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Class of 2026

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“People might not get all they work for in this world, but they must certainly work for all they get.”

- Frederick Douglass

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Dear Class of 2026,

Today marks more than a milestone. It is a defining moment in your story. On behalf of the faculty and staff of RMA Public Schools, I am honored to celebrate you and extend my deepest congratulations.

Each of you arrived with a different journey, a different set of challenges, and a different vision for your future. Yet you stand here together, having made a powerful decision to keep going. You chose growth. You chose resilience. You chose to finish what you started. That is the mark of an RMA graduate.

As you step into what comes next, carry that same determination with you. Whether your path leads to college, a career, or a new direction still unfolding, trust your ability to adapt, to rise, and to lead your own life with purpose. You have already proven that you can overcome obstacles and create opportunities where others may not have seen them.

Take time to honor the moments that brought you here. The relationships you built, the lessons you learned, and the strength you discovered within yourself are not behind you. They are part of you. They will continue to guide your decisions and shape your future.

Hold tightly to the values that carried you to this day. Stay grounded in integrity, lead with perseverance, and pursue excellence in all that you do. You represent something powerful, and you carry that forward with every step you take.

Remember that your connection to RMA does not end today. You are part of a community that believes in you, supports you, and will always celebrate your success. We will be watching, proud of who you are and even more proud of who you are becoming.

Walk forward with confidence. Be bold in your choices. Stay committed to your vision. The future is not something you wait for. It is something you build.

With pride and unwavering belief in you,

Armard Anderson

Dr. Armard Anderson
RMA Superintendent of Schools

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL:

Dear Graduates,

Today is proof that setbacks do not define your future. Many of you balanced work, family responsibilities, and personal challenges, yet you continued pushing forward—and today, you graduate.

This diploma is not the finish line; it is a foundation for greater opportunities ahead. Whether your next step is work, college, military service, or a trade, never believe it is too late to continue growing and improving your life.

Take the breaks you need in life—but do not stop.

On behalf of the entire RMA Pasadena staff, congratulations, Class of 2026. We are proud of you and excited for what comes next.

With pride and respect,

Dr. McMillan

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COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

PROCESSIONAL……." Pomp and Circumstance"

PLEDGES……Mr. Carlos De La Cruz

WELCOME……Ms. Geneva (Crump) Mitchell

GREETINGS FROM RMA SCHOOL DISTRICT ……Dr. Armard Anderson

INTRODUCTION OF THE SALUTATORIAN & VALEDICTORIAN……,,,……Ms. Lissa Williams

SALUTATORIAN ADDRESS……Ms. Yorlaine Avila

VALEDICTORIAN ADDRESS……Mr. Jorge Carlon

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST SPEAKER……Ms. Mariela Rea Guadarrama

GUEST SPEAKER……Commissioner Adrian Garcia

AWARDS……Ms. Mariela Rea Guadarrama

RECOMMENDATION OF GRADUATES FOR DIPLOMAS……Dr. Patrick McMillan & Alexa Ibarra

CONFERRING OF DIPLOMAS…… Dr. Uneeda Givens

CLOSING REMARKS & TURNING OF THE TASSELS……Dr. Patrick McMillan

RECESSIONAL……"Pomp and Circumstance"

(Guest to remain seated until the platform and graduates have exited).

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GRADUATES

Lyric Dena Lee Amo

Yorlaine Carolina Avila

Diego Ashton Branch

Jorge Alejandro Carlon

Jose Daniel Chavez

Carlos Oziel De La Cruz

Eileen Flores

Paul Galvan

Benjamin Jonathan Gomez

Alexa Nayeli Huerta

Dajsha Danyell Jackson

Esmeralda Maria Lizama

Yasmin Areli Lopez

Genesis Resendiz

Sebastian Suarez

Rosalio Alfonso Torres

Josef Anthony Trott

Rogelio Villalobos Monsivais

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HONOR STUDENTS

Valedictorian: Jorge Carlon

Salutatorian: Yorlaine Avila

RMA PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2025-2026

SASH and CORD RECOGNITION

Distinguished Scholar….Silver Cord

TX College Bridge Math Graduate….Blue Cord

TX College Bridge English Graduate….Green Cord

Service….Red Cord

San Jacinto College….Blue and White Cord

Career Certification….Purple and White Cord

RMA PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2025-2026

FACULTY AND STAFF

Superintendent of Schools……..……..Dr. Armard Anderson

Executive Director of Academics…….....…Dr. Uneeda Givens

District Instructional Coordinator…….....…. Dr. Ulelia Childs

Principal……..…….....Dr. Patrick McMillan

Counselor…….....…Lissa Williams

Registrar…….....…Alexa Ibarra

Student Community Liaison……...D'Anthony Tabb

Special Education Teacher……..……...….....Chenevia Vinson

English Language Arts…….…….....…Arielle Amao

Mathematics…….....…….....…..……..Arsha Platt

Social Studies…….……....…….....Sherry LeBlanc

Science…….……..……...….....Jason Richardson

Edgenuity.....Jacques Lafreniere

CTE Distance Teacher……..……...…Emmanuel Segovia

CTE Associate Teacher……..….....….Geneva (Crump) Mitchell

SCE/CTE Associate Teacher…….....……..Kelli Scott

Substitute Teacher.....Gabriela Avila

Porter ……..……...…….……Arias Xiomara

Security……..……Artencia Sullivan

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CHARGING
Forward!

MISSION

Empowering students to graduate, prepared to exceed all expectations.

VISION

Every student will be empowered to make choices for lifelong success.

GRADUATING CLASS OF 2026

RMA PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2025-2026

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

We would like to thank all our faculty, staff, volunteers, students, and parents for making this year one to remember.

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today. Your journey may include pauses, work, sacrifice, and setbacks, but opportunity does not disappear. It is never too late to keep building a better future for yourself and your family."

-Malcolm X

RMA TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO NEEDS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA?

RMA Public Schools helps students take the next step toward graduation through flexible, personalized support designed to meet students where they are and help them finish strong.

INVITE A FRIEND OR FAMILY MEMBER!

If you know someone who has not yet earned a high school diploma, encourage them to scan the QR code to learn more about enrollment opportunities at RMA Public Schools.

ENROLLMENT FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR IS OPEN!

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CONGRATULATIONS

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