

2018 SENIOR GRADUATION INFORMATION

Graduation from high school is an event which comes only once in a lifetime. Your parents, relatives, friends and, most importantly, you deserve a graduation ceremony that will be dignified and memorable. Your cooperation is essential.

Senior Breakfast and Awards: May 15th from 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Formal business attire is required. You will be permitted to leave for lunch and return to the athletic building by 12:00 p.m. for some senior only events.

Commencement: Saturday, May 26, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. We will meet in the middle school gymnasium at 6:45 p.m. where Mr. Fackler will assist you in lining up properly for the ceremony. If rain is in the forecast we will meet at the high school with ladies meeting in room 213 and gentlemen in room 201.

To Be Eligible for Graduation: A student must have satisfactorily completed all the requirements of the State of Ohio and the Kenton Board of Education; must leave no unsettled debts to the school, and must abide by the guidelines established for appearance at graduation. Students who lack the credits to graduate or who have not passed all of the state tests, may not participate in the ceremony.

Cap and Gown: Caps and gowns have been distributed as they arrived in the office. You will need to hang them up to let the wrinkles fall out. Remember, you have purchased the cap, gown and tassel, so they are yours to keep. If you have not ordered your cap and gown or do not plan to participate in graduation, please contact the high school office immediately. Cords and tassels will be given out at graduation practice. National Honor Society members receive gold cords. Students with a 3.75 GPA or above will receive a gold tassel, and students with a 3.50 to 3.74 GPA receive a black tassel.

Attire: Gentlemen are to wear black or dark slacks and black or dark shoes and socks. No Tennis Shoes. White shirt and tie. Ladies are to wear white or light colored dresses and white shoes. No corsages are permitted. Tassels are on the left until the ceremony concludes. You may not alter your cap or gown.

Graduation Practice: Thursday, May 24th at 1:00 p.m. in the high school gym. All Seniors must attend this rehearsal. Inform employers now of this date and time. We will be done no later than 2:30 p.m.

Fees: Must be paid prior to May 25th at 3:00 p.m. or you will not receive your diploma. Diplomas and transcripts will be withheld, if fees are not paid, in accordance with Ohio Revised Code 3313.642. Cash or money orders only.

Commencement Tickets: In the event that inclement weather dictates that Commencement is held in the high school gym, the seniors will be given only ten (10) tickets when they come to graduation practice. The location of Commencement will be announced on WKTN by 4:00 PM if the weather is threatening. We plan to televise commencement live over Channel 6 if it is in the gymnasium.

Final Senior Plans - A Google Form has been created for your final senior plans and **FINAL TRANSCRIPT REQUESTS**. This data is also needed for the KHS profile.
<https://goo.gl/forms/UEiT2TmTOurmw0Y82>

Kenton High School Final Transcripts

Using the google form, those of you going to college will write the name of the college you want to receive your FINAL TRANSCRIPT. These transcripts will be mailed early June. One copy will be mailed home to all seniors who have all fees paid.

Awards Day Ceremony Tuesday, May 15, 9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M

Open to any parents, relatives, friends... This is a formal ceremony. Formal business attire is required.

*Any seniors that has received a Financial Aid Award letter (scholarships) from their college are asked to include that in the google form. At Awards Day, these students are recognized on stage. The individual amounts are not publicized; just a grand total is announced. PLEASE COMPLETE BY MIDNIGHT SUNDAY, MAY 13TH IF YOU EXPECT YOUR NAME & COLLEGE TO BE ANNOUNCED ON AWARDS DAY

***Those of you that receive scholarships at Awards Day are asked to keep all letters, instructions, etc. you receive that day. Those letters will tell you how you receive your scholarship money **AND where to send thank you notes!!** Mrs. Kohl will also mail a letter to you in June but this letter will not contain instructions for every scholarship you receive.

Senior Picture - 8:30 in the gym. Tim Carrig will print the pictures and return them by the end of the day. If you think you might want a picture, bring **\$5** that day!!!

CCP transcripts

University of Findlay Transcripts

- Must be requested by individual students. Go online to order.
- U of F ID or SSN is needed!

Rhodes State College instructions are on the website (cost is \$5 per transcript).

- Printed forms are available in the Counselors' Office or can be printed from the Rhodes State website.
- Rhodes State ID is needed.
- Transcript requests must be mailed to Rhodes!

Ohio Northern University

- Must be requested by individual students. Go online to order and log into your banner account. There is a # to call if you cannot access your account.

Save your syllabus from your CCP courses....some schools have requested them. If yours has been misplaced, Now is the time to ask your teacher for a new one.