



## JUANITA HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION - JUNE 18, 2018

**Graduation Information: Please read if you are attending:** We want to make sure that all our focus is on recognizing the achievements of our students through the commencement ceremony. Juanita's Graduation is very different from many other graduations, so it is really special. However, for the next two years, we all need to be a little flexible and understand that construction requires a few changes in past practices. In order to make sure that the focus remains on the students and the ceremony, we need everyone to pay attention to all information regarding graduation.

- Ceremony
  - The ceremony will begin promptly at 7:00. The doors will open at 5:15. Please know that our campus looks very different this year with much of the area next to the fieldhouse fenced off. I know that the temptation might be to line up really early to be first in line to grab good seats, but there is no safe place to do that, unlike in past years.
  - The ceremony is for all students and their families. To ensure a positive experience for all, we will not allow balloons or signs as they block the views of others. We encourage you to save the balloons and signs for your family parties.
  - Everyone needs a ticket to enter the ceremony. If you bring children, they also need a ticket and should be old enough to sit in a seat for a ceremony that lasts 90 minutes or more.
  - [Check out our website](#) or talk to your grad about how to get tickets.
- Parking:
  - We only have enough onsite parking to accommodate our staff, dignitaries, the police, those with a State issued Disabled Parking Permit clearly displayed, and our parent/student volunteers. If you don't have a parking pass issued by the school or a State issued Disabled Parking Permit, you will be turned away by the police officers checking as you come in.
  - So, how do you get here? Walking is great for those who live close enough. If that doesn't work, here are your options:
    - Park on surrounding streets. This is not new for this community on graduation night as there has never been enough parking on site for all who attend.
    - Take one of the District-provided shuttles. There will be two locations where you can park and catch the shuttle: *Eastside Foursquare Church and Northshore Community Church*. That is 400+ spaces. The shuttles will begin right at 5:00 and continue until 6:45. Shuttles will start running to return people to the lots right after the ceremony. **Cars will need to be out of the lot by 10:00 or risk being locked in.**