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Cap & Gown & Graduation Products

Now is the time to order your cap and gown and graduation announcements. The representative from Student Service Company met with the senior class this week. Each student was given a packet of information including how to order [online](#). Any senior who missed the class meeting should stop in the main office to pick up their packet.



The deadline for these orders is **Friday, 11/30**. All students who have placed their order by 11/30 will be entered into a drawing for a pizza party for themselves and 4 friends. If you are not ordering online, please be sure to return your order form to the high school main office by November 30th. Students who are ordering cap and gowns **only** do not have to pay a shipping cost. The cost of the cap and gown

Counseling Corner

Are you looking for an opportunity that will allow you to finish your high school credits while gaining career experience? It is not too late to have the opportunity. Schedule an appointment with your school counselor to learn more about our senior year internship opportunities.

A monthly list of scholarships can be found on the [counseling webpage](#). Students are encouraged to access Naviance for the most up to date scholarship list.

If your child is planning on applying to a 4-year or 2-year post-secondary school, now is the time to apply. Students should follow the instructions below. Also, transcript request forms should be submitted at least 10 school days before the application due date to ensure it is processed in time. The deadline for any applications due on January 1st is December 10th.

increases after the November 30th deadline. Graduation products ordered after the November 30th deadline may not be filled or arrive in time.

End of the Year Dates

The date for graduation is set each year at the March Board Meeting. As soon as that date is established, the rest of the senior events will be scheduled. The dates will be communicated as soon as they are set.

Obligations

Seniors who have outstanding obligations should take care of them in the main office ASAP. Please see Mrs. Salmi or Mrs. Raezer if you have questions.

Commencement Attire

Many students like to start looking for their graduation outfit now, so we wanted to share the dress code early. Students who do not comply with the attire will not be permitted to participate.

Ladies

- Dresses or dark dress pants (no jeans)
- Dress shoes (no sneakers or flip flops)
- Do not wear excessive jewelry, flowers or corsages

Gentlemen

- Dark dress pants (no jeans)
- White dress shirt with a tie
- Dark socks
- Dark dress shoes (no sneakers, sandals, flip flops or boots)

All Students

- Do not place artwork, decoration or writing on your caps
- Do not wear chords/medals and pins that are not approved (only school sponsored and/or awarded items will be approved)

Yearbook Information

If you would like to purchase a yearbook and/or create a senior ad, click this [link](#) to visit Josten's website. On the right side select "Yearbook Recognition Ads" to create your ad with a message for your senior. The deadline to include a senior ad is **2/4/2019**. If you would like to include a baby picture of your senior in the yearbook, please email it to: yearbook@warwicksd.org. Be sure to include the seniors name in the email. The deadline to submit baby pictures is **12/17/2018**. Any questions can be directed to the yearbook advisors at yearbook@warwicksd.org.

- Complete applications online at the websites of the schools you are interested in.
- Select the colleges you are applying to in the "colleges I am applying to" section within Naviance.
- Personally ask teachers to write letters of recommendation for you if recommendation letters are required. Then select the teachers that are writing letters for you in Naviance. Also, complete the "Brag Sheet" in Naviance so teachers have access to more information about you. If your recommendation letters will be used for the Common Application, teachers will also need to complete the Common Application Teacher Evaluation form, along with their recommendation letter.
- If you are applying to any schools using the Common Application, complete the Common Application online and then be sure to sign the FERPA waiver on the Common Application and match Naviance to the Common Application.
- If SAT or ACT scores are required, go to the SAT or ACT websites and request your scores be sent directly to the places you are applying to. If you had scores sent when you initially took the test, you do not need to send them a second time.
- Once all of the tasks listed above are finished and you have confirmed that all requested letters of recommendation have been completed and uploaded to Naviance, complete a transcript release form and submit it to the counseling office.

Written instructions are available in the counseling office for the tasks listed above.

Reminder- counselors are available outside of the cafeteria every Friday, or students can schedule an appointment with their counselor if they have specific questions.

If you have any questions along the way, please do not hesitate to reach out.

-Mrs. Szobocsan

