

# Commencement 2022 Graduate Guide

The Commencement Ceremony will be held on Thursday, May 26, 2022 at 6 p.m. at Platt High School. The event will be live-streamed via Facebook Live the night of Commencement. More information can be found on our website: <u>https://mxcc.edu/commencement/</u>

### Tickets, Reader Cards, Caps & Gowns

Graduates are invited to attend our Celebration days in Founder's Hall, May 24 and May 25. These will be the only days available to pick up Caps & Gowns.

RSVPs are requested and can be completed through the Grad RSVP form.

Graduate Celebration Days – Cap& Gown Pickup		
Tuesday	May 24, 2022	9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Wednesday	May 25, 2022	2 p.m. to 7 p.m.

There will not be a rehearsal prior to the ceremony.

Graduates are expected to arrive to Platt High School on the day of Commencement by 4:30 p.m. and in line by Academic Program by 5 p.m.

#### The ceremony will start at 6 p.m. sharp. Masks are encouraged

## Parking and Venue

O. H. Platt High School, 220 Coe Avenue, Meriden, CT 06451

Parking available for graduates and guests both at Platt High School and across the street at Lincoln Middle School. If parking at Lincoln Middle School, a shuttle bus will bring graduates and guests to the front of Platt High School, to the main entrance way. Shuttles will be available before and after the ceremony.

#### Lineup and Robing

Graduates will enter through the main doors, and directed to the Grand Stair Case (hallway to the left of the auditorium). Graduates will need to bring their Grad Reader Card and dressed in their Cap & Gown.

#### **Tickets and Guests**

Guests will enter through main doors at Platt High school. Tickets will be required to enter the auditorium. Those without tickets may sit in overflow seating in the gymnasium where the event will be live streamed.

#### Photographer

GradImages® will be photographing all graduates with the Chief Executive Officer as they receive their diplomas at the Commencement Ceremony. Please visit their website, <u>www.gradimages.com</u>, and click on Pre-Event Email Registration. Enter your email and up to six emails of loved ones who would like to share in your accomplishment by viewing and ordering your photos. By pre-registering, you will receive a discount of 20% off an order of \$50 or more. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your photographs, please contact GradImages® Customer Service Department at 800-261-2576, online at <u>www.gradimages.com</u> or email <u>ecc.giservice@gradimages.net</u>. During the Commencement Ceremony photographer/s from GradImages® will be available on Campus throughout the evening to take individual photographs of graduates.

#### **Diplomas and Certificates**

#### Diplomas will be available immediately after graduation at the Platt High School Cafeteria.

Summer completers Diploma/Certificate will not be available until September 2022. For more information regarding Diplomas and Certificates, please visit our website: <u>https://mxcc.edu/commencement/</u>, under the Graduate Information tab.