

Students

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Students who have met the requirements for graduation will be allowed to participate in the commencement proceedings and shall be granted a final progress report or diploma certifying the student's completion of high school. Failure of a student to participate in commencement will not be a reason for withholding the student's final progress report or diploma certifying the student's completion of high school.

If students desire to be excused from graduation activities, students must indicate their intentions to the high school administration prior to the finalizing of commencement plans.

Students accepted by MHS as foreign exchange students and who attend a full year may participate in ceremonies as honorary graduates, even if they do not meet the requirements.

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