

Senior Parent Night

May 1, 2024

6:00 pm

Sheldon High School

GRADUATING CLASS

2024

Go Huskies!



Eligibility to Participate in the Graduation Ceremony

- EGUSD requires that ALL seniors complete 220 credits, course requirements and competency tests.
- Seniors must enroll and pass, with a grade of “D” or better, an academic math course (10 credits of math) during their senior year.
- Seniors must pass at least 35 of their 40 credits in terms 3 and 4.

Eligibility to Participate in the Graduation Ceremony

- Seniors with **more than one** home suspendable offense during the period of January 3, 2024 thru May 22, 2024 may not be permitted to participate in the graduation ceremony.
- Any senior who commits **any suspendable offense on, or after Friday, April 26th, 2024** will be suspended from school and may not be permitted to participate in the graduation ceremony
- Students must maintain a 90% attendance rate during Quarters 3 and 4 (which began January 3, 2024)

Senior Finals & Grades

- Senior finals are scheduled for **Thursday, May 16 and Friday, May 17**
- Each teacher will determine which day(s) that week to administer their final.
- Teachers will turn in final grades by **Friday 5/17**
- Counselors will complete an analysis of senior transcripts to determine final eligibility to graduate.

Student Fines or Fees

- Any outstanding student fees (*i.e., athletic uniforms, library books/textbooks, etc.*) **must** be paid/cleared before the senior may participate in the commencement rehearsal on Monday, May 20th
- Seniors must clear all fees/fines in order to participate in the commencement ceremony!

Tickets

- **Each Graduate will receive 6 free tickets.**
- Additional Tickets will be on sale for \$10 tonight at the student store and then during lunch at the Student Store starting Thursday, May 2nd. Cash only.

Graduation Rehearsal Schedule

- Rehearsal participation is mandatory
- Graduates **MUST** attend both rehearsals in order to participate in the graduation ceremony
- Monday, May 20th Rehearsal 1
 - **Check in @ 9:30 am** at PAC
 - Rehearsal Starts Promptly at 10:00am
 - No late arrivals!
 - Graduation Information/Expectations
 - Seat Selection
 - Dismissal approximately 11:30 am
- Tuesday, May 21st Rehearsal 2
 - **Check in @ 8:00 am** at Main Gym
 - Rehearsal Starts Promptly at 8:30am
 - No late arrivals!
 - Dress Rehearsal - BRING CAP & GOWN (leave tassel at home)
 - Parade of Gowns
 - Dismissal approximately 12:00pm

Rehearsal Expectations

- Do not be late as rehearsals will begin promptly at the times stated above.
- Graduates who are not seated at the beginning of rehearsal may not participate in the graduation ceremony.
- **Attendance at graduation rehearsal(s) is MANDATORY in order to participate in the graduation ceremony on Wednesday, May 22, 2024.**

Rehearsal Expectations Cont.

- Dress casually but appropriately for school
- All school rules still apply
- Do not bring valuables to the rehearsal as you will not be allowed to carry anything with you as you practice
- **Students who do not behave appropriately will be asked to leave and will lose the opportunity to participate in the graduation ceremony**

Commencement

- **At Golden 1 Center**
- **Wednesday, May 22, 2024**
- **Ceremony will begin promptly at 11:00am**
 - Graduates arrive **NO LATER** than 10:00 am
 - no late arrivals!
 - Doors open at 10:00am

Formal Dress for Commencement

- **Women:** Dress, skirt and blouse or dress slacks and blouse, dress shoes
- **Men:** Dress shirt (tie is recommended), long slacks, dress shoes

Dress Code Restrictions

- No shorts, jeans, flip flops, athletic shoes, sandals or crocs. Shoes must have straps.
- No purses, backpacks, flowers, corsages, boutonnieres, or other non approved adornments or decorations to Cap and Gown

Graduation Adornments

The commencement is a formal ceremony which means that gowns are to be unadorned with the exception of the following.

- Cords for Academies, Community Service, National Honor Society, Team Husky, Student Leadership, FFA, AVID, NHS, Equity council, Seal of Biliteracy
- CSF Sash, Academic Award sash.
- Medallions for senior and athletic awards.
- Pre-approved personal adornment item.

Commencement Conduct

- **Graduates are expected to:**
 - Follow the formal graduation dress code and student conduct expectations
 - Be quiet and respectful during the graduation ceremony presentations and performances
 - Stay in their assigned seat and in the correct order
 - Follow the formal graduation ceremony protocol as it is practiced and reviewed during the rehearsal
 - Keep Cap and Gown in place during entire ceremony

Violation of Expectations

- May result in immediate removal from Golden 1 Center
- May prevent student from crossing the stage
- May result in the withholding of the student's diploma after the ceremony

Audience Expectations

- Everyone entering must have a ticket.
- Children under 2 will be admitted without a ticket provided they sit on an adult's lap. All children 24 months and older will need a ticket.
- With respect to all graduates, audience members are requested to hold all applause until all graduates have been presented (crossed the stage).
- No balloons, flowers, oversized signs, noisemakers
- No party poppers, confetti, alcohol, tobacco products, or any other contraband.
- No food or beverages are allowed.
- Golden 1 Center is a cash-free facility.

Diplomas

- Graduates will be presented with a Sheldon High School diploma cover as they proceed across the stage.
- The actual diplomas will be handed out by counselors on **Thursday, May 23rd**, at the Sheldon High School from 9-11:00 am
- To receive diplomas, students must return their EGUSD Chromebook, and their loaned cap, gown and tassel (if applicable).

Cap & Gown

Jostens.com or see Mrs. Sutliff in the student store.

Sober Grad Night

Roseville Golf and Country Club
Sunsplash
Wednesday, May 22nd
@10pm-4am

Shane Conger

@Shane-Conger



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Purchasing Extra Tickets

- Each senior family will receive 6 free tickets
- You may purchase extra tickets for \$10 each

We will be selling tickets tonight in the student store or you can purchase online.

- Link To Purchase Tickets Online:

https://www.myschoolbucks.com/ver2/prdembd?ref=ZZI5ZTW79904P8D_ZZ62S9TP2L1VLY0

- QR Code to Purchase Tickets



We will excuse each section of the gym by the color paper you received when you entered the gym.



Scan this QR code to view tonight's slides.
The slides will be emailed via Synergy mail as well.