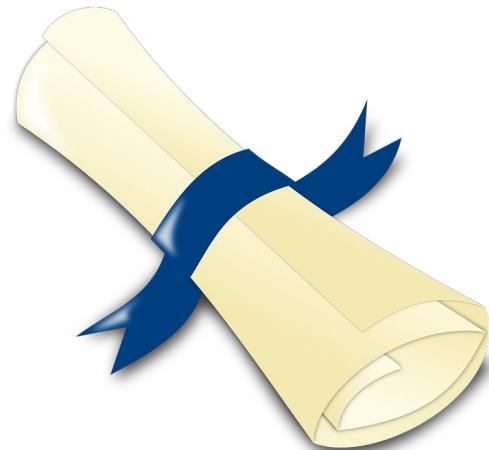




# Commencement Information For the Class of 2021





# FAQS

## Do parents need to purchase the cap/gown?

- NO! CCHS provides both of these, including the tassel. The cap and tassel are keepsakes and do not need to be returned. The gown does need to be returned after graduation (June 1st). Students received all graduation regalia at graduation practice on May 7th. If they were not present, they can pick up the cap/gown bag in the academic admin office in the Kolbe Center.

## Can students decorate their caps?

- No, students are not allowed to decorate their caps. If a cap has been decorated, parents are responsible for replacing the cap for the student to wear to the Baccalaureate Mass and Graduation.



# FAQs

## **What if my student planned on receiving academic regalia and it wasn't included in the cap and gown bag?**

- If there is an issue with academic regalia, a student should reach out to the honor society moderator for information.

## **What if the cap or gown doesn't fit or was damaged?**

- Please send your student to the academic admin office in the Kolbe building. We will do our best to exchange the items. We order extras for these purposes.



# FAQs

## **Will a photographer be taking pictures at the events?**

- Yes, we do have a photographer who documents the events for us. He placed a letter with his information in the cap and gown bag.

## **Will Baccalaureate Mass and Graduation be live streamed like last year?**

- Yes, we will have both events live streamed. The link will be sent out ahead of time for parents, so they can send the link out to family and friends.



# FAQs

**Can a friend drop off the cap/gown and pick-up my child's diploma on June 1st? Can the diploma be mailed to my child if they are unable to pick it up on the Monday after graduation?**

- Diplomas are legal documents. While the friend is more than welcome to drop off the gown, they are not allowed to pick up a diploma other than their own. Diplomas cannot be mailed home. Parent or student must come to the school to receive it.



# Health and Safety Protocols

Please do not attend Baccalaureate Mass and/or Graduation if you or any of your guests are not feeling well. We all have to work together to keep each other safe. Please practice all preventative measures identified by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. ***Masks are still required.***



# Guest Protocol

- We are allowing **4** guests per student for each event.
- All guests **MUST** be on the guest register and provide ID at the time of check in - no exceptions.
- Check-in will take place at either the back or front gate, Guests will not be admitted if they are not on the list or do not have an ID.
- Seating is first come, first served.

## GUEST REGISTRATION FORMS:

Baccalaureate:

[Registration form for 4 guests for Baccalaureate Mass](#)

Graduation:

[Registration form for 4 guests for Graduation](#)

**Deadline to register is Monday, May 24!**

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# Counseling Information - Grades Matter!

Seniors, it is important to stay focused in your courses and end this semester strong. Second semester senior grades are sent to colleges and can impact admissions and scholarships offers. Most colleges will require you to earn C- or higher in all second semester classes and maintain the standard of academic excellence previously demonstrated on your transcripts.





# Counseling Information - Naviance

Please update your Naviance profile with your final college decision. Counselors will automatically send final transcripts to the college listed in Naviance.

## Steps To Report Your College Decision

1. Log into Naviance
2. Colleges I am Applying To
3. Scroll to the bottom of your application list - "College That I'm Attending"
4. Select your College





# Senior Events Timeline

<b>05.25.21</b>	<p>Senior Last Day Finals happen before/on this date Final make-up day - May 26</p>	<p><b>05.29.21</b></p> <p>Graduation</p> <p>Manchester Stadium @9:00 am (approx. 1.5-2 hrs)</p> <p><b>Students check in @8:00</b></p>	An illustration of a black graduation cap resting on a stack of books. A red ribbon is tied around the books, and a white diploma scroll is tucked under the ribbon.
<b>05.07.21</b>	<p>Graduation Practice Claver Center (Gym) @10:00 am</p> <p>Students receive caps, gowns, academic regalia</p>	<p><b>05.28.21</b></p> <p>Baccalaureate Mass and Senior Awards Ceremony</p> <p>Manchester Stadium @5:00 pm (approx. 2-2.5 hrs)</p> <p><b>Students check in @4:00pm</b></p>	
		<p><b>06.01.21</b></p> <p>Graduation Gown Return and Diploma Pick-up</p> <p>Kolbe Building Academic Offices @9 am -1:00 pm</p>	

# Baccalaureate Mass Senior Awards Ceremony

Friday, May 28, 2021 at 5 pm  
Manchester Stadium

Student Check-in: 4:00 pm  
Claver Center

Guest Check-in: 4:00 pm

# Graduation Ceremony

Saturday, May 29, 2021 at 9 am  
Manchester Stadium

Student Check-in: 8:00 am  
Claver Center

Guest Check-in: 8:00 am





# Dress Code: Gentlemen

- Dress shirt and pants
- Tie and jacket are optional.
- Dress shoes or comfy shoes.
- No flip flops.





## Dress Code: Ladies

- Dress, skirt & blouse, or dress pants & blouse.
- Dress shoes (only flats or wedges are allowed) or comfy shoes.
- **No high heels or flip flops.**





# Academic Regalia

- Can be worn to Baccalaureate Mass AND Graduation
- Cords or stoles earned from current honor society memberships
- NO celebratory regalia until after graduation (flower, candy, money lei)





# Cultural Regalia

- Can be worn during Baccalaureate Mass only
- Cords or stoles representing your cultural heritage





# Congratulations Class of 2021!

*Once a Don, Always a Don!*