

Plainfield Community Consolidated School District 202

PLAINFIELD SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL

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To the Parent(s)/Guardian(s) of:

Dear Parents/Guardians of Cougar Seniors:

In just a few months the Class of 2022 will graduate from Plainfield South High School. This is an exciting time for students and their families. This formal graduation ceremony is a "rite of passage" into adulthood that they will always remember. Leading up to this ceremony are a number of senior events:

April 22	Prom
May 4	Senior Honors Night
May 18	Senior Banquet
May 19	Senior Breakfast – 7:30am, Graduation Rehearsal – 9:30am (approximate)
May 21	Graduation – 10:00am

These are the sanctioned events we have scheduled for our special young ladies and young men. **Seniors who have paid all their fees and returned their laptops and cords will receive caps and gowns after graduation rehearsal on Thursday, May 19th.** Seniors will also receive the graduation packet which includes instructions for the day as well as information on ordering photos. If you are unsure if your child has any outstanding obligations, please contact our bookkeeper at 815-577-5599.

Please remember that participation in the graduation ceremony is a privilege, not a right. All students will be reminded to make good choices as we get closer to graduation. It is especially important that senior students and their parents or guardians are aware of this expectation. **If a student makes a poor choice that results in a suspension during the last week(s) of attendance, it will jeopardize the privilege and opportunity to attend scheduled activities and/or participate in graduation ceremonies. Additionally, involvement in "senior pranks" will jeopardize graduation participation.**

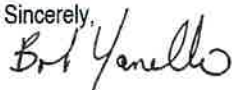
The 2022 Plainfield South High School graduation is a formal, dignified ceremony. If, for some reason, your son or daughter is not interested in participating in this type of ceremony, he or she does not have to participate. Please call the Principal's Secretary, Mrs. Smith, at 815-577-5528 by May 6th to let us know that your son or daughter will not participate.

In conjunction with our graduation activities, we plan on creating a "Class of 2022" senior slide show which we will show at the senior breakfast on Thursday, May 19th. Toward that end, we are asking for **one photograph** of your graduate. It may be a picture of your student at any age. The picture must be an attachment in digital format (.jpg, .png), labeled with your student's name (please do not cut and paste into the body of the email) and sent to the following e-mail address: **PSHS_Senior_Pics@psd202.org**. **Also, please place your student's name in the subject line of the email.**

WE MUST RECEIVE YOUR PHOTO(S) NO LATER THAN May 6th, 2022. Please do not send more than one photo. We do reserve the right to determine whether or not the photo is appropriate for publication.

I am certain that the excitement about graduation and the end of the year activities for seniors is running high in your home. Your assistance in keeping your graduate on track through graduation will insure his/her full participation in all scheduled activities. As the days to graduation quickly approach, please take some time and discuss with your child the importance of this opportunity. Our goal is to provide a first-rate experience for your child and with your help we know we can achieve this mark. Thanks for your continued support and cooperation.

Sincerely,



Bob Yanello
Principal

2022 Senior Events

- April 8** Required Senior student meeting – 8:06am, 2nd period
- April 22** Prom
6:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.
Boback's – Woodridge, IL
***ALL FEES AND OBLIGATIONS MUST BE PAID IN FULL TO PURCHASE PROM TICKETS**
Ticket sales begin 4/4/2022 and end 4/14/2022
- May 4** Senior Honors Night
7:00 p.m.
PSHS Auditorium
Seniors who need to attend will receive an invitation.
- May 17-18** Seniors turn in all laptops and cords. Seniors who do not turn their laptop and cord will not be issued a cap and gown.
- May 18** All senior books to be turned in to classroom teachers and scanned.
- May 18** Senior locker cleanout
- Senior Banquet
6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Holiday Inn and Rock Run convention Center, Joliet, IL
Tickets will be sold for the event through the Senior Class – more info to follow.
- May 19** Senior Breakfast and Graduation Rehearsal
7:30-8:15am - Breakfast
8:30-9:20 – Senior last-minute info/recognitions in auditorium
9:30-11:30 - Graduation Rehearsal – ***MANDATORY**
11:30am – Cap and Gown Distribution – ***ALL FEES AND OBLIGATIONS MUST BE PAID IN FULL AND ALL LAPTOPS AND CORDS MUST BE TURNED IN TO PICK UP CAP AND GOWN.**
- May 21** Graduation Day
10:00am – Stadium gates will open at 8:30am. Students to report to fieldhouse at 9:15am.

Immediately following ceremony students return to Field House to pick up diplomas.