

## Class of 2023 Graduation Ceremony Audition Information



## 2023 GRADUATION SONGS AUDITION INFORMATION

- National Anthem and Graduation song auditions will be held on Wednesday, March 22, 2023 in room 312 beginning at 2:20 PM.
- Sign-up sheets for the song auditions will be in the Student Govt. room 626 beginning Monday,
   March 6, 2023 (you must sign up in order to audition). The deadline to sign up is Friday,
   March 10, 2023. You may sign up during lunches only in the Student Govt room 626.
- You may have as many "seniors only" in a group or solo.
- You may audition with your own accompaniment (piano or CD).
- You may audition for the National Anthem and/or song. Any version of the National Anthem is acceptable. It may be sung acapella, with a piano or CD.
- The song MUST be appropriate for graduation. Please bring your music to the audition.
- All singers must be available to go to a practice at the State Farm Stadium on Thursday,
   May 18, 2023 at 9:45 AM. THIS IS MANDATORY!

## 2023 GRADUATION INSPIRATION SPEECH AUDITION INFORMATION

- Inspiration speech auditions will be held Thursday, March 23, 2023 in room 212 starting at 2:20 PM.
- Sign-up sheets for the speech auditions will be in the Student Govt. room 626 beginning Monday, March 6, 2023 (you must sign up in order to audition). The deadline to sign up is Friday, March 10, 2023. You may sign up during lunches only in the Student Govt room 626.
- Your speech must be written and delivered at the time of the audition. It does not have to be memorized and notes may be used. Please bring 6 copies of the speech when auditioning.
- The time limit is 2.5 minutes.
- Criteria for judging will include:
  - Volume
  - Articulation
  - Eye contact
  - Conviction
  - Substantial and worthwhile content
  - Appeal to the audience
- All speakers must be available to go to a practice at the State Farm Stadium on Thursday,
   May 18, 2023 at 9:45 AM. THIS IS MANDATORY!