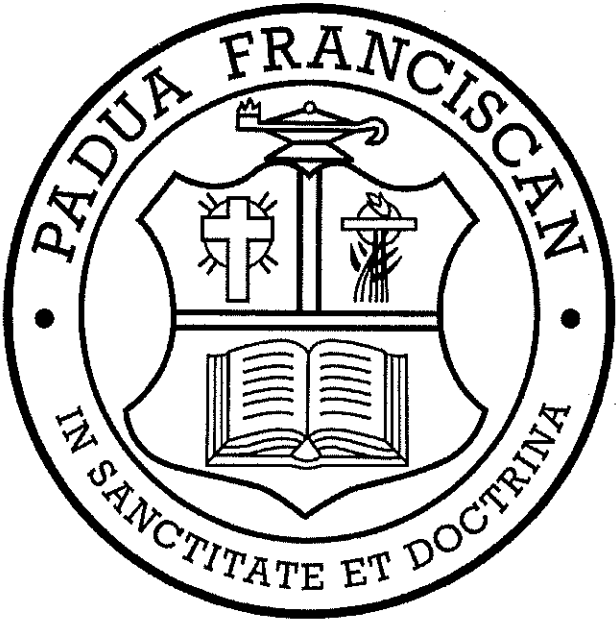


# Senior Graduation Information Packet



**2019**

## IMPORTANT DATES 2019

April 25	Thursday	Last day to turn in scholarships/awards for Graduation Program.
April 29	Monday	Graduation practice permission slips distributed during English classes.
May 2	Thursday	Graduation practice permission slips <b>DUE</b> to English teachers.
May 10	Friday	Prom at St. Michael's Woodside – 6 p.m. until 11 p.m. No School for Seniors! <b>Be at your table for dinner at 7 p.m.</b>
May 10-11	Friday	After Prom, Brecksville Recreation Center – 11 p.m. until 2:00 a.m. (This is NOT a Padua-sponsored event.)
May 13	Monday	School resumes for seniors. <b>There is NO "Senior Cut Day"</b>
May 17	Friday	Graduation practice, Holy Family Church—11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Practice will begin as soon as all arrive. We <u>may</u> finish before 2:30 if cooperation allows the practice to run smoothly. <b>Attendance is mandatory</b> and will be taken by senior homerooms teachers.
May 20	Monday	All tuition, fines and fees to Padua <b>MUST BE PAID IN FULL.</b>
May 20	Monday	Senior Final Exam Week
May 21	Tuesday	All textbooks must be returned at the time of the exam and/or
May 22	Wednesday	textbook fines paid.
May 23	Thursday	
May 24	Friday	Senior Awards Assembly, Padua Gym—8:00 until 10:30 a.m. Arrive no later than 7:30-alphabetical line-up in the basement.
May 28	Tuesday	Baccalaureate Mass, St. Anthony of Padua Church—7:00 p.m. All seniors and their families are encouraged to attend.
May 31	Friday	Commencement, Holy Family Church—7:00 p.m. <b><u>Admission by ticket only.</u></b> Catered reception for all Seniors and their families immediately following Commencement in the Fr. Costello Community Center.

# **SENIOR EXAMS & TEXTBOOK OBLIGATIONS**

May 20, 21, 22, 23

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

**All textbooks must be turned in and all textbook fines must be paid at the time of each semester exam.**

If your textbook is not turned in and/or a textbook fine is not paid, you will not receive your diploma. Please take care of these matters before your final exams.

**SEE NEXT PAGE FOR EXAM SCHEDULE**

## **THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL AWARDS ASSEMBLY**

Friday, May 24, 2019

8:00 a.m. until 10:30 a.m.

Padua Franciscan High School Gymnasium

Seniors must report to the basement halls by 7:30 a.m. and line up alphabetically. Your homeroom teacher will be there to assist with this. We will then process up to the gym for the assembly.

You must wear your cap, gown and tassel to the assembly. The cap is to be worn flat on your head and the tassel should be on the left. Attire besides the cap and gown should be **formal**. Boys must be in **shirt and tie** as well as **dress pants and dress shoes**. Girls should be in dresses or suits with appropriate footwear – **no flip-flops!** The white gowns allow brightly colored dresses or suits to show through, so be careful to wear a color or print that will not show through the white gown. **Normal dress code rules involving shaving, hair and jewelry (i.e, earrings, nose rings, etc.) apply for this event.** There will be no gum chewing!

The Awards Assembly is a serious time for us. This is our opportunity to celebrate the accomplishments of you and your classmates before the entire school community. Your parents are invited to attend this event. (Remember, **only those scholarship and financial awards given to the Guidance Department by Thursday, April 25, 2019** will be announced at the **Awards Assembly.**)

## 2019 SENIOR EXAM SCHEDULE

Exams for class periods 1<sup>st</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> will be taken during regular periods on Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.

Exams for class periods 5/6<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> will be on Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> and Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

On all days, once you arrive at school, you must stay until your last exam is over. Please do not disturb the rest of the school. Leave the building and parking lot right after your last exam. Please remember that St. Anthony school children will be having morning and lunch recess in the adjoining parking lot. Please be very careful entering and exiting the parking lot. Any detentions given on Mon/Tues will be served on Wednesday. Wed/Thurs detentions will be served on Thursday.

### Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**

Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
8:00	8:48	9:33	10:18
8:44	9:29	10:14	10:59

### Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**

Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
8:00	8:48	9:33	10:18
8:44	9:29	10:14	10:59

### Wednesday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> (Homeroom Schedule)

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**

Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

5/6 <sup>th</sup>	6/7 <sup>th</sup>	7/8 <sup>th</sup>	8/9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>
11:11		11:54		1:07	1:50
11:50		12:33		1:46	2:29
	11:41		12:24		
	12:20		1:03		

### Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>

You do not need to be here until your first exam. **Go directly to the cafeteria.**

Do not go to your lockers! You may leave after your last exam of the day.

5/6 <sup>th</sup>	6/7 <sup>th</sup>	7/8 <sup>th</sup>	8/9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>
11:03		11:48		1:03	1:48
11:44		12:29		1:44	2:29
	11:33		12:18		
	12:14		12:59		

### Friday, May 24<sup>th</sup> Senior Awards Assembly

## COMMENCEMENT TICKETS

Tickets to Commencement will be passed out at the graduation practice. Each senior will receive **four** tickets to this event. If you are in need of more than four tickets, you must find a classmate who is not in need of all four of their tickets. There may be a limited number of extra tickets available for special circumstances. The procedure for distribution of these tickets that might be available will be given at the graduation practice. Seniors themselves do not need tickets. Underclassmen siblings can serve as ushers for Commencement and would not need a ticket. If a graduating senior has a sibling(s) who are sophomores or juniors at Padua, they may submit their sibling(s) names(s) to Mr. Giulivo or Mrs. DeCesare at graduation practice, Friday, May 17. Sibling-ushers will be notified in writing by Mrs. DeCesare and Mr. Giulivo.

## GRADUATION PRACTICE

Friday, May 17, 2019  
11:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.  
Holy Family Church  
7367 York Road, Parma

Graduation ceremonies will take place at Holy Family Church in Parma. Students do not have to come to school before graduation practice. **All seniors must arrive at Holy Family Church NO LATER than 11 a.m.** Attendance is MANDATORY and will be taken. Any student not present will have a phone call made to a parent. With cooperation we anticipate this practice will be completed before 2:30 p.m. Times are estimated.

**PERMISSION SLIPS FOR THE GRADUATION PRACTICE WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO ALL SENIORS IN ENGLISH CLASS ON MONDAY, Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, AND WILL BE DUE BACK BY THURSDAY, MAY 2<sup>nd</sup>, TO YOUR ENGLISH TEACHER.**

## FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS

Monday, May 20<sup>th</sup>

**All tuition, fines and fees to Padua must be paid by this date no later than 9 a.m.**

If your fees have not been paid or if you owe money for fines, you cannot take your final exams. Please take care of all debts owed to Padua through the Business Office.

# BACCALAUREATE MASS

Tuesday, May 28, 2019

7:00 p.m.

St. Anthony of Padua Church

The Senior Baccalaureate Mass is a time for prayer and reflection as a class. It is a wonderful Mass that reflects on past memories and looks ahead to the future. All seniors and their families are encouraged to attend the Mass. We will be asking representative seniors to participate in various aspects of the Mass. Boys are to dress in suit or sport coat and tie. Girls are to wear dresses or suits. Students will sit with their families.

## COMMENCEMENT

Friday, May 31, 2019, 7:00 p.m.

Holy Family Church

7367 York Road, Parma

**Note to families: Doors to Holy Family Church open at 6:15 p.m.**

Seniors report to the Fr. Costello Community Center's cafeteria **no later than** 6:00 p.m. There will be a designated table for each homeroom. Girls will receive their flowers at this time. You must be in full academic dress (gown, cap and tassel). Boys must be in **shirt and tie** as well as **dress pants and dress shoes**. Girls should be in dresses or suits with appropriate footwear – no flip-flops! The white gowns allow brightly colored dresses or suits to show through, so be careful to wear a color or print that will not show through the white gown. **Normal dress code rules involving shaving, hair and jewelry (i.e, earrings, nose rings, etc.) apply for this event.** There will be no gum chewing!

Your homeroom teacher will assist you in lining up for the procession to Holy Family Church. We will line up inside the cafeteria and process to the church at 6:50 p.m.

Diploma covers will be given to you during the Commencement exercises. Actual diplomas will be distributed in the cafeteria following the ceremonies. To receive your diploma, return to the designated homeroom table from which you lined up IMMEDIATELY following Commencement exercises. **We will only distribute the diplomas for fifteen minutes**, so please save picture taking and visiting until after checking back with your homeroom teacher. If you do not get your diploma in time, you will have to pick it up in the Padua General Office anytime after 8:00 a.m. Monday, June 3 2019.

## CATERED RECEPTION

There will be a catered reception of desserts and beverages in the Fr. Costello Community Center Gymnasium immediately following the Commencement exercises. All graduates and their families are welcome.

# **PERFECT ATTENDANCE:**

Any senior who is trying for perfect attendance should **sign the bottom of this sheet** and *hand it in* to Mrs. Frantz in the Attendance Office as soon as possible to ensure the office has the names of all with perfect attendance.

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline is April 25, 2019**