

MADISON CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
Class of 2019—End of the Year Calendar

- Thursday, April 18** Deadline to notify Student Services of scholarship offers. Seniors who sign this list will be recognized during the Class Day program. If you fail to sign the scholarship list, your name will not be listed on the program!
- Deadline for returning Graduation Compliance form. Seniors will not be allowed to take exams, nor receive exam exemption until this signed form is returned to the front office.
- Wednesday, May 1**
Thursday, May 2 Book Check for all seniors. If you do not have your textbook, your name will be put on a list and you will not be allowed to take any exams, nor receive exam exemption until you have cleared up the textbook problem.
- Thursday, May 2** Class Day Practice – Seniors will report to their first block class (1 Block). You will be called to the gym when it is time for practice to begin. During practice, transcript request forms will be given out for you to indicate where your final transcript should be mailed. Seniors will return to second-block class after practice. You will be responsible for any work missed during these two class periods.
- Friday, May 3** 8:30 a.m. – All seniors must be in the commons to line up for Class Day.
9:00 – 11:30 a.m. – Senior Class Day Program
Dress for senior girls – White dress attire (MC Dress code) and white, tan or nude dress shoes;
Dress for senior boys – khaki slacks, white shirt, tie, and dress shoes and socks. (Boys and Girls - NO FLIP FLOPS!) Seniors will be dismissed for the day following the Class Day program.
- Monday, May 6** Last REQUIRED DAY OF ATTENDANCE for seniors. **An absence from the Class Day Program OR this final A day counts toward exam exemption.**
- Tuesday, May 7** Exam Review for “B” day classes
Wednesday, May 8 Exam Review for “A” day classes
- Thursday, May 9** Senior Exams for all “B” day classes . . . during the regular class period. Seniors with MORE THAN 2 EXAMS on this day may defer any additional exams to Friday. YOU MUST MAKE PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE TEACHERS TO TAKE ANY EXAM ON FRIDAY!
- Friday, May 10** Senior Exams for all “A” day classes . . . during the regular class period. Seniors with MORE THAN 2 EXAMS on this day may defer any additional exams to **Monday at 8:25**. YOU MUST MAKE PRIOR ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE TEACHERS TO TAKE ANY EXAM ON MONDAY MORNING!
- Monday, May 13** Senior Makeup Exams.
Tuesday, May 14 Senior Makeup Exams
Seniors must report at 8:25 a.m. and all exams must be completed by 11 am. The deadline for paying all fines and fees, turning in all textbooks and/or library books, and returning all school uniforms is 11:50 a.m. **YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PICK UP YOUR CAP AND GOWN until all school business is cleared.**
- Wednesday, May 15** 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. - Seniors will pick up Caps and Gowns from the concession stand in the commons. If you will not be able to pick up your cap and gown, you may have someone else pick it up for you. You must present a note to Mamie Taylor, Room 213 by noon, Tuesday, May 14, stating who will pick up your cap and gown. Remember, you must have all your unfinished school business taken care of before you will be issued your cap and gown. There is a possibility that GPA’s will be ready so that honor graduates can be determined. If you anticipate being named an honor graduate, please bring **\$15 cash** with you. “Distinction” graduates (blue cords) are those with a 90.00 to 93.99 GPA while “Special Distinction” graduates (orange cords) have a 94.00 GPA or higher.

GRADUATING SENIORS ARE REMINDED THAT ATTENDANCE AT GRADUATION PRACTICE IS MANDATORY FOR PARTICIPATION IN GRADUATION. If you do not attend practice, you will not receive your diploma on Saturday and you will be moved to the end of the lineup. You will have to come to the school on Monday, May 20 and see Mr. Brewer to receive your diploma.

Friday, May 17 **9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.** – Graduation practice for the Class of 2019 at the Mississippi Coliseum. If someone is coming to pick you up after practice, please ask them to be there by 10:45 in case we finish early. Honor Cords will be available **AFTER PRACTICE** at a cost of \$15.00 – **CASH ONLY, EXACT CHANGE ONLY**. If you anticipate being named an honor graduate, please bring **\$15 cash** with you. “Distinction” graduates are those with a 90.00 to 93.99 GPA while “Special Distinction” graduates have a 94.00 GPA or higher.

Saturday, May 18 11:00 a.m. – MCHS GRADUATION AT THE MISSISSIPPI COLISEUM. All seniors **MUST** report to the Mississippi Coliseum by 10:00 a.m. Dress Code for Graduation: Girls – nice dress, white or nude dress shoes; Boys – khaki pants, dress shoes and socks, and a white dress shirt with a tie. Please be reminded that “proper dress and/or attire” is a part of the school policy for participation in graduation.



Other General Information:

The Madison County School District Graduation Policy

Participation in any Madison County School Graduation is limited to those students who have completed ALL graduation requirements as specified by the MCSD School Board and the Mississippi State Board of Education. In addition, students participating in graduation shall comply with all rules and regulations regarding attendance at practice for graduation exercises, proper dress and/or attire, and any other regulation deemed appropriate.

Bruckner’s Photography – Graduation Pictures

Bruckner’s Photography will be available to take pictures at the Mississippi Coliseum on Graduation Day. They will be set up to take pictures before the ceremony from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. They will also be available to take individual pictures of graduates as they receive their diploma. Students planning on having pictures made before the ceremony should arrive at the Coliseum **NO LATER THAN 10:00 a.m.** Picture information packets for these graduation pictures will be given out during the graduation practice.

Graduate Services – Cap and Gown Orders

Seniors who have not yet ordered a cap and gown may order online at www.gradservicesmstn.com or must make individual arrangements with Herff Jones Graduate Services located at 232 W. School St. in Ridgeland (601-898-7883). You will need to pay the graduation fee with an assessed late fee. If you do not plan to participate in graduation, you will need to pay the diploma fee to Graduate Services. You will be able to pick up your diploma on Monday, May 20, at the school, provided all fees are paid.