Prom 2027: The Stuff You Need To Know!

Prom will be held on **Saturday, May 8, 2027 at The Americus Hotel in Allentown.** Prom Packets will be distributed sometime in January with all of the information that you need to know, including price and payment dates. Prom payments and registration will take place for one week in March.

BEHAVIOR : Any student who accumulates 11 or more days of ISS and/or OSS for the 2026-27 school year will NOT be eligible to attend Prom. Students who have 1-10 days of ISS/OSS will be placed under administrative review, meaning that school administrators will decide if you are eligible to attend Prom. **If you are suspended for a drug, fighting or weapons violation of any kind, you will NOT be able to attend Prom.**

DRESS CODE: Please be aware that there is a strict dress code for Prom attire. Please use common sense when choosing a Prom dress, especially when considering length, body type and fit. Any questions should be directed to Ms. Paul or Mrs. Fladger BEFORE a dress is purchased. More specific information will be given during Prom Certification Classes.

ATTENDANCE : Students who are defined as habitually truant or chronically absent by the Pennsylvania State Department of Education will not be able to attend Prom.

- Habitually truant = 6 or more unexcused absences
- Chronically absent = 18 or more absences total (excused and unexcused)

In addition, students who accumulate 18 or more tardies to school (excused and unexcused) will not be able to attend Prom. Please make sure all attendance notes are turned in within three days of your absence throughout the school year.

ACADEMICS: Students who are not fulfilling academic responsibilities and/or are not on track for graduation will be placed under administrative review and may not be able to attend Prom.

FOOD/BEVERAGE: All food and beverages at the Pre-Prom Reception and Prom will be provided by the WHS Student Council. Students and guests are NOT permitted to bring food and beverages to the Pre-Prom Reception or Prom.

PROM CERTIFICATION CLASSES: *ALL Seniors MUST attend one Prom Certification Class, taught by Ms. Paul and Mr. McGovern, in order to attend Prom. Classes will be held in February. You will attend Prom Certification Class with your English class. Topics will include guest rules, dress code, appropriate dancing and much more!*

PROM GUESTS: WHS Seniors in good standing are eligible to bring ONE guest to Prom. Guests must fit in to one of the following categories:

A. Current WHS Senior **in good standing**
B. Current WHS Junior **in good standing**
C. Current WHS Sophomore **in good standing**
D. Current WHS Freshman **in good standing**
E. **PMSD** Graduate, **under the age of 21** (Graduation year must be provided.)
F. Current **HIGH SCHOOL** student, **under the age of 21**

All guests who are not PM West HS Seniors must have an administrator at their school fill out and sign a checklist of expectations that must be turned in at the time of registration. This includes students at PM West HS and PMSD Graduates. The guest checklist will be included in the Prom packet.

If you have any questions, please SEE
Ms. Paul or Mr. McGovern, Student Council Advisors.