

Graduation Regalia Statement

Graduation is a moment of pride for our students, families, and community. To honor both academic achievement and personal identity, our school allows the following regalia and adornments during the commencement ceremony.

Standard Attire

All graduates are expected to wear district-approved cap and gowns to maintain a unified and dignified ceremony.

School-Approved Adornments

Students may also wear cords, stoles, or accessories representing school-sanctioned honors, academic achievements, programs, or leadership roles.

Career, Service, and Leadership Organization Attire

Students participating in recognized and Rose approved programs and organizations may wear the approved attire or accessories associated with their service or training. All organizations if not listed are subject to Superintendent approval prior to the graduation ceremony. Last minute requests the day of graduation will be denied. This includes, but is not limited to:

- JTED program attire or cords
- Military program attire or cords (including ROTC)
- Girl Scouts regalia or sashes

These items must be worn neatly and respectfully with the standard cap and gown.

Tribal and Cultural Regalia

Per A.R.S. 15-348, Students who are enrolled in, or eligible for enrollment in, a federally recognized tribe may wear traditional tribal regalia or items of cultural or spiritual significance. These may include feathers, beadwork, jewelry, traditional cloth, sashes, or other meaningful cultural adornments. These items may be worn respectfully alongside the standard cap and gown.

Expectations

All graduation regalia must be worn in a manner that reflects respect, dignity, and the formal nature of the ceremony. Items that are disruptive, unsafe, or inconsistent with school policy will not be allowed.