

2021 MHS Commencement FAQs

Location:

Commencement will be held at Middletown High School in the Rosek-Skubel Stadium. Seating will be in the bleachers on both the home and visitor sides. The graduates will be on the field in close proximity to the south goal. Spectators will not be permitted inside the fence surrounding the track. Graduates will begin their walk from the loading dock entering the stadium from the south gate; they will pass in front of both sets of bleachers before proceeding to their seats on the field. Graduation will be held at the stadium rain or shine. Seating will be first come, first served seating in the bleachers. Only ticket holders will be allowed in the stadium.

Time:

The stadium gates will open at 9:30 a.m.

The actual ceremony begins at 11:00 a.m. and typically ends around 1:00 p.m.

Graduate Information:

There will be one graduation rehearsal on June 10th from 8 a.m. until 11a.m. Graduates should report to the cafe. On June 12th, graduates must report to the cafe no later than 9:30 a.m.

Parking:

There are three options for parking: Middletown High School parking lots, parking at Keigwin School, and parking in the lot on Newfield Street across from LaRosa Lane. Shuttle service will be provided from the Newfield lot to the stadium. Those with handicapped tags and honored guests should park in the left rear lot at the high school adjacent to the Agricultural Science and Technology Center. Graduates should park at Keigwin.

Tickets and Other Items:

Each graduate will receive six (6) tickets. D cohort students can pick up their tickets, caps and gowns and signs in the Library Media Center on Monday, June 7th and 8th from 8 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. C cohort students can pick up their tickets, caps and gowns and signs in the Library Media Center on Monday, June 7th 11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. and 8th from 11:00 a.m. until 5 p.m. Graduation will be held at the stadium rain or shine. Seating will be first come, first served seating in the bleachers. Only ticket holders will be allowed in the stadium.

Dress:

Graduates are to be dressed appropriately under their graduation gowns. Girls should consider wearing a skirt/dress or dress pants. As we are graduating on the football field, you may **not** wear heels as they may damage the field as well as being a tripping hazard- only **flats or wedge**

heels are acceptable. Attire for boys consists of dress pants and a button-down collared shirt. No jeans, shorts, or sneakers.

Graduates may not have any of the following items with them during graduation; no purses, wallets, sunglasses, earbuds, toys, i.e. beach balls, Frisbees[®], etc. We recommend leaving all items with family members.

Friends and family should dress for comfort.