

# Dates to Remember for CHS Seniors 2018-2019

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Please, keep checking this site for additional information though out the year.

Graduation will be held on May 23, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. at Tropicana Field.  
Graduation information listed below. Please see the Commencement Bulletin for more information on our website under Clubs and Activities" then "Senior Pages"

## GRADUATION INFORMATION

Graduation will be held on May 23, 2019 at Tropicana Field from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

There are two separate fees for graduation:

1. Cap/Gown, and Diploma Cover - Varies with package you choose. Please, see order form.

- Please, contact Herff Jones on how to order your cap and gown.
- Contact Information for Herff Jones:
  - Phone: 727-545-3288
  - Website: [www.herffjonestampabay.com](http://www.herffjonestampabay.com)
  - E-mail: herffjones2@verizon.net
- If paying by check, the check would be made payable to Herff Jones. You can also order online at [www.herffjonestampabay.com](http://www.herffjonestampabay.com)
- Graduation announcements are an extra fee.

2. Graduation Fees - \$45 - Check or Cash (Checks made payable to Countryside High School.)

Checks will be accepted until April 26, 2019, then only cash will be accepted.

Graduations fees paid on Tuesday and Fridays during both lunches by the front office.

- Graduation fees can by paid by cash or check (checks would be payable to Countryside High School.
- This fee covers the venue site at the Tropicana Field in St. Petersburg and other costs related to the ceremony.
- Extra gold forms can be found in the front office.

## **Additional Important Information:**

3. Every senior must fill out the Gold Application for Graduation form whether you are walking or not. If you need a copy of the gold form, you can find it in the front office.

Required Dress for Countryside High School graduation:

- Men must wear a collared dress shirt (preferably white) with a necktie (preferably dark), socks (preferably dark) and dress shoes, and dark trousers (no jeans or casual pants allowed).
- Women should wear a dress that is not visible at the gown's neckline, cuff or hemline. Pantsuits are acceptable. Purses should be kept with parents. Gowns look much nicer when they are pressed. No paraphernalia such as corsages, etc. may be worn on the gown.
- Faculty and staff will check each student for appropriate attire, appearance and demeanor.

4. Information about parking, the appropriate entrance to use, and other misc. information will be distributed in early May 2019 at the graduation rehearsal held in the auditorium of Countryside High School. Tickets are not required to attend graduation at Tropicana Field, and there is no limit to the number of guests who can attend.
5. If you have any obligations such as textbooks, library books or other fees owed to the school, you must pay by check (payable to Countryside High School), cash or money order. Checks will only be accepted for fees of \$30.00 or more; otherwise, you must pay by cash or money order. Checks will be accepted until April 26, 2019. After that, only cash will be accepted.
6. If you want to attend Prom and Senior Breakfast, all obligations must be paid to attend the event. If you want to find out if you have any textbook obligations, please, contact Lonneta Alexander at [alexanderlo@pcsb.org](mailto:alexanderlo@pcsb.org)  
Checks will be accepted until April 26, 2019. After that, only cash will be accepted.

**Attention Seniors!** If you ordered **senior announcements** and have not picked them up. Please stop by the front office during your lunch or after school to pick them up. Please make sure you have a photo ID with you.

Contact: Ms. Mency [mencym@pcsb.org](mailto:mencym@pcsb.org)

Attentions seniors! If you ordered your **cap and gown** and did not pick them up when Herff Jones was on campus, please stop by the front office during lunch or after school to pick them up. Please make sure to bring your photo ID.

**Herff Jones Contact Information:**

- Phone: 727-545-3288
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**Attention Seniors - Please see Ms. Canfield in the AP office to fill out your final transcript request.**

Contact: Ms. Canfield [canfieldr@pcsb.org](mailto:canfieldr@pcsb.org)

**Graduation fees** will be collected during both lunches on Tuesdays and Fridays. The cost is \$45.00, and we accept cash or check (**please, checks will be accepted until April 26, 2019**). If you are paying by check, please make the check payable to Countryside High School.

<b>Potential senior fees for 2019 graduates - info subject to change</b>	
Cap and Gown - Make check made payable to Herff Jones.	Varies by package
Graduation Announcements - Make check made payable to Herff Jones.	Varies by purchase
Graduation Application Fee Cash or money order will only accepted after April 26, 2019	\$45.00

**May 20 - May 21** - Senior Exams - Bell schedule can be found on our website.

**Thursday, May 23** - Graduation will be held on May 23, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. at Tropicana Field.