



# Katy ISD Summer Commencement Ceremony



*Katy High School - Performing Arts Center(PAC)*

*6331 Highway Blvd, Katy Texas, 77494*

*Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 7:00pm*

**GRADUATES REPORT TO KHS PAC AT 6:00PM**

**Graduation will start promptly at 7:00PM and last approximately 45 minutes.**

Students must wear the cap and gown of the school from which their diploma is issued. If you need to order cap & gown, announcements, etc., please contact:

CRHS, KHS, OTHS, SLHS	MCHS, MRHS, THS
<b>Herff Jones Graduation Center</b> 4915 Schuler Houston, TX 77007 (713) 864.6464	<b>Balfour</b> 2930 Chimney Rock Houston, TX 77056 (713) 784-4990

### COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY GUIDELINES

**Spectator Guidelines:** At the request of the Fire Marshal and Katy ISD officials, the following guidelines must be strictly followed:

- Do not block or stand in the aisles or on the ramps to take pictures.
- Only Katy ISD approved photographers are permitted on the floor.
- No helium balloons, air horns, laser pointers, etc. are permitted.
- No signs of any kind can be attached to the railings or walls.
- No spectators will be allowed in the area where graduates are lined up for the processional.

**Student Guidelines:** The following are general guidelines provided for the students. Each individual campus will have more information and specific guidelines which students need to follow, in order to walk at graduation.

- Gowns need to be pressed before the graduation ceremony.
- Caps must be worn flat/parallel to the floor. Decorations on caps are not allowed. **Tassels must be placed on the left side.**
- Cords worn during commencement ceremonies are restricted to the following groups:
  1. High Honor graduates and Honor graduates
  2. Graduates who complete 60 hours of confirmed community service through campus-sponsored service efforts
  3. Graduates who have been awarded a cord from a non-school-related state or national organization for service or leadership, as approved by the principal
- Females: Wear clothes and shoes that complement the gown. Do not wear bright clothing or corsages. Hosiery must be a neutral color. Students may bring a large safety pin to secure keys to a gown or a dress.
- Males: Wear a white or pastel shirt with tie (no bow ties), dress pants, dark socks, and dress shoes. Any facial hair must be clean and well-groomed and not distracting or conspicuous.
- Do not bring purses, cameras, cell phones, laser pointers, etc. They will be picked up.
- Do not wear tennis shoes, flip-flops, or combat boots.