checkout Sheet, they can place his / her name on a waiting list for more tickets. The list will be first come, first served. The number of additional tickets is not guaranteed.
- If you need more tickets, your senior can check with Student Accounts after rehearsal on Thursday, June 11 to find if there are remaining tickets or ask a friend if they have any they won't be using.

Graduation Rehearsal



- **Required** Graduation Rehearsal for graduates at FWHS on June 11 at 10am
- Free senior BBQ lunch after Graduation Rehearsal at FWHS

Graduation Ceremony: Families

- Graduation: **ShoWare Center, Sunday, June 14 at 7pm** and end no later than about 8:30pm
 - Parking available near ShoWare Center
 - Tickets required for family admission
 - Children 3 or younger who are able to sit on a lap do not need a ticket
 - Clear bags only. Backpacks, purses, etc., larger than 4.5" x 6.5" are not allowed
 - **ShoWare Center searches all audience members and graduates**
 - For more information on ShoWare Center, go to: www.accessshowarecenter.com
 - For updates on graduation, go to: www.fwps.org/graduation2026

ShoWare Center

625 W James St.
Kent, WA 98032

Graduation Ceremony: Graduates

Graduation: **ShoWare Center, Sunday, June 14 at 7pm**

Graduates are to arrive at ShoWare Center no later than 6pm

- Graduation caps and gowns must be put on when in ShoWare Center
- You must wear clothes underneath your gown
- **Seniors are searched**

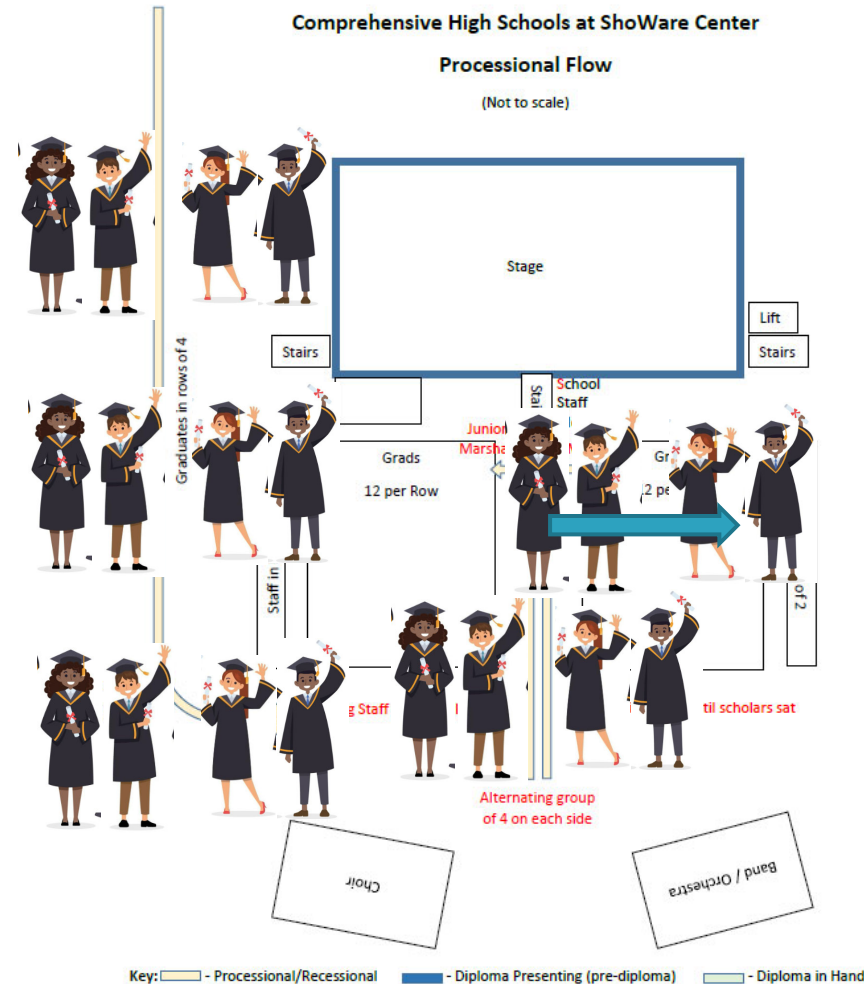
Graduates may decorate the top of their graduation cap:

- All decorations must be school appropriate and rated “G” for General Audiences
- You cannot write, paint, draw, etc. anything on your graduation gown or stole
- If you have questions, please ask the Principal for more information



The ceremony is a serious, yet fun event for all

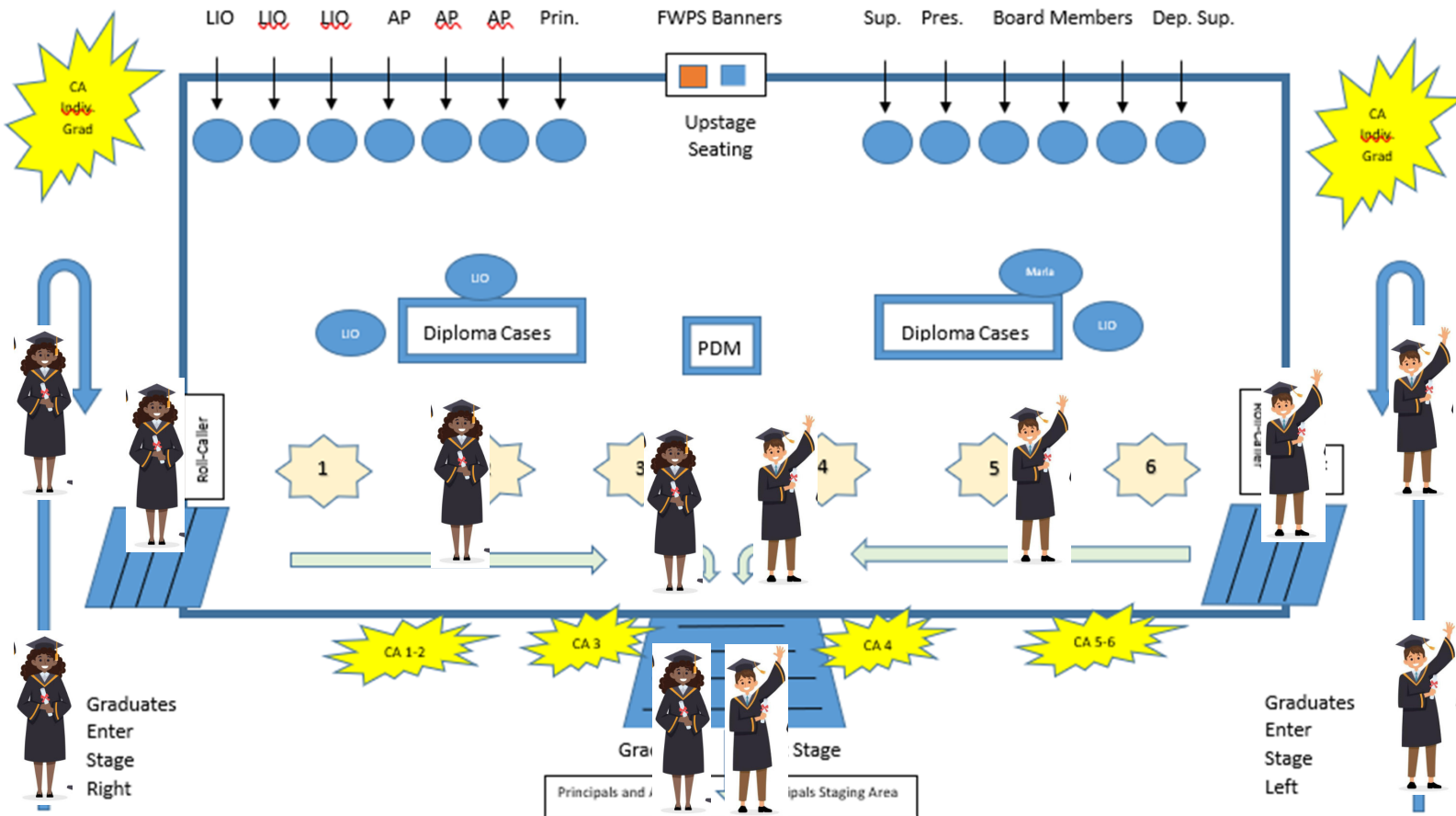
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Graduation Ceremony: Graduates



ShoWare Seating and Staging Positions





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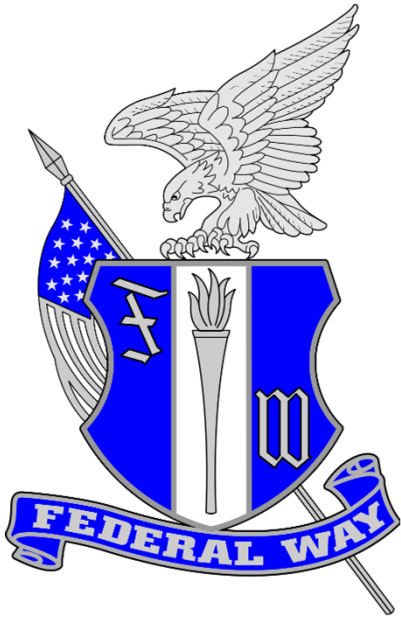
Records pick-up



Diploma, final transcript, and immunization records
pick-up at FWHS on Wednesdays:

- **July 8, 9am- 1pm**
- **July 15, 9am- 1pm**
- **July 22, 9am- 1pm**
- **July 29, 9am- 1pm**

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