

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Any student having successfully completed all requirements for graduation is eligible to participate in the graduation exercises conducted by the Arlington High School. Students participating in the ceremony must meet the following requirements.

1. Students must have successfully completed all requirements contained in the Ohio Revised Code and set by the State of Ohio Department of Education and the Arlington Board of Education. Students who have not yet passed the required state tests (or been exempted), having met all other graduation requirements, may participate in graduation activities/exercises/ceremonies (including walking) but no diploma will be awarded until the student passes the required state tests.
2. All financial obligations to the District must be paid.
3. All disciplinary obligations must be satisfactorily completed.
4. Participation in graduation rehearsal is required for participation in the graduation ceremonies.
5. Students participating in the ceremony must wear the prescribed cap and gown.
6. Students eligible to participate in the graduation ceremony will exhibit decorum that will not be disruptive nor bring undue attention to themselves.
7. Prior to graduation, misconduct that result in suspension or expulsion may result in denial of participation in graduation ceremonies.

Students whose decorum is disruptive or brings undue attention to themselves will not be awarded their diploma at the Commencement exercises. They will be required to attend school for the duration of the regular school year or fulfill the disciplinary requirements given by the Superintendent/designee. Once the disciplinary requirements have been satisfied, the students shall receive their diploma at the close of the last day of the regular school year. Should the school year already be completed, they will be required to schedule an appointment with the principal to receive their diploma.

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LEGAL REFS: ORC: 3313.120; 3313.66; 3313.661

CROSS REFS: IKF, Graduation Requirements
JECBA, Admission of Exchange Students
Student Handbook