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CLASS OF

2019

Senior Handbook



To Saugus High School's Class of 2019:

On behalf of the Saugus High School community, I want to congratulate you on the hard work, perseverance, and personal dedication you have demonstrated over the past four years.

The last semester of Senior year is a special time that will provide you with some of life's greatest memories. Whether it's Prom, the CAPR Awards, or graduation, it's imperative that you stay engaged both academically and socially with school. Most importantly, please do not allow your academic performance to diminish, as college admissions and graduation continue to be a work in progress. The goals still need to be achieved.

Many of you have undoubtedly delineated your "next steps" after high school, and for some of you, the "next steps" still seem a bit unclear or even a little intimidating. Regardless of where you fit on the spectrum, be confident in knowing that you have the skills and abilities to achieve whatever aspirations you set for yourself, and never let self-doubt or lack of effort prohibit you from reaching your goals.

I am grateful for your contributions to Saugus High School and for the role you have played in making Saugus High School a community rooted in kindness, hard work, and lifelong learning.

As you transition into your post-secondary lives, please stay connected to Saugus High School and let us know about the great things you are accomplishing.

Go Cents!

Vince Ferry  
Principal  
Saugus High School



Dear Class of 2019,

Over the last four years, we have had the opportunity to grow with one another, laugh and share many memories with each other that will last a lifetime. The class of 2019 is one of integrity, intelligence, and creativity and has proven to be a group of young individuals who achieve greatness. From Blue Crew at football games, basketball games or even just our sections in rallies, we have become a family. As we end this year I want to say thank you to each and every one of you for making my experience at Saugus High School one that is unforgettable. I am so proud to have served this class for the last four years and to have gotten the chance to make so many new friendships with people. I hope the memories you have created on this campus will leave a lasting impact as we go our separate ways. As we close this chapter of loving friendships, happiness and unforgettable moments, we open another one filled with greatness and opportunities. I wish you all the best of luck in the future and hope you all will cherish these last few days we will spend together. Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve as your class president, it has been one of the most rewarding and humbling experiences. Good luck to everyone, much love.

Grace Lin  
Senior Class President  
2018-2019



Dear Class of 2019,

It has been my absolute honor to serve as your ASB Executive President for this past school year. I have loved every second of being in this position, and being able to serve our amazing school. The past four years have been truly incredible, from the energetic rallies, to the memorable dances, and everything in between. I would like to say a personal thank you to all of you, the Senior Class of 2019, for giving me the opportunity to be your Executive President this school year. This position has truly shaped me into the person I am today, and I could not be more grateful for all I have been able to do via this presidency. I wish you all the best of luck in your future endeavors, whether that be community college, a four-year university, trade school, etc. My one key piece of advice is to always remember that hard work beats talent when talent doesn't work hard.

Sincerely,  
Jacob Powell, ASB President  
2018-2019



# *Senior Handbook*

This handbook is designed to assist you in planning for your upcoming senior activities. These activities are specifically for graduating seniors.

## *Standards of Conduct*

School rules and regulations are expected to be followed at all senior activities. A student possessing any controlled substance or being under the influence at any senior event will be suspended from school and may be excluded from subsequent activities, including the graduation ceremony. Appropriate behavior and regular school attendance is expected in order to participate in senior activities.





## *Senior Classroom Visits*

Date: April 8 – 12, 2019

Place: Government and Economics Classes

All Government and Economic classes will be visited by Mr. Ferry, Mr. Bahr, Mr. Garrett, Mrs. Hamburger, or Mrs. Peterson Henry to discuss the senior contract and appropriate behavior at the graduation ceremony.

## *College Acceptance Group Picture*

Date: April 19, 2019

Time: 1:00 PM

Place: Gym

All seniors having been accepted by a college with intent to attend that college are invited to have their picture taken in the Gym. Please wear your college t-shirt or sweatshirt. This will be a group photo.

# *Junior / Senior Prom*

**‘Bright Lights, Big City’**

**Date: April 27, 2019**

**Time: 7:00 PM – 12:00 AM**

**Place: L.A. Center Studios**

This is a formal dinner dance. Young men and young ladies are required to wear formal attire. All students must wear shoes at the venue at all times.

All guests must be ages 14-20.

**Photographs: Individual photographs will be taken by O’Connor Photography AT THE VENUE ONLY!**

**Promenade Rules:** All guests must be in classrooms by 4:45 PM. The promenade will begin shortly thereafter, or as soon as all students have arrived. Buses will leave for the venue as soon as they are all loaded. All buses will leave at the same time. All students will be required to ride the luxury coaches to and from the prom. All compliances as outlined in the prom contract will be enforced.

**PARENTS:** Please respect all of the boundaries of the promenade. There will be fencing in the promenade area. All family and friends here to watch the promenade must stay in designated viewing areas. The promenade will walk through the gym and seating will be available. Please only enter the promenade through the front gates of the school. Gym doors will be open for parents to find seats in the gym. There will be no parents allowed in the bus staging/blacktop area behind the gym, or in the promenade staging classrooms.

## ***ASB Financial Obligations***

Date: Thursday, April 25, 2019

Time: 1:00 PM

Seniors must pay all financial obligations by the above date.

**ASB WILL ONLY ACCEPT;**



## ***Senior Luau and Yearbook Distribution***

Date: May 20, 2019

Time: 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Place: Saugus High School

At this pre-distribution yearbook event, seniors will have the first opportunity to pick-up their pre-paid yearbooks along with purchasing autograph pages and covers. On this night, books may be purchased for \$100 in the ASB office (cash or credit card only). Tickets will be sold for \$20 at the door. The ticket includes dinner, photo booth, and activities listed above. (Senior packets include a Luau ticket.)

## ***C.A.P.R.***

Date: May 21, 2019

Time: 6:00 PM

Place: Saugus High School Gym

This evening provides us with an opportunity for seniors and their families to recognize academic excellence, recipients of college scholarships, community service and various other achievements. This is a dignified event and students should dress accordingly.

**This event is by invitation only.**

## ***SAMMY Awards***

Date: May 22, 2019

Time: 6:00 PM

Place: Saugus High School Amphitheater

SAMMY Awards are the Saugus version of the ESPY Awards. These awards are given each year to the athlete that best exemplifies what SAMMY stands for: Saugus Athletes Modeling Meritorious Youth. Each winner receives a medal. Four-year athletes are also recognized at this ceremony.

## ***Senior Final Exam and Academic Requirement Deadline***

**Date: May 28 & May 29, 2019**

**Time: Special Block Schedule**

All seniors must have completed all academic requirements i.e. (projects, assignments, tests, etc.) prior to **3:00 PM on May 29, 2019**.

Subject to individual teacher requirements.

All requirements must be met before Saugus High School can certify a graduate. Seniors failing to meet graduation requirements cannot participate in the graduation ceremony. Final determination will be made on **May 30, 2019 at noon**.

## ***Library-Textbook Clearance/ Senior Financial Obligations***

**Date: May 30, 2019**

**Time: 3:00 PM**

**Place: Library**



Seniors must have their textbooks and library books returned by the above date and time to avoid being fined for lost books. All fines for damages and overdue books must be paid in cash.

## ***Senior Class Meeting, Panorama Photo and Cap and Gown Issuance***

**Date: June 3, 2019**

**Time: 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM**

**Place: Gymnasium**

Graduating seniors will pick up their cap and gown at this time. The cap and gown will be worn for the panoramic picture. Seniors who have not ordered a cap and gown should be prepared to pay \$50 CASH at the time of cap and gown issuance. Every effort should be made to have their gown neatly pressed before it is worn at graduation.

An 8" x 24" color panoramic picture will be taken of the entire class dressed in caps and gowns. The cost will be \$20 for a print, including tax and mailing, \$25 if purchased online. Money should be placed into the proper envelope. Panoramic pictures will be mailed directly to you. Senior video is available for \$20.00 (Video is included in Senior packs)





## *Graduation Practice*

Date: June 4, 2019

Time: 7:30 AM

Place: College of the Canyons

Seniors must attend graduation practice if they wish to participate in the actual graduation ceremony. When students arrive at COC they should find their assigned seat on the field.

## *Graduation Tickets*

Tickets for the ceremony will be distributed at graduation practice to all seniors. Each senior will be allotted 10 tickets. If you need more than 10, please check with friends. If someone in your family needs handicapped seating, we will allow **one escort** to accompany the handicapped person in the handicapped seating area. Please call the school office if handicapped seating is needed.

## *Graduation*

Date: June 4, 2019

Time: 7:00 PM

Place: College of the Canyons

All graduates are to report to the COC East gym by 6:00 PM. Graduates are reminded that appropriate attire should be worn for this event, i.e., skirts, blouses, shirts, ties, etc. Flower lei's, cell phones and cameras are permitted as long as they do not interfere with the dignity of the ceremony.

## *Grad Night*

Date: June 5, 2019

Time: 12:00 PM – 3:30 AM

Place: **DISNEYLAND PARKS**



### **NO FOOD OR DRINKS ALLOWED ON BUS OR IN PARK.**

No food or drinks will be supplied; students must purchase their own meals. No discount for season pass holders. No refunds on tickets. Any attendees found or suspected to be under the influence of any controlled substance will be immediately turned over to park authorities and parents will be notified. Attendees must uphold district policies and Disneyland Park policies throughout the event. In the event that you do not meet graduation requirements, you will not be able to attend, and there will be no refund.

All students attending Grad Night **MUST** ride in the coach buses provided by the school. No private vehicles are allowed for transportation.

## *Expectations of Graduation Participants*

Graduation is an important and dignified ceremony, which has significant meaning for the graduating seniors, parents, families and Saugus High School staff. The ceremony signifies the successful culmination of 13 years of hard work and effort by hundreds of students.

As in past years, we are having seniors sign formal agreements regarding respectful participation in our ceremony. We will be increasing the number of event security on the field to insure that any student caught in the act of creating any kind of disturbance will be escorted out of the stadium. The contract will be mailed home to parents of seniors and must be returned to the receptionist before receiving your cap and gown. Copies will also be available at the reception desk.

All students will be checked for proper dress in the staging area prior to the start of pomp and circumstance. All students are to bring their cap and gowns to the upper field and will be instructed to put them on at an appropriate time. Any student found to be dressed inappropriately will not be allowed to march to the stadium. Gowns are to remain zipped at all times.

## *Diploma Pick Up*

Graduates will only receive the cover of their diploma during the ceremony. The actual diploma will be distributed in the COC concession area immediately following the graduation **to senior students ONLY with ID card. No Parent Pick-up allowed.** Diplomas are not mailed home.

## *Transcript Deadline*

Graduating seniors will need to use the **Naviance Portal** to order their final transcript for the college they would like their final transcript sent to. Students will need to send a final transcript (showing proof of graduation) to the College, University or Trade School that they plan on attending, **including COC and the NCAA.** **One final transcript per senior is provided at no cost.** The last day to request your final transcript is **May 24th.**

## **Transcript Request - Naviance Portal Instructions**

- From the Saugus website, under quick links, log into Naviance using your Student ID# for username and 6-digit birthdate for password
- Read the opening paragraph and select the “Colleges” tab
- Select “Transcripts”
- Select “Request Transcript for My Colleges”
- Select “Type of Decision” and select the college you would like your transcript sent to
- Select “Request Transcripts” at the bottom of the page

## *Class of 2019 Events*

April 8 – 12	Senior Classroom Visits
April 19	College Acceptance Photo
April 25	ASB Financial Obligation Deadline
April 27	Junior/Senior Prom
May 20	Senior Luau and Yearbook Distribution
May 21	C.A.P.R. Awards
May 22	S.A.M.M.Y. Awards
May 24	Transcript Deadline (Naviance Portal)
May 28 & 29	Senior Final Exams
May 30	Academic Requirement Deadline
May 30	Library Textbook Clearance
June 3	Senior Class Meeting
June 3	Cap and Gown Issuance
June 3	Panoramic Photo
June 4	Graduation Practice and Ticket Distribution
June 4	Graduation and Diploma Pick Up
June 5	Grad Night



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