

CLASS OF 2026 Commencement

JUNE 2, 2026

WELCOME

Brandon Hoang,
Upper School Dean of Students, 12th Grade

STUDENT PROCESSIONAL

“Peter Gunn Theme” by Henry Mancini
SAAS Faculty & Student Band

INTRODUCTION

Gabby Donaldson & Fiona Berhane

SENIOR BAND

“Passing By”
Paper Cut

Accompanied by Student Life Slideshow

REMARKS FROM CO-HEADS

Rob Phillips, Co-Head of School
Giselle Furlonge, Co-Head of School

SOLO VOCAL PERFORMANCE

“I Believe”
Sinai Pollard

STUDENT SPEECH

Ramsey Mesiwala

SENIOR REFLECTION VIDEO

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE

“Enchilada”

Senior Jazz Combo

Accompanied by Visual Arts Slideshow

BOARD CHAIR REMARKS

Martinique Grigg

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS (A-F)

James Lemmon, Head of Upper School
Shavette McGhee, Assistant Head of School
for Student Experience

ACTING PERFORMANCE

“The Wave”

Advanced Acting Seniors

SENIOR REFLECTION VIDEO

STUDENT SPEECH

Satchel Gorden & Max Watkins

MUSIC PERFORMANCE

“Graduation Song”

Advanced Music Production Seniors

Accompanied by Athletics Slideshow

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS (G-M)

James Lemmon, Head of Upper School
Shavette McGhee, Assistant Head of School
for Student Experience

STUDENT SPEECH

Maxine Liao

STUDENT FILMS

Advanced Film Seniors

VOCAL PERFORMANCE

“Rainbow Connection,” arranged by Trip Carter
Jazz Choir 1 Seniors (The Onions)

Accompanied by Academics Slideshow

SENIOR REFLECTION VIDEO

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS (N-Z)

James Lemmon, Head of Upper School
Shavette McGhee, Assistant Head of School
for Student Experience

STUDENT SPEECH

Sophie Lieberman

DANCE PERFORMANCE

“You’re Gonna Go Far”

Advanced Dance Seniors

SENIOR REFLECTION VIDEO

INVITATION TO THE STAGE

Asha Weier

PRESENTING THE CLASS OF 2026!

Rob Phillips & Giselle Furlonge, Co-Heads of School

Commencement Performers + Musicians

SAAS FACULTY & STUDENT BAND

George Burpee
Mickael Drouet
Lisa Feiertag
Stuart MacDonald
Fred Strong
Mark Taylor
- with students -
Leo Santos ('26)
Brayden Forcum ('26)
Anthony Amoratis ('27)

PAPER CUT

Zach Fringer
Sebas Huang
Jack Matson
Aitan Plank

SENIOR JAZZ COMBO

Zach Fringer
Sebas Huang
Jack Matson
Trammell Whitfield

ADVANCED ACTING

Grayson Beresniewicz
Annika Chesnutt
Julia Coopersmith
Isabella Faggioli
Anthony Garcia

ADVANCED MUSIC PRODUCTION

Aiki Kapila
Saniyah McKinney
Ian Price
Harry Slade
Sky White

ADVANCED FILM

Chloe Clemons
Cora Grossman-Glover
Tyler Shaffer

JAZZ CHOIR I (THE ONIONS)

James Alexander
Cate Arntz
Evie Barnes
Ainsley Bethurum
Leif Coomer
Adi Diaz
Max Goldberg
India Grady
Emily Hu
Emme Maggs
Ramsey Mesiwala
Eamon Rooney
Maddie Rosales
Lila Vesce
Emalee Wright

ADVANCED DANCE

Sofia Agullo
Gabriela Bunin
Jaylah Cage
Georgia Goldstein
Gia Gupta
Solaris Hsiao-Griffin
Enzo Kennedy
Marina Seigel
Lia Shrinivas
Jayden Wyrick

SEATTLE ACADEMY
CLASS OF
2026
Seniors