

2020 Senior Graduation Celebration

Pre-Graduation – Materials Drop Off and Graduation Items Pick Up

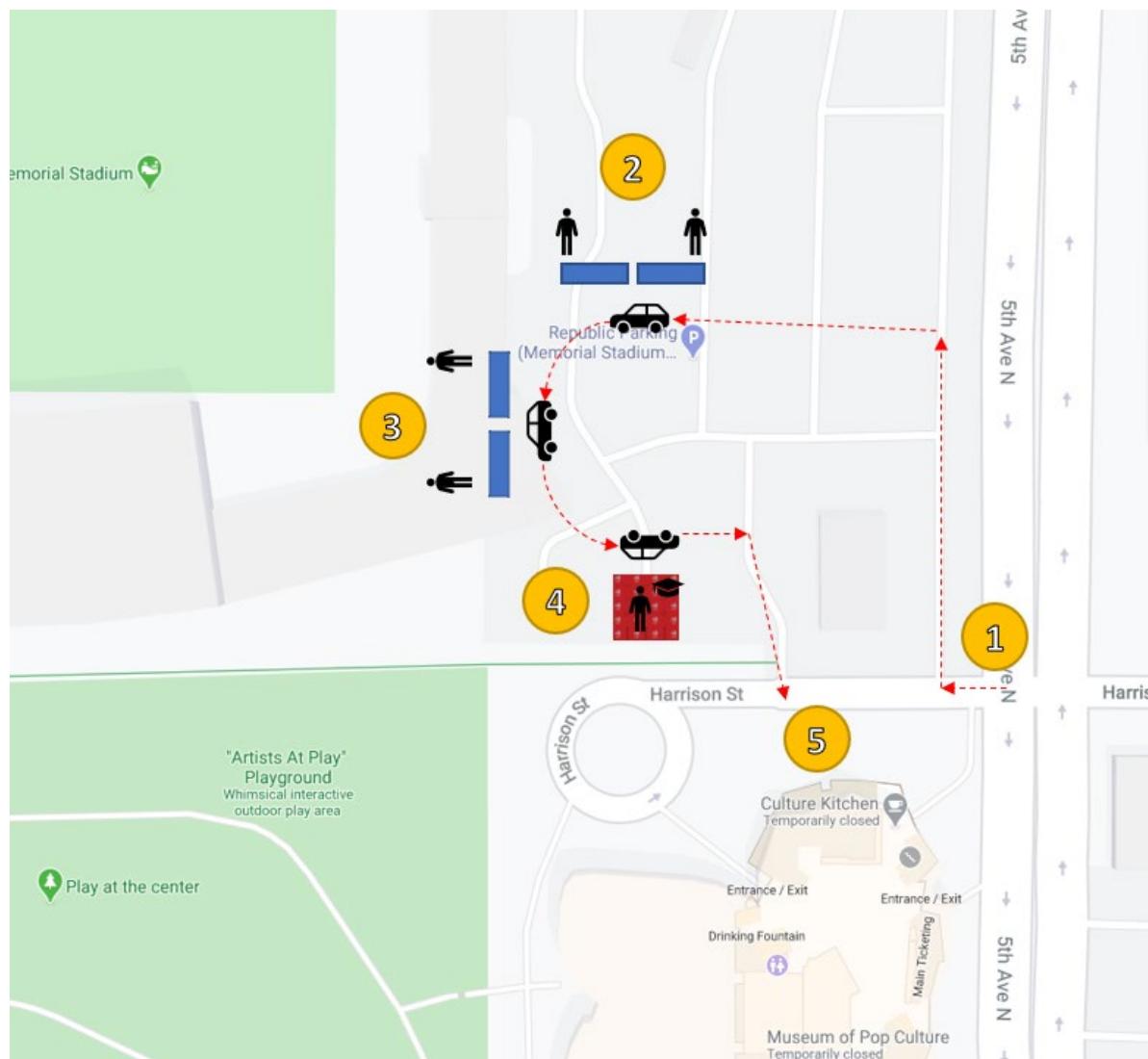
Monday, June 8th, 2020 – 12pm to 3pm

Memorial Stadium Parking Lot

At this event, Seniors will drive through the parking lot, stopping at 3 points – 1) to return any TCS-owned supplies, 2) to pick up Graduation-related items and gifts, and 3) get a photo taken.

Throughout, social distancing (6-foot perimeters) will be adhered to by all staff and volunteers who will wear masks and gloves at all times. Hand Sanitizer will be set up on tables.

Overall Plan



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General Expectations

Students will be scheduled to arrive in 1-hour increments – 15 from 12 to 1pm, 16 from 1 to 2pm, and 15 from 2 to 3pm (total of 46 graduating Seniors).

Students will be required to participate via an automobile. They are welcome and encouraged to have family members come with them.

Available TCS Staff will be in attendance. CSCA/Parent volunteers will also participate, in order to create a more celebratory (yet compliant with public health guidelines) environment. To reiterate, all staff and volunteers will wear masks and gloves at all times.

Flow of Traffic

1	Seniors will arrive in cars (other family members may also be in the vehicle), turning on Harrison St and use the first entrance into the Memorial Stadium Parking Lot.
2	At the first station, Seniors will exit their car and drop off any TCS-owned supplies (laptops, textbooks, camera equipment, art supplies, etc.). These will be decontaminated by TCS staff following SPS guidelines.
3	Seniors will get back in their car and move to the next station. There, they may either ask a volunteer to place in the trunk of their car, or get out of their car to receive: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• A graduation cap• A graduation shirt• A graduation yard sign• A graduation gift from the CSCA (goodie bag) They will continue driving until ...
4	At the final station, Seniors have the option to stop their cars and get out to have a photo taken. A TCS backdrop will be set up and a family member (or socially-distant photographer) will take their picture.
5	Seniors will get back in their car and use the closest exit to get back to Harrison St. (Note – throughout this drive-through, staff and volunteers are welcome to cheer and clap for the 2020 graduates)



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Graduation

Monday, June 15th, 2020

Virtual SPS Graduation – 5:30pm to 6:45pm

Virtual SPS Graduation

Mr. Greenberg is working with SPS to create the program within the provided timeline for the televised virtual graduation.

During our meeting with our SPS contact, we discussed this approach:

- A pre-recorded video (produced by SPS with TCS input) for roughly half of the program.
Current DRAFT program:
 - Welcome & Principal Remarks
 - Student Speeches
 - Student Performances
 - Valedictorian Speech
 - Senior Slide Show
 - Keynote Address (Perhaps Live)
- A switch-over to a live Zoom call with all the Seniors on camera for the final reading of Grad Cards, Acceptance of the Class of 2020, and the “moving of the tassels”
 - Keynote Address (Perhaps Pre-recorded)
 - Reading of Grad Cards
 - Granting of Diplomas/Acceptance of the Class of 2020

Regarding the live Zoom Call

The CSCA has received approval from the District to conduct this Zoom call that would provide Seniors (and their families) the ability to participate in a live, shared experience. This would allow for a communal celebration, especially important because many of this graduating class haven't seen each other since the school shutdown.

In keeping with Jon Halfaker's guidelines, this event will be hosted through the CSCA (TCS PTA) Zoom account as a non-SPS event. TCS staff will be invited to attend. The CSCA will host, sending out emailing invitations and monitoring attendance, admitting participants from the Zoom “waiting room” once they have been verified.