

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR 2020 GRADUATES!!!!



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A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRINCIPAL, CHRIS ANDERSON

I WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND MY CONGRATULATIONS TO THE GRADUATES OF THE CLASS OF 2020! YOU MADE IT! I am proud of each and every one of you and your accomplishments. You have so much potential. Dream big. Live with purpose. The time for you to graduate and leave Edison has come.

Just a few months ago, we didn't know what "social distancing," "shelter in place," or "contact tracing" was and how those terms would impact our lives. There are many questions and uncertainty in our world at this time. However, there are two things that are for certain: 1) YOU are forever a SOUL Vike and 2) your 4 years of hard work have paid off -- you are a graduating student of Edison High School. Edison will miss you! Congratulations!

GRADUATION DATES AND TIMES

Edison's Virtual Graduation will be on Friday, May 29, 2020 at 6:00 PM. The pre-recorded video will be made available on Edison's webpage at stocktonusd.net, the SUSD YouTube channel and the SUSD Facebook page.

- A traditional ceremony will be held at a later date (to be announced when available) ... so stay tuned!

YOU CAN ACCESS THE LETTER FROM EDISON TEACHERS at THIS LINK:

<https://vimeo.com/413987964>

CAP AND GOWN DISTRIBUTION / YEARBOOK DISTRIBUTION

Graduation caps/gowns and yearbooks will be distributed in the parking lot in front of the school on Friday, May 22 from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM. If your last name begins with A-L, please come from 10-11:30 and last names M-Z, please come from 11:30-1 pm. Also, please follow these instructions:

- Put your name in **BIG** bold letters and tape to your window.
- Enter the parking lot by Taggart gym. Stay in your car.
- There will be a separate line for walk-ups. Please adhere to social distancing guidelines.
- If you have not done so, please order your cap and gown by May 18th. No on-site orders will be taken on the 22nd. <https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/customer/1007660/Edison-High-School/>

Chromebook/Textbook, etc. Collection

At the same time as cap and gown pick up on May 22nd, please return School items including textbooks, chromebooks, athletic uniforms, calculators, etc. Your coaches should be in contact to remind you to return your athletic gear. Please look all around to make sure you are turning in all of your textbooks. Diplomas will be held until all items are turned in.

SOUL VIKE RIDE OUT

Dear Seniors, Edison's Class of 2020 officers are working to provide Seniors with a celebration while we socially distance. Graduating seniors are invited to participate in our inaugural SOUL Vike Ride Out on Saturday, May 30th at 9:00 am. Check in time is 8:00 am in the Taggart Gym parking lot. Seniors must register to participate. Deadline to register is May 25th. To register and receive participation guidelines, please visit ehsrideout2020.weebly.com or follow @ehsco2020 on instagram.

TRANSCRIPTS

If you need an official transcript for college, you can request one through XELLO on the SUSD website here: <http://hslinks.stocktonusd.net/>

- Go to "College Applications" from the "Goals & Plans" link in the top menu or on the Dashboard.
- Click "Create Your First Application" to choose the college you want to track your application with.
- In the application tracker for the college, you'll see the "Applications Checklist". From the list, where it says Transcript, click "Request to request your high school send your transcript to the school".

If you have questions, please contact your counselor.

DIPLOMA DISTRIBUTION

Diplomas will be distributed in the summer. Information on when you can pick this up will be announced at a later time. Check the SUSD website for updates. Please do not forget to get your diploma as they will not be mailed. Diplomas will not be distributed to graduates who owe money to the school until the outstanding bill is cleared.

If you have items that were not turned in on May 22nd, please return them at the time you pick up your diploma (date to be announced).

SUMMER SCHOOL

Seniors who do not meet all of the graduation requirements should contact their counselor to see if they qualify for summer school. If you know you are going to attend summer school, you do not need to turn in your chromebook since you will need it to complete summer school. Please email or call your counselor to make arrangements to attend summer school.