

Graduation 2017

Seniors and Parents,

Here are some important dates to remember:

- Nov. 09, 2016 Cap and Gown Meeting-8:50 am for all seniors
- Nov. 16, 2016 Cap and Gown Ordering-12:00-3:35 in front of gym
- April 2017 Announcements and Accessories/Cap and Gowns will be delivered.

(JOE COOK, JOSTEN'S REP. OFFICE-325-232-7383) MAKE SURE EVERYTHING IS PAID IN FULL (HE WILL BE BACK IN MAY TO DELIVER LATE ORDERS ON CAP AND GOWN

- April 8, 2017 Prom-(T & P Building) Abilene 7:00pm-11:00pm (\$20.00 Class
Dues must be paid to Ms. Guthrie to go to the Prom)
- **May 19, 2017 Baccalaureate Practice-8:50 AM...ALL SENIORS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND PRACTICE.**
- **May 21, 2017 Baccalaureate Sunday 2:00 PM (Be in Gym at 1:30 PM)**
- **May 22, 2017 Senior Finals 4th-8th SENIORS MUST STAY 6TH-8TH PERIODS ALL SENIORS MUST STAY FOR THEIR ENTIRE SCHEDULE**
- **MAY 23, 2017 1st -3rd FINALS**
- May 24, 2017 Qualifying Seniors do not have to come to school (Check with Mr. Hodges)
- May 24, 2017 Senior Trip
- **May 25, 2017 Mandatory Graduation Practice 11:00 AM ALL SENIORS REQUIRED TO ATTEND**
- **May 26, 2017 Graduation Ceremony 7:00 PM-All doors will be locked until 6:00 PM.**
- THE TIMELINE IS ON THE MERKEL WEBSITE @ WWW.MERKEL.ESC14.NET

PLEASE CHECK AND MAKE SURE CAFETERIA CHARGES AND LIBRARY CHARGES ARE PAID. THE CAFETERIA AND LIBRARY HAVE A LIST OF CHARGES FROM YOUR CHILD'S FRESHMAN YEAR TO SENIOR YEAR. IF STUDENT HAS ANY CAFETERIA OR LIBRARY CHARGES, PLEASE CLEAR THOSE OUT BEFORE GRADUATION NIGHT.

Dress

Gentlemen should wear button up shirts and dress slacks, Ladies should wear dress or shirt/skirt/dress pants.

MARKINGS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON CAP AND GOWN.

(STUDENTS WILL BE REMOVED FROM GRADUATION CEREMONY)

Please make sure to follow guidelines, failure to do so could result in students not being able to participate in the Graduation Ceremony.

Casey Hodges, Principal