



Charter School for Applied Technologies

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Seniors and Families,

Earlier this month, we sent home a survey regarding different options for this year's graduation ceremony. We received responses from 73 seniors and 65 family members, the majority of whom voted in favor of one evening graduation ceremony at an alternate venue. Before we proceed with this plan, we want to clearly outline the current details and Covid-19 restrictions to ensure that this is the best choice for our graduates and their families.

If we choose to have a ceremony at a venue, such as Kleinhan's Music Hall:

- We will provide a formal ceremony in which all seniors can graduate together.
- Families will, at this time, **be restricted to two (2) tickets.**
- **Families may have to pay for parking at Kleinhan's.**
- **Attendees may have to provide a negative Covid test or proof of vaccination.**

The two alternate options are listed below for you to review:

1. **Two Separate Ceremonies at CHSAT** – due to limited space, we will have two ceremonies (one afternoon/one evening) for graduates. The ceremony will take place on the grounds of CHSAT. This option will allow more guests than a closed venue, as it will be outdoors, however, capacity will still be limited and social distancing will be enforced.
2. **“Drive Thru” Graduation** – Students will graduate one at a time throughout the day. Students will cross the stage and receive their diplomas at a designated time. Graduates are allowed one carload of guests as well as an opportunity for more guests to park and walk up to watch the walk.

Please contact us via email with any further questions, concerns or feedback, or if you are happy with this option. We would like to hear back from families by Tuesday, November 23rd so a final decision can be made.

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