



ZHS Prom 2023 RULES AND INFORMATION

PROM DATE & TIME: Saturday, April 22, 2023 | 9:00 pm to 12:00 am

PROM THEME & COLORS: Midnight Masquerade | Purple, Black, and Silver

PROM LOCATION: Prom will be held at the **Raising Cane's River Center in Baton Rouge (275 South River Road.)**

YOUR RIDE MUST PICK YOU UP BEFORE OR AT THIS TIME AND NO LATER.

Do not arrive early to take pictures.

ONCE YOU LEAVE PROM, YOU MAY NOT RETURN.

FEES: Juniors \$70.00 (pays for both junior and senior years)

***IF YOU DO NOT PAY YOUR FEE, YOU WILL NOT ATTEND PROM. All fees must be paid by April 6, 2023 to get favors. All students must pay by Wednesday April 19th to attend.**

***If you are suspended through Friday April 21st, you will not attend prom.**

Fee Information: Every junior and senior who attends Zachary High School and goes to prom **MUST** pay a fee.

Fees will be collected in the front office **only**, beginning on **Jan. 23th through March 31st. After March 31st there will be a \$10 late fee. All fees MUST be paid by April 19th.**

If you are a senior and you did not pay last year you must pay the \$70 fee to attend this year. **YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED OR ENCOURAGED TO PAY YOUR DATE'S FEE (if they are a ZHS student.) Prom fees will not be reimbursed for ANY reason. The fee is used to pay for the venue, DJ, lighting, decorations, favors, security, etc.**

You do not need a receipt or ticket to get in. We have your name on a list once you have paid the fee. If you bring a date from another school or an underclassman as your date, **they do not** pay, but you do. You must have a visitor form submitted and approved by administration if your date is from another school. *Forms are located in the main office.*

Bring your school ID or take a picture of it and have it on your phone. Students must show their school ID for admittance to prom.

YOUR DATE:

You may bring a student from another school as your date. The student **does not** have to pay to enter prom. If you bring a freshman or sophomore **DATE** from ZHS, the student **does not** have to pay for prom. **Only juniors and seniors from ZHS must pay a fee.** Remember, this is a FEE not a ticket.

IF YOUR DATE GOES TO ANOTHER SCHOOL, A VISITOR/GUEST PERMISSION FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED TO THE MAIN OFFICE BY April 6th.

FAVORS: Only seniors and juniors who paid a prom fee by March 31st will receive prom favors. You will pick them up the week of prom **on lunch shifts only.**

This is the **ONLY** time you can pick them up. You may not ask any of the prom committee members to give them to you early. Seniors will pick up favors on Monday and Tuesday and Juniors will pick up favors on Wednesday and Thursday the week of prom.

If you break or lose your favors, you will not receive an extra favor.

PROM ATTIRE: Students do not have to dress for the theme of prom; that is optional.

All students must wear formal attire. This may include a dress suit, dress pants and a coat OR a tuxedo. Tuxedo colors are not limited but **MUST** be appropriate for a formal occasion. Students may wear a white tuxedo or other appropriate color. Students may wear a formal or semi-formal dress. **No dress showing the waist or midriff will be acceptable.** Any student wearing attire that does not fit within these parameters will be asked to leave. **CHECK AHEAD OF TIME IF YOU ARE UNSURE.**

****ABSOLUTELY NO SUNGLASSES** will be worn inside of the location where prom is being held.

****With the exception of a single and/or single pair of earrings, ABSOLUTELY NO FACIAL PIERCINGS** will be permitted. This includes non -Zachary High School students. Remember, this is a formal occasion.

*If you are in doubt as to whether an item of clothing will be allowed, do not wear it. Chaperones at the door and in the building will ask you to leave if your attire or your date's attire does not meet the requirements. The chaperone's decision is final. Again, remember **THIS IS A FORMAL EVENT.**

***YOU ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF DRUGS OR ALCOHOL. Drugs and alcohol are not allowed at Zachary High School or at ZHS prom.** These will not be allowed on the premises of the River Center. You will be arrested and suspended or recommended for expulsion if either is found on your person or in your vehicle. **SEVERAL Baton Rouge Police and Zachary Police officers will be on duty at prom, as well as the ZHS administration and faculty.**

ALL ZHS RULES APPLY.

Prom Sponsors:

Mrs. Ernest - Kaci.Ernest@zacharyschools.org

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**Please cooperate and help us make your prom a memorable and safe night.
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