



McKinney High School

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"Rich in Legacy...Focused on the Future"

Senior Events Class of 2026

*We are excited to bring you information about McKinney HS's graduation and other upcoming senior events! Included in this letter is all of the information you will need to help you plan for your graduate's big day. **Each graduate will be given 8 tickets for their guests to share in their big day!***

GENERAL GRADUATION INFORMATION

Date: May 22, 2026
Time: 9:00am
Location: Credit Union of Texas Event Center (formally known as Allen Event Center)
Senior Arrival: 7:30am
Doors Open: 8:00am
Practice: May 21, 2025 Aux Gym (This is **mandatory**)

ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT SENIOR DATES

Aug 11	Senior Sunrise MHS Softball Field (6:30-7:30am)
Sept 27	Dec the Halls (HoCo) 9am-4pm)
Sept 30	Josten's Senior Cap and Gowns meeting Flex Time (1:16-1:46) PAC
Oct 1	Powder Puff Football Games
Oct 3	HoCo Dance 7:30-10:30p @MHS
Oct 23	Beat the Drum Starts 7pm
Oct 24	Beat the Drum Ends 7pm
Oct 31	Deadline for senior yearbook ads before midnight
Jan 21	Senior Final Exam Exemptions Roll out (attendance and grades can cause students to lose exemptions)
Nov 3	Josten's deadline for best pricing for Senior Orders (cap, gown, invites etc)
Nov 15	Deadline for senior yearbook pictures (CADY)
Feb 11	100 days until graduation
March 22	Last day to order cap and gown for campus delivery
March 31	Graduation Cap decoration forms available in C101 (also on HUB)
April 2	Cap & Gown delivery Flex Time (1:16-1:46) Aux Gym
April 7	Prom Guest forms available in C101 and social media
April 10	Prom Flash Sale-Tickets \$50 at all lunches
April 22	MEF Awards (invites will be sent to award winners)
April 27	Senior Awards @ MHS PAC (invites will be sent to award winners)
April 30	Graduation cap decoration approvals due by 2:30pm to Mrs. Wood in C101
May 5	10:15am Deadline for Prom Guest Form approval in C101
May 9	Senior Prom (7:30-10:30pm) @ Cotton Mill
May 14	Turn in all laptops
May 18	Baccalaureate (5:30-7pm) First United Methodist Church McKinney
May 18	Senior Breakfast @ MISD Elementary Schools
May 20	Senior Sunset (7-9pm) @ MHS Softball Field
May 21	MANDATORY Graduation practice (1:00pm) MHS AUX Gym
May 22	Project Graduation @ MISD Stadium (10:00pm-5:30am)
May 31	Last Day to purchase a MacBook- LINK

**** Dates are subject to change due to conflicts, weather, etc. ****
