Excelsior Charter Schools

Graduation Packet

Congratulations Class of 2027!

May 25, 2027

at 6:30pm

Ontario Convention Center

2000 East Convention Center Way

Ontario, CA 91764

Please read the following information in its entirety and inform your guests of times, location, and parking directions.

Graduate check in- 5:00pm
Doors open for friends and family- 5:30pm
Ceremony begins promptly at 6:30pm

Cap and gown sets can be purchased through Tassel Depot at www.tasseldepot.com/ecs.html

Place your orders ASAP, don't wait!

All orders must be placed through the website.
Cap and Gowns will be shipped directly to the address provided in the online order.





All students shall wear traditional academic regalia (cap, gown, tassel, etc.). Graduates may decorate the top of their caps for the ceremony. Honor cords, Honor sashes and other recognized cord categories (see below) are purchased and provided by Excelsior.

*In California, Education Code Section 351831. It allows students to wear traditional tribal regalia or other culturally significant items during graduation ceremonies. If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact Student Services or your school site Administrator.

ASB - Silver
A-G Completion - Lime Green
Athletics - Black/Blue
Band - Blue/White
Broadcasting - Sage Green
Choir - Red/White
Cosmetology - Wedgewood
Dance - Pink/White
Dual Enrollment - Green
English Language Learner Proficiency - Blue
Fashion - Cardinal
Guitar- Purple
Intramural Sports - Crimson



Longevity - White
Robotics - Teal
Yearbook - Black/Silver
Gold Cord - Honor Students
Gold sash- Distinguished Honor Students

Distribution of all cords and sashes will be during Senior events at each site prior to graduation. Be sure to check with your school site for more information.



Important Information for Graduates:

~ Graduates, check your AERIES for the correct spelling of your legal name. This is how it will be printed on your diploma.

~ Graduates, you will NOT receive your diploma at the ceremony. Your diploma cover will have an insert that explains how your diploma will be mailed to you following graduation. (This may take up to 8 weeks.)

~ Graduates, please do not bring purses, coats or bags to the ceremony. There will be no place to store your items. Cell phones are allowed but must be silenced.

~ Graduates, be sure to check with your school site for all Senior event dates, including Senior awards and Prom.

~ If you are graduating early, it is especially important to be in contact with your school site and regularly check the website for all Senior related information.



Ticket Sales

Each graduating student will receive 4 complimentary tickets for the graduation ceremony. There will be two ticketing windows, with dates and additional details to be announced at a later time.

Ticketing Window 1 – Additional Ticket Purchases
During the first ticketing window, each student will have the opportunity to purchase up to 6 additional tickets at a cost of $10 per ticket, plus Eventbrite service fees. All purchases must be completed before the first ticketing window closes.

Ticketing Window 2 – Remaining Ticket Availability
Any tickets not claimed during the first ticketing window will be made available for purchase to all graduating students on a first-come, first-served basis, while supplies last. Tickets will be $10 each, plus Eventbrite service fees. Availability is not guaranteed.
Please Note: Ticketing dates, purchasing instructions, and additional information will be communicated via parent square and on our website as graduation approaches.

Parking is not included with ticket purchase.

*Please note: Ontario Conventon Center is a completely cashless venue. Debit and Credit cards will be accepted.

Important Information for Family and Guests

~Noisemakers, horns, beachballs, balloons, confetti and signs/posters of any kind are strictly prohibited at the ceremony. You will not be allowed to enter the venue with any of the above mentioned items or any items that may obstruct the view of guests.

~Weapons of any kind, including service weapons, are strictly prohibited.

~ This event center is a non-smoking/vaping venue.

~ As a courtesy to our graduating class, please silence all electronic devices during the ceremony.

~ Ontario Convention Center is open, individual seating.
Handicap/wheelchair seating is available for those in need of assistance.
*There is no assigned seating at the convention center.

~ Excelsior graduation is a public event. As such, participating in or attending the ceremony gives permission to Excelsior to take and/or use your photograph for publicity, marketing, or news purposes.



Directions and Parking Information

~Parking & Arrival Directions

- From I-10 Westbound: Exit at Holt Blvd., continue straight onto Holt Blvd., then turn right into the parking lot.
- From I-10 Eastbound: Exit at Vineyard Ave. and turn right. Continue past the DoubleTree, turn left at Spires onto Holt Blvd., then turn left into the parking lot.

~Parking is $20 per vehicle.

~Complimentary parking is provided for each graduate (limited to one vehicle per graduate).

~No cash accepted for parking at the venue.

~Handicap parking is available with a valid vehicle placard.

Be sure to check our website frequently for information and updates regarding graduation at:
www.excelsior.com/graduation