

Class of 2019

Congratulations! It is time of year when you start to think about graduation and what you are going to do afterwards. Your high school graduation ceremony is one to always remember. To make the most of this celebration, we are allowing students to decorate graduation caps.

Decorating graduation caps is a great privilege with some restrictions.

Please take into consideration the following rules when decorating your graduation caps.

Below are the guidelines:

- Caps may **NOT** contain any advertisements, symbols, abbreviations, initials, words, slogans, patches, or pictures that refer to drugs, controlled substances, tobacco, alcohol, weapons, or anything of sexual nature.
- Caps may **NOT** denote an affiliation with gangs or advocate drug use, violence, illegal activity, or disruptive behavior which is detrimental to the safety and welfare of others.
- Caps may **NOT** be obscene, profane, vulgar, or lewd.
- Caps may **NOT** threaten the safety and welfare of any person.
- Only the flat, top area of the cap may be decorated. Nothing may be hanging or mounted from any of the sides of the cap.
- Decorations must be flat on the surface of the cap. 3-D creations/objects are prohibited.
- Graduation caps will be reviewed and approved in advance of the ceremony.

Failure to follow these rules will result in the removal of the cap at the ceremony.

Below are some appropriate examples of designs that could be placed on your cap:

- Thank a parent, grandparent, teacher, or friend
- Recognize the college or university you will attend
- State graduation year
- Acknowledge the branch of military you are joining
- Recognize your shop or technical area

I, _____, understand the graduation cap policy and understand that if I disrupt the policy, then I will no longer be able to wear a decorated cap.

_____ Student Signature
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