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Principal's Corner



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Highlighted Events

Sun. Jun 8th: Graduation @ NRG 6:00PM

Shout Outs:



Congratulations to Coach Munoz for winning Baseball Coach of the Year!

Important Spring/Summer Testing Updates

STAAR EOC Exams

Results from the Spring STAAR EOC exams should be available on the <u>Texas Assessment Family Portal</u> beginning June 10, 2025. All students who did not pass or take a STAAR EOC will also be notified by school email by June 11, 2025 that they can retest during the summer administration. To access student STAAR results please log into HISD Connect using a computer, not the mobile app. Steps for accessing STAAR results can be found <u>here</u>.

Summer STAAR EOC Testing Dates

June 17, 2025 - STAAR EOC English 1 (Retesters)

June 18, 2025 - STAAR EOC US History (Retesters)

June 20, 2025 – STAAR EOC English 2 (Retesters)

Upcoming Events:

Thu, Jun 5th: Fri, Jun 6th:

• Football 7 on 7 @ Ridge Point 5:30PM

Sun. Jun 8th:

Graduation @ NRG 6:00PM

Mon, Jun 16th:

Summer Begins 8:00AM

June 24, 2025 – STAAR EOC Algebra 1 (Retesters)
June 25, 2025 – STAAR EOC US Biology (Retesters)

AP Test Results will be available on https://apstudents.collegeboard.org/view-scores beginning July 7th.

IB exam results will be available on the IB Candidate website at https://candidates.ibo.org/ beginning July 6th.

Credit Appeal

Students with 5 or more absences in any course for the spring semester will need to attend credit appeal. Please check your HISD email on Monday.

Tuesday, June 10 – 8:00-4:00 Wednesday, June 11 – 2:45-6:00 Thursday, June 12 – 2:45-6:00

No leaving and coming back

No food delivery

Students may bring a lunch or snacks.

Students will be helping with summer cleaning projects during Credit Appeal.

9th Grade Students and Parents

Students interested in participating in the IB Diploma Program or IB Math classes in 11th and 12th grades – this message is for YOU!

- In order to take the IB Math classes in 11th and 12th grades, students must have completed Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2 before 11th grade.
- Students currently in Algebra 1 as 9th graders have the opportunity to take Geometry at Lamar HS in summer school, with a grade review and approval by their Academic Dean.
- There MAY BE a fee for the summer school class, which will be determined by the district late in the Spring semester.

2025-2026 Student Parking

Applications Open

Monday May 5th, 2025

Apply for your parking permit for 2025-2026 School Year using the link below or scanning the QR code.

Parking Permit Link

 $\underline{https://forms.office.com/r/3k0NWZD8Pw?origin=lprLink}$



- Students must be classified as a 12th or 11th grader by the registrar for the 2025-2026 school year.
- Online applications must be completed.
- Applicants must have a Current Texas Driver License or Valid Texas Learners Permit to apply.
- If applications exceed the number of parking permits available a lottery will be held to distribute parking spots with incoming 12th graders given priority over incoming 11th graders if students apply before the deadline of midnight on June 10th.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY MIDNIGHT MONDAY JUNE 10TH 2025.

Once approved you must submit all required paperwork by Midnight June 30 to secure your parking permit.

After the deadline apply to the Parking Waitlist.

Rising Seniors - Class of 2026



cady.com/schedule

Schedule and take your photo during the summer, you will be entered into a raffle for a Visa gift card.

Summer Programs



Summer Speed Camp



Athletic Physicals





June 25th = 1-3pm Rm. C117

July 16th - 1-3pm Rm. C117

ALL PHYSICALS ARE \$25 CASH ONLY FIRST COME FIRST SERVE

Youth Football Camp



Sign up here

COLLEGE CORNER

Scholarship Opportunities

https://www.houstonisd.org/Page/181035



Summer Enrichment Sports Camp



Class of 2025 Senior Information

Graduation Information

Check-in Procedures

- Graduates park in the Blue Lot and enter through the Ford gate.
- Graduates will turn right and enter the Phillips 66 entrance. Graduates must arrive 4:30PM for check-in .
- Upon arrival, graduates will be required to pass through weapon detectors or undergo screening with security wands.
- · School representatives will guide graduates to line up and proceed to their designated seats.

Dress Code Requirements

- · Caps and gowns are mandatory for entry into the ceremony.
- Appropriate attire must be worn under academic regalia.
- Modest heels are recommended, as graduates will navigate steps and ramps.

Approved Accessories

Graduates may wear the following accessories:

- · Academic medals.
- Honor cords representing academic excellence, or honor societies.
- HISD ribbons awarded for specific accomplishments.
- IB/NHS stoles approved by the campus principal or designee.
- Decorated or personalized graduation caps with prior approval from the principal or designee.

Additional Information

- Electronic devices, including cell phones, are not permitted on the venue floor.
- For cap and gown orders, please contact your campus graduation representative.
- Students are responsible for obtaining their own graduation announcements.

Tickets, Seating, and Parking

- NRG Stadium: No ticket required. Children must be seated with a responsible adult. Graduates do not need a ticket to enter the venue from the graduate entrance.
- Seating for all ceremonies will begin one hour before the assigned ceremony start time.
- Graduates and Guest will park in the Blue Lot.
- HISD police and additional law enforcement will be available to direct traffic in and out of the graduations.
- Graduates and guests are responsible for the \$25.00 parking fee plus tax (debit or credit card only).
- When arriving at NRG Stadium, guests will enter gate 9 on Kirby Drive. Officers and the parking attendants will
 direct traffic in and out of the graduations. Guests will enter at the Bud Light Plaza and turn left towards the Ford
 entrance.



Behavioral Expectations

Campus leadership will clearly communicate expectations for student behavior and decorum during all phases of the graduation ceremony – including assembly and line-up, the processional and recessional, and while crossing the stage. These guidelines should specifically prohibit poses, flips, dances or hand gestures other than a handshake when accepting the diploma. Families are urged to reinforce these guidelines with their graduates to ensure full participation in this important occasion and to avoid any actions that could result in being removed from the stage or ceremony.

Safety

HISD Police and additional law enforcement will be on-hand for security and traffic control during the graduation ceremony. First aid stations will be onsite for any medical needs. HISD employees will need to present their employee ID badge.

Bag Policy and Screening Measures

In keeping with HISD's core value of student safety, all graduates and guests will be required to pass through weapon detectors and/or be screened with security wands. To expedite movement of guests through the lines to enter the facilities, guests are encouraged not to bring any bags. If a bag is necessary, then consider a bag that is clear (size recommendation no larger than 12" x 6" x12") or carry a small clutch purse (size recommendation 4.5" x 6.5"), approximately the size of a hand. All bags are subject to search upon entry.

Prohibited Items

Bringing prohibited items or engaging in inappropriate behavior may result in denied entry or removal from the venue. The following are not allowed:

- · Disorderly conduct
- · Smoking or vaping
- · Alcohol or drugs
- · Firearms, explosives, or weapons
- Laser pointers, drones
- · Littering or use of glitter
- Noisemakers (e.g., air horns, cowbells, whistles)
- Flowers, bouquets, balloons, signs, banners, flags, beach balls, confetti, or streamers
- · Any item obstructing another guest's view
- Outside food and drinks (exception: clear water bottles as needed for health reasons)
- · Wandering into restricted areas
- · Any item deemed inappropriate by Houston ISD staff

Photography

Flash Photography will take photos of seniors as they receive their diploma. Flash will email proofs to the home (not school) email that the Seniors provided at Senior Checkout.

Live Streaming

HISD will not provide a virtual viewing option for the graduation ceremonies. However, recorded ceremonies will be available for later viewing on the HISD Spring 2025 Graduation website:

https://www.houstonisd.org/Page/205265

Spring Senior Class Meeting



Required meeting for all seniors. Attendance will be taken.

Order Cap and Pictures



Cap & Gown portraits and exclusive products are now available to view and purchase through CADY! Celebrate this achievement with new offerings like tassel frames, yard signs, mugs, and more.

Deadline to order your items to receive them by Graduation is Thursday, April 3rd.

Click the link below to view & order now!

cady.com/capgown25

Seniors with APEX Classes



Spring Senior Parent Meeting Presentation



Click here or the click the image

Panoramic Photo



Pictures will be taken:

Tuesday, November 12th
Senior Class at 9:00am

Price Packages:

\$30.00 –Panoramic Picture \$35.00 –Panoramic & One Medium Panoramic

\$55.00 -Parloramic & One Medium Parloramic (Best Deal!)
\$45.00 - (3 Picture Formation Package)
Large Laminated Panoramic, w/ One Medium Panoramic, & One Medium '25 Formation

Please be sure to bring your payment the very next day:

Wednesday, November 13th During Lunch

To pick-up your panoramic picture

We Accept Cash, Check, or Debit/Credit Cards
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "Goldback Company"
(Phease include phone number on all checks)
Goldback Company + 4407 Center Gate + San Antonio + TX + 78217
1-800-459-9289 • www.goldback.company.com
(Orders placed online will be mailed)



https://goldbeckcompany.com/

Senior Meeting PowerPoint



Graduation



Get ready to toss those caps in the air! Mark your calendars and save the date for the biggest celebration of the year! Sunday, June 8th at 6:00PM at NRG Stadium!

Herff Jones- Cap and Gown Orders

You may place your orders online. Scroll to the bottom of the page for the cap and gown.



2025 Senior Dues

Includes:

Senior Sunrise, Senior Breakfast, Senior T-shirt, Senior water bottle, Senior Stampede Events, Graduation Package (Diploma Cover, Diploma, transcripts, etc.), Senior Sunset, Senior Gift and Other Surprises.

OPTION 1:

Early Bird Special Aug. 1st - Dec 4th \$90

All the above <u>plus Prom Ticket</u>-Early Bird Special Aug. 1st - Dec 4th -\$170

> OPTION 2: Dec. 5th- End of Year - \$140

Prom Ticket NOT included

Dec. 5th- End of Year plus Prom Ticket- \$230

IMPORTANT CLASS OF 2025 DATES

August 12, 2024 Senior Sunrise

September 13, 2024 Senior Treat Day

October 2, 2024 College Fair

September 27, 2024 HOCO Dance

November 12, 2024 Senior Breakfast

November 12, 2024 Panoramic Picture

February 22, 2025 LHS Fest

April 26, 2025 Prom

May 27-29, 2025 Field Trip

May 28, 2025 Senior Day

June 3, 2025 Senior Sunset

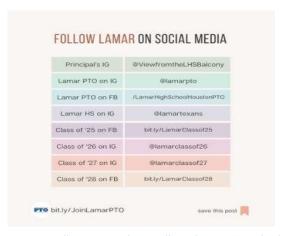
June 2-4, 2025 Senior Checkout June Graduation-NRG

Yearbook, Panoramic Photo, Cap & Gown are NOT included in Senior Dues

All Cap & Gowns are ordered through Herff Jones

** May not purchase a Prom ticket until all IB fees and Senior Dues are paid.





https://lamarpto.wufoo.com/forms/q1316xjj1unyfmk/

QUICK LINKS

<u>VIPS</u>

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