



MONTGOMERY COUNTY EARLY COLLEGE

Montgomery County Schools/Montgomery Community College Partnership
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September 28, 2020

Dear Senior Students and Parents/Guardians,

Congratulations on being a part of the 2021 graduating class of Montgomery County Early College! Your senior year is going to be very busy and full of memorable events. Please review the following important information regarding dates and relevant details.

Important Information

Senior Fees: Senior fees are \$55. Senior fees are used to pay for diplomas, diploma covers, graduation rentals, and senior dinner. Fees may be paid in installments or in full to the front office. (No checks accepted after March 31.)

Cap and Gown: All students must purchase a cap and gown prior to March 31, 2021. Cap and gowns are worn during cap and gown individual and group photos, Senior Awards Night, and Graduation. Please order online at www.jostens.com

School Fees: All school fees must be paid no later than **May 1, 2021**. School fees may include senior fees, sports fees, cafeteria fees, textbook fees, yearbook fees, technology fees and club fees. **Any student with outstanding debt will not receive graduation tickets and will not be permitted to graduate. Students paying after March 31st must pay with cash.** If you have any questions regarding fees, please contact the following individuals:

Cafeteria Fees – Mandy Georgepul

Senior Fees and other outstanding fees – Kristy Buchman

Yearbook Fees – Heather Beane

Technology Fees – Mandy Georgepul

Club Fees – Club sponsor

Athletic Uniforms/Fees - Coach

Behavior: Seniors must follow all school rules until the last day of class. Students who engage in inappropriate behavior risk being suspended and not being able to participate in senior activities, including graduation. **Senior pranks of any kind are not permitted. Any student that participates in a senior prank will not be able to participate in senior activities, including graduation.**

Grades: Seniors must maintain good academic standing and meet all graduation requirements.

Attendance: Montgomery County Early College students can have no more than eight total (excused and unexcused) absences in a high school class per semester. Any senior with absences in excess of this amount will result in the student not receiving credit for the class.

Required Attendance at Events: Please refer to the chart below and put the required dates in your calendar. These events are mandatory.

MCC Graduation Application: Students must apply for graduation from MCC the semester prior to graduation. Please complete this process by November 2. Mrs. New will assist with this during fall schedule conferences.



Schedule of Senior Events

(Dates may be subject to change)

Date	Event	Time	Location	Information	Attire
October 1, 2020	Drive-Through Report Card Pickup	1:00PM – 6:00PM	MCEC		
October 1, 2020	Yearbook Senior Ads Due			Contact Ms. Beane if you have questions	
October 19 – 30, 2020	Free College Application Weeks	Two Weeks		Contact Mrs. New or English IV teacher if you have any questions.	
October 26 –30 2020	Homecoming Week	All Week	TBD	See Ms. Beane if you have questions	
December 4, 2020	Academic Pep Rally	TBD	TBD		
December 9 - 16, 2020	MCC Final Exams	TBD	TBD	Exam Schedule will vary based on student's schedule	
December 11 – 17, 2020	1st Semester High School Exams	TBD	TBD	Exam Schedule will vary based on student's schedule	
December 18, 2020	MCC Semester Ends				
January 22, 2021	Academic Awards	TBD	TBD	REQUIRED EVENT	
February 25, 2021	Open House/Project Night	TBD	MCEC Teacher Classrooms	Voluntary Event	
Date TBD	Prom	TBD	TBD	Voluntary Event	Prom Attire



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April 20, 2021	Senior Parent Night	6:00 PM	Multi-purpose Room	Information will be shared about graduation, scholarships, transcripts, etc.	
Date TBD	Cap & Gown Pictures	Starting at 8:00 AM	TBD	All students should get their picture made, but they are not required to buy one.	Cap & Gown Same dress code as graduation (see explanation for May 24, 2021).
May 1, 2021	All School Fees Due			Any students with outstanding debt will not receive graduation tickets and will not be permitted to graduate.	
May 12, 2021	MCC Graduation	TBD			Cap and Gown- Same dress code as graduation (see explanation for May 24, 2021).
May 13, 2021	Kickball Tournament	TBD	Peabody Park	REQUIRED EVENT	
May 14, 2021	Academic Pep Rally	1:15 PM	Multi-purpose room	REQUIRED EVENT	
May 14, 2021 (Tentative Date)	Graduation Walk at Elementary Schools	TBD	MCS Elementary Schools	REQUIRED EVENT	Cap and Gown- Same dress code as graduation (see explanation for May 24, 2021).
May 17, 2021	Yearbook Dedication	1:15 PM	Multi-purpose room	REQUIRED EVENT	



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May 17, 2021	Senior Breakfast, Senior Slide Show and Graduation Practice	9:00 AM	TBD	REQUIRED EVENT	
May 17, 2021	Senior Awards Night	6:00 PM	TBD	REQUIRED EVENT	Cap and Gown- Same dress code as graduation (see explanation for May 24, 2021).
May 19 – 25, 2021	2 nd Semester High School Final Exams	TBD	TBD	Exam Schedule will vary based on student's schedule	
May 20, 2021	Final Graduation Practice	3:00	Report to assigned areas	REQUIRED EVENT	Tickets for graduation will be distributed.
May 24, 2021 (Tentative Date)	Graduation	Seniors will need to report to assigned areas. 6:30 Montgomery Central Auditorium	Report to assigned areas	Reminders: ✓ No cell phones ✓ No gum ✓ No sunglasses	Cap & Gown Gentlemen: ✓ Shirt with collar ✓ Tie ✓ Dress pants or khakis ✓ No flip flops , no tennis shoes Ladies: ✓ Dress or skirt/dress slacks with appropriate top ✓ Dress shoes No flip flops



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Dress code will be enforced for all senior events. If a student arrives inappropriately dressed, the student will not be allowed to leave school to make changes. They will be allowed to choose appropriate clothing from the "MCEC Clothes Closet" or parent can bring appropriate clothing to student.

Graduation is a momentous occasion not only for the seniors, but also for their parents, families, and friends. For that reason, the ceremony is to be held with dignity and courtesy to others. **All participants are expected to conduct themselves in a manner appropriate for the occasion, including the manner you walk across the stage. Any inappropriate behavior may result in your diploma being held pending a meeting with administration.**

It has been an honor to serve as your high school principal. I wish you the best in your future endeavors. Congratulations class of 2021!

If you have any questions please contact me at (910) 898-9690.

Sincerely,

Dr. Heather Seawell, Principal