



Freedom High School

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Dear Senior Families,

We are excited to announce that LUHSD has been approved to have a drive thru commencement for the Class of 2020! On Thursday, June 11, we will hold Freedom's commencement on campus from 4:00-8:00 in front of the B Building.

Listed below are the expectations for this event:

- Seniors who wish to participate in this event will arrive at their respective times in Cap and Gown and enter into the student parking lot.
- One vehicle per senior family will be allowed to enter.
- Seniors should have a sign for the window with last name, first name.
- At the designated area seniors will:
 - o receive an envelope which includes their diploma, graduation program, honor seals, name card, and diploma jacket.
 - o exit the vehicle with their diploma jacket and name card and walk to the designated staging area.
 - o give the name card to the announcer and walk across the stage.
- Each senior will be professionally photographed on the stage in front of the graduation backdrop.
 - o Photographs will be available for purchase.
 - o Spectators in the vehicle may take pictures of the graduate so long as they do not impede the flow of traffic and do not exit their vehicle.
- Once the student has left the stage, they will be picked up in front of the library and exit the parking lot.
- Students who borrowed a cap and gown will exit via the A parking lot where they will exchange their cap and gown for their diploma envelope.

We ask that seniors follow the assigned time slot to maintain a steady flow of traffic:

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4:00-5:00: A-G

5:00-6:00: H-M

6:00-7:00: N-S

7:00-8:00: T-Z

Freedom will also broadcast Pomp and Circumstance on FM Radio at 91.3 and 91.5 to enhance the ceremony for those that would like to listen to this traditional graduation song in their vehicle as their graduate crosses the stage.

The graduation commencement will be broadcast live on the NHFS Network posted on our website homepage. Our virtual graduation with speeches from our Principal, student speakers, and photo slide show will be available by link on our school website at 3:00 on Thursday, June 11 as well.

Again, we would like to congratulate all of our seniors and look forward to seeing you on Thursday. We encourage families to decorate their vehicle honoring their graduates. Any student who does not wish to participate may pick up their diploma on Friday, June 12, 2020 from 9:00am-12:00pm in the E Staff Lot next to the administration building.

Sincerely,

Kelly Manke
Principal

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