

Hillcrest High Class of 2025 Senior Dates to Remember

Tentative Senior Dates (all changes and updates will be posted on Senior Google Classroom)

	Date	Event	Resource
☐	Monday, August 11th- December 31st	Senior Dues-\$50	Pay through MySchoolBucks 🇺🇸 How to Use MySchoolBucks to Senior Dues and Debt (Instructions if needed)
☒	Tuesday, August 26th	Senior Supplies Meeting	Herff Jones Website - Order Here or turn in the paper form given to you at the Senior Supplies Meeting on Monday, September 8th. If you need a form, please pick one up in the front office.
☒	Monday, September 8th 12-2:15 pm	Graduation Orders in Commons	Herff Jones Website - Order Here or turn in the paper form given to you at the Senior Supplies Meeting on Monday, September 8th. If you need a form, please pick one up in the front office.
☒	Monday, September 8th 6:00-7:00 pm	Senior Parent Night in Auditorium	A representative from Herff Jones will be present to discuss Senior Supplies (Cap & Gown, etc). Mr. Drango, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Jones will give a brief presentation on the topics listed below. For the convenience of parents who cannot attend, a video of the presentation will be made available on the school's website and the Senior Google Classroom the day after this event. Video Topics: • Graduation Requirements • Senior Dates to Remember
☒	Wednesday, September 10th	Senior IGP meetings start	Your child's counselor will set this up. Please check your email or speak with your child to confirm when it is scheduled. If your email address is correct in Backpack, you should have already received an invitation. If not, please check with your child. This IGP meeting will focus on the next steps for your child after Hillcrest.
☒	Tuesday, September 16th	Senior Class Meeting	Senior Presentation

	Advisory Period		
☒	Friday, September 26th	Senior Portrait Makeups in the auditorium	September Hillcrest High Signups Images Studio Signups
☒	Tuesday, September 30th	Greenville County College Fair (Sign-Ups Only) at Convention Center	Due September 5th to accommodate for bus transportation
☒	Wednesday, October 1st	FAFSA opens	FAFSA Website FAFSA stands for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid. It's the official form that current and prospective college students in the U.S. complete each year to apply for: • Federal grants (like the Pell Grant – free money you don't repay) • Federal student loans (money you borrow and pay back later, usually with low interest) • Federal work-study (part-time campus jobs to help pay for school) Many states and colleges also use the FAFSA information to determine eligibility for their own scholarships, grants, or aid programs. A few key points: ☐ It's free to fill out (on fafsa.gov) – you should never pay to submit it. ☐ It opens October 1 each year for the following school year. Students need information like Social Security Number, tax returns, income information, and school codes to complete it.
☒	Tuesday, October 14th	College Application Day (12:00-2pm) in Media Center	See or email Mrs. Jones or Mrs. Smith with questions.
☐	Monday, October 27th 6-7pm	FAFSA Night in Media Center	Several college financial aid reps that will be present to help families complete the FAFSA. Families must register to attend. Dinner will be provided. Contact Dr. Bayne with questions.

☐	Wednesday, November 5th at 12:00 pm	Senior Quote Due	Quote Link
☐	Thursday, November 6th 6:00 PM	College Funding Coach Event	
☐	Tuesday, December 16th	First Semester Exams- 2nd & 4th	
☐	Wednesday, December 17th	First Semester Exams- 1st & 3rd	
☐	Thursday, December 18th	2nd & 4th Block Make-ups	
☐	Friday, December 19th	1st & 3rd Block make-ups	
☐	Wednesday, December 31st	Last day for Senior Dues to paid at the amount of \$50	Pay through MySchoolBucks  How to Use MySchoolBucks to Senior Dues and Debt (Instructions if needed)
☐	Thursday, January 1st	Senior Dues new cost is \$60	Pay through MySchoolBucks  How to Use MySchoolBucks to Senior Dues and Debt (Instructions if needed)
☐		Senior Picture in the Gym	
☐	Monday, April 13th 11am-1pm	Herff Jones Cap and Gown Delivery in Auditorium	
☐		Senior Meeting Virtual	
☐	Saturday, April 11th 7-10pm	Senior Prom @ Zen	
☐	Monday, May 11th	Senior Exams 2nd & 4th Block	
☐	Tuesday, May 12th	Senior Exams 1st & 3rd Block	
☐	Wednesday, May 13th	Senior Exam Make-Ups 2nd & 4th	
☐	Thursday, May 14th	Senior Exam Make-Ups 1st & 3rd	
☐	Thursday, May 14th 6:00-7:00 pm	Senior Academic Awards Night: Invitation Only	
☐	Friday, May 15th	☐ Senior Grades are Finalized ☐ Senior Meeting 9 am in Auditorium (Required) ☐ Senior Breakfast	

		9:15-10:15am ☐ Yearbook Day	
☐	Monday, May 18th	Last Day to Clear Senior Debt to Receive Tickets at Practice	Pay through MySchoolBucks  How to Use MySchoolBucks to Senior Dues and Debt (Instructions if needed)
☐	Wednesday, May 20th 9:00-12:00	Graduation Practice (Football Field) MANDATORY	
☐	Thursday, May 21st 9:00-11am	If students did not receive graduation tickets at practice, this is the last opportunity to receive tickets and diploma at graduation.	
☐	Friday, May 22nd at 11:30am	Graduation at Bon Secours Arena	