

Class of 2022 End of Year Activities

May 2022				
5/16	5/17	5/18	5/19	5/20
5/23 Last Day to Buy Prom Tickets See Ms. Viktor in the Cafe at L1	5/24	5/25	5/26 Cape Cod Overnight Field Trip!  Be at school 8:00am	5/27 Cape Cod Overnight Field Trip!  Back to School 2:00pm
5/30	5/31			
June 2022				
		6/1 Due Date for Graduation Speeches- email to Ms. Mac	6/2	6/3 Last Day of Academic Classes  Prom! 7:00-11pm @ Hyatt East Boston
6/6	6/7 Senior BBQ 4:00pm @ Constitution Beach	6/8	6/9 Cap Decorating! (Pick up Cap & Gown, Yearbook) 2:30-4:00pm In the Mezz	6/10
6/13 Senior Signing Day 12:00pm Airport Field	6/14 GRADUATION! Leader's Bank Pavilion			

Mandatory Graduation Practice after the ceremony at Airport Field	Be at XLHS at 2:00pm			
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### **Cape Overnight Field Trip (5/26-5/27)**

- Pass in permission slips & health forms by Friday 5/20
- Students need to be at XLHS at 8:00am. There will be bag checks & COVID tests.
- [Packing List](#)
- We will be staying at the Cape Codder Resort & Spa.  
1225 Iyannough Rd • Hyannis, MA 02601 • (855) 861-4370
- Itinerary:
  - Water Park & Pool at the hotel (Day 1)
  - Shopping on Main St. in Hyannis (Day 1)
  - Sunset Harbor Cruise (Day 1)
  - Beach Day (Day 2)
- How much does it cost?
  - There is no cost for students.
  - Students may want to bring spending money for additional snacks or shopping.
  - Meals are provided by Excel.
- We plan to be back at Excel at 2:00pm on Friday

### **Graduation Speech (Due 6/1)**

- Student Speeches for Graduation
  - Themes:
    - Naming moments/people who have impacted them during your time at Excel High School
    - Positive thoughts for the Class of 2022 & their future
  - Write a 3-5 minute speech and email it to Ms. McIntosh ([mmcintosh@excelacademy.org](mailto:mmcintosh@excelacademy.org)) by June 1st at 11:59
  - A team of teachers, admin, and deans will review the speeches submitted and choose 2-3 finalists to read their speech to a small group of adults on Monday, June 6th (time to be announced).
  - The selected speaker will need to come to school on at least 2 occasions to practice the week of 6/7 to 6/10

### **Excel Academy Charter High School Prom (June 3)**

- Where: Hyatt Regency Boston Harbor, 101 Harborside Drive Boston, MA 02128
- Friday, June 3rd, 2022; 7pm to 11pm
- \$45 per ticket. Tickets must be purchased by Monday, May 23rd
- Prom Royalty Nomination Survey will be emailed to students by Ms. Viktor before prom
- [Information about Guests, Arriving to the Venue, and Student & Guest Behavior](#)

### **Senior BBQ (6/7)**

- What is it? A fun time to celebrate the Class of 2022 (and teachers also stop by to celebrate)
- Where is it? Constitution Beach by the big gazebo
- When is it? Tuesday June 7th at 4:00-5:30pm
- BBQ Food will be provided, no cost
- Dress code- casual for the beach & lawn games- dress for the weather of the day

### **Cap & Gown Distribution (Mandatory) + Cap Decorating (6/9)**

- What is it? You will pick up your cap & gown (this part is mandatory- see Ms. McIntosh to troubleshoot any issues). We will also have supplies for you to decorate your cap and yearbooks will be given out. It is a chill time to decorate, hang out with your friends, and have people sign your yearbook.
- Where is it? The Mezz & Cafeteria
- When is it? June 9th at 2:30pm
- Cost: nothing
- Dress code- casual

### **Senior Signing Day (Mandatory) (6/13)**

- This is a day for the whole school & all the middle schools to come celebrate the Class of 2022. Part of the ceremony will include awards for members of the senior class.
- It will take place at Airport Field. You need to arrive at 12:00pm.
- Dress Code- Wear what you would wear to impress at an interview- be thoughtful of footwear considering we will be on a field

### **Graduation Practice (Mandatory)(6/13)**

- Immediately after senior signing day, seniors will stay at the field to practice for graduation. Students will need to know in what order you walk-in/sit, how the program flows, how to walk across the stage, etc.
- This should be completed at 4:00pm.
- You will receive your Graduation tickets at the end of practice. If you need more than 10 tickets, reach out to Mr. Ure.

### **Graduation! (6/14)**

- Students will meet at Excel High School at 2:00pm.
- Bring your cap & gown. Keep in mind that the venue does not allow bags.

- We will take a bus over to the event venue, but Excel will not provide transportation home. This also means you cannot leave personal belongings on the bus.
- The graduation starts at 5:30pm at Leader Bank Pavilion- 290 Northern Ave, Boston, MA 02210
- Let your guests know that the venue does not permit balloons or bags.