

Class of 2020 Newsletter

Congratulations to Gibson Ek's class of 2020! This newsletter is meant to help families sort through the many requirements, deadlines and celebrations packed into May and June.

GRADUATION CELEBRATION
Thursday, June 11
1:00 PM @ Home
Virtual Graduation Video
2:30-4:00 PM
Diploma Pick Up @ GEHS

KEY DATES

May 29	Senior surveys due
May 29	Slideshow Pictures Due
June 1-8	Senior Exhibitions
June 5	All work must be submitted to advisor
June 5	Laptop Return & Legacy Handprint & Yearbook pick up
June 10	Virtual Senior Breakfast & Grad Information, 11 am
June 11	Graduation, 1 pm video Diploma Pick Up, 2:30-4:00

Meeting Graduation Requirements

Seniors must be cleared by their advisor, counselor and administrator. Staff will verify the following requirements, starting in early June:

- Competencies
- Senior Project
- Internship
- Math (85%)
- Writing Portfolio
- Learning Plans
- Exhibitions (including final June reflection)
- State Tests
- Senior Survey
- Fines Cleared
- Laptop Returned

Virtual Graduation & Drive-in Diploma Pick Up

On Thursday, June 11 at 1:00 pm, the Class of 2020 Graduation Video will premiere for families to view at home. Check your email or Gibson Ek website on Thursday for the link. From 2:30-4:00 seniors (and immediate family) can come to Gibson Ek in their caps and gowns to pick up diplomas. Please see the website for details about pick up and safe distancing practices:

<https://bit.ly/GEHS2020> .

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Please contact your student's advisor with questions about academic progress or graduation status.

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EVENT DETAILS

Caps, Gowns and Announcements

All seniors who ordered a cap and gown have received items from Jostens.

Senior Slideshow

Please email photos of seniors to Eleanor Brecht at brecele20@gibsonek.org to include in the senior slideshow. Please send your baby picture and any other photos by May 29.

Laptop Return, Legacy Handprint & Yearbooks

June 5 (time varies). Come to Gibson Ek to return your school-issued laptop, leave your handprint on the tree outside of the front door, and pick up your yearbook. Last chance to retrieve anything from the building that you may have left. Arrive at your assigned time:

Hillary's Advisory: 10-10:30AM

Rachel's Advisory: 10:30-11AM

Lori's Advisory: 11-11:30AM

Lena's Advisory: 11:30-12PM

Victoria's Advisory: 12-12:30PM

Andy's Advisory: 12:30-1PM

Ben's Advisory: 1-1:30PM

Karin's Advisory: 1:30-2PM

Colin's Advisory: 2-2:30PM

Senior Survey

All seniors must complete the [Senior Survey](#).

Senior Exhibitions

In lieu of senior exhibitions this year, each advisor will share information about a final senior reflection. It will include your portfolio and senior project, so be sure to continue working on these.

Senior Breakfast

June 10 @ 11:00AM Virtual Breakfast. Grab your coffee/tea/smoothie/oatmeal/bacon & eggs and join the Zoom to watch the senior slideshow and receive information about graduation. Look for the email with the join code.

Graduation Ceremony

June 11 @ 1:00

Watch the video at home. Link will be in email and on GEHS website. Come to Gibson Ek in cap and gown, anytime between 2:30 and 4:00 to pick up your diploma.

Transcripts

Gibson Ek will mail one official transcript to student's college/program. To request an official transcript, [please complete this form](#).

Diplomas

Any diplomas not picked up at graduation may be picked up on June 18, 19, or 22