



HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2026 COMMENCEMENT CONTRACT

THIS CONTRACT MUST BE SIGNED AND **RETURNED BY FRIDAY, MAY 1, 2026 to the Pope Attendance Office.**
STUDENTS WILL NOT BE CLEARED AND MAY NOT PARTICIPATE IN COMMENCEMENT WITHOUT A SIGNED CONTRACT.

We (student & parent) understand that to participate in the commencement ceremony these requirements must be met:

1. The student will attend the mandatory commencement practices and will follow all rules and policies for the school activity. Behaviors that detract from the integrity of the commencement ceremony will not be tolerated.
 - Commencement Practice – May 13 @ 1:45pm in the Pope gym
 - Commencement Practice – May 14 @ 12:00pm in the Pope gym
2. All financial obligations must be cleared by Friday, May 8, 2026. This includes, but is not limited to, return of textbooks, media center materials, CCSD-issued laptops, and school issued uniforms and fine arts equipment. It also includes but is not limited to payment for lost textbooks, parking fines, athletic and/or fine arts equipment and uniforms, as well as CCSD-issued technology. We ask that you turn in textbooks upon completion of your final exam or earlier. If you fail to resolve lost items and/or fines, you will be unable to participate in the commencement ceremony and could have your diploma withheld.
3. This commencement is a formal ceremony and any disruptive behavior at the ceremony will result in the student being removed from the ceremony and will result in a delay of the receipt of the student's diploma.
4. A student may be denied the opportunity to participate in the ceremony if he/she is involved in any serious discipline event during the remainder of the 2026 school year.
5. Students will be expected to follow the dress guidelines and all Cobb County School District policies. Any student improperly dressed for the ceremony will not be allowed to participate in the ceremony.

Print student's name and ID#

Student's signature Date

Parent's or Guardian's signature Date

Senior Final Exams will be administered on May 7 through May 12, during your regularly scheduled class periods.