



**ZACHARY HIGH SCHOOL**

**CLASS OF 2025**



**GRADUATION INFORMATION**

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1. Important updates and information are sent out regularly by Mrs. Lipscomb through **REMIND**. If you have not signed up, please do so ASAP. Text [rmd.at/b93a29d](text://rmd.at/b93a29d).
2. Every senior participating in the graduation ceremony (May 20<sup>th</sup> – Raising Cane's River Center) must purchase a cap and gown packet from Jostens. If you have not yet done so, please see Mrs. Olinde in the Counseling Office ASAP.
3. Jostens will be here **Thursday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>**, in the Visual Performing Arts Center during both lunch shifts to distribute senior supplies (including cap & gown). There will be about 8 weeks between receiving your cap and gown and the actual graduation ceremony. It is your responsibility to keep your cap and gown safe and clean.
4. In-House Scholarships will be posted on the Zachary High School webpage under Quick Links on **Thursday, March 13<sup>th</sup>**. The deadline for turning in completed packets is **Wednesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>**. (See attached form for information)
5. Completed senior service hour forms will be collected in the Counseling Office **April 7<sup>th</sup> – April 17<sup>th</sup>**. Make sure your first and last name is on the form.
6. Money owed list and outstanding fees are due by **Monday, April 28<sup>th</sup>**. This includes the **\$100** senior fee, cafeteria debts, textbooks, computers and all extracurricular uniforms.
7. **Senior Exam Schedule:**
  - Monday, May 5<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> hour
  - Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> hour
  - Wednesday, May 7<sup>th</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> hour
  - Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> hour
8. **AP Exam Schedule:** Students must be in **school uniform** to test.
  - Monday, May 5<sup>th</sup> (7:30 - 12:00) – Biology
  - Monday, May 5<sup>th</sup> (11:30 – 3:00) – European History
  - Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> (7:30 - 12:00) – Chemistry
  - Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> (7:30 – 12:00) – Human Geography
  - Tuesday, May 6<sup>th</sup> (11:30 – 3:00) – United State Government
  - Wednesday, May 7<sup>th</sup> (7:30 – 12:00) – English Literature (Eng IV)
  - Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup> (7:30 – 12:00) – Statistics
  - Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup> (11:30 – 3:00) – World History
  - Friday, May 9<sup>th</sup> – Art Portfolio due
  - Friday, May 9<sup>th</sup> (7:30 – 12:00) – United States History
  - Monday, May 12<sup>th</sup> (7:30 - 12:00) – Calculus AB
  - Monday, May 12<sup>th</sup> (7:30 – 12:00) – Calculus BC
  - Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> (11:30 – 3:00) – Environmental Science
  - Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> (7:30 – 12:00) – English Language (Eng III)
  - Friday, May 16<sup>th</sup> (7:30 – 12:00) – Physics 1: Algebra-Based
  - Friday, May 16<sup>th</sup> (11:30 – 3:00) – Psychology

9. **Graduation tickets** will be available for pick up in the Counseling Office starting **Wednesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>**. Only the student or parent will be allowed to pick up and sign for the tickets. To date, each graduate will receive 12 tickets. This number is subject to change based on guidelines and restrictions given closer to the graduation date. Tickets are printed on heat sensitive security paper to avoid duplication. Before tickets are issued, all **fees** must be cleared. This includes textbooks, laptops and extracurricular uniforms. The **LOSFA consent form** must be on file in the Counseling Office. Students must submit the **Standards of Behavior for Graduation form** when tickets are picked up.
10. Senior Honors Night will be **Monday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.** in the gym. All senior awards and scholarships will be presented at this time.
11. Graduation practice will be **Tuesday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m.** Please note, practice will last approximately 3 hours and roll will be taken. **Attendance is required for participation in the ceremony.** Tardiness will not be tolerated. Uniforms are not required for graduation practice; however, you should be dressed appropriately. **NO shorts, tank shirts, no hats, or midriffs showing.**
12. Graduation will be **Tuesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 p.m.** at the Raising Cane's River Center, 275 River Road S, Baton Rouge, LA. Graduates are **required to arrive one hour before the time of graduation (5:30 p.m.)**.
13. Parking information, handicap seating, Raising Cane's River Center guidelines and other pertinent information will be sent out closer to the commencement ceremony.

**Graduation attire:**

- Solid color dress pants, dress shoes, ties and white or light-colored collared shirt.
- Light colored or white dress, dress shoes that are comfortable.
- Nose piercings can only be ONE small stud.
- Facial hair must be neat and well groomed.
- No flip-flops or cowboy boots. Please use caution when choosing your footwear.
- No jeans or joggers.
- Students are **not** allowed to decorate their graduation cap.
- No outside graduation regalia or personal celebratory items can be worn during the ceremony.

**\*\*\*Appropriate graduation attire will be determined by ZHS administration!**

# IMPORTANT DATES:

- PROM FEES ARE CURRENTLY OPEN ON SCHOOLCASH ONLINE; FEES WILL INCREASE 3/15
- 3/13- IN-HOUSE SCHOLARSHIPS OPEN ONLINE
- 3/17 – 3/28 – ORDER SENIOR SHIRT (SCHOOL CASH ONLINE)
- 3/17 – SENIOR SUPERLATIVE NOMINATIONS
- 3/21 – SENIOR SUPERLATIVE VOTING
- 3/24 – SENIOR VIDEO SUBMISSIONS ARE DUE
- 3/31 – 4/3 SENIOR CHALLENGE WEEK
- 4/2 – 4/4 – SENIORS LEAP 2025 RETAKES
- 4/3 – JOSTENS ON CAMPUS TO HAND OUT SENIOR SUPPLIES, CAP & GOWNS
- 4/4 – SENIOR PICNIC/FIELD DAY
- 4/7 – 4/17 – WINDOW FOR TURNING IN SENIOR SERVICE HOURS FORM TO MRS. LIPSCOMB
- 4/9 – DEADLINE FOR TURNING IN ALL IN-HOUSE SCHOLARSHIPS
- 4/10 – SPRING BLOOD DRIVE
- 4/11 – SENIOR CELEBRATION DAY (SENIOR BREAKFAST & COLLEGE DECISION DAY)
- 4/27 – DEADLINE FOR ALL ONLINE CREDIT RECOVERY COURSES TO BE COMPLETED
- 4/28 – ALL MONEY OWED DUE BY TODAY; INCLUDING THE SENIOR FEE FOR GRADUATION
- 4/30 – GRADUATION TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR PICK-UP IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE
- 5/5 – BEGINS SENIORS' FINAL EXAM WEEK
- 5/12 – 5/16 – SENIOR GRAD WALK
- 5/19 – SENIOR HONORS NIGHT
- 5/20 – GRADUATION

# ZHS Prom 2025 RULES AND INFORMATION



**PROM DATE & TIME:** Saturday, March 22, 2025 | 9:00 pm to 12:00 am

**PROM THEME & COLORS:** Midnight in Morocco | Jewel Tones and Gold

**PROM LOCATION:** Raising Cane's River Center in Baton Rouge  
(275 South River Road) in the Ballroom

## **FEE:**

- All ZHS Juniors and Seniors must pay to attend prom.
- All students must pay using School Cash Online (schoolcashionline.com).
- January 21<sup>st</sup> – March 14<sup>th</sup> - \$45.00
- March 15<sup>th</sup> – March 20<sup>th</sup> - \$50.00
- No SchoolCashOnline payments will be accepted after 11:59pm on March 20<sup>th</sup>.
- \$60.00 CASH ONLY will be accepted at the door.
- The fee is used to pay for the venue, DJ, lighting, decorations, security, etc.
- Every Junior and Senior who attends Zachary High School and goes to prom **MUST** pay a fee.
- If you do not pay your fee, you will not attend Prom.
- You are not required or encouraged to pay your date's fee (if they are a ZHS student).
- If you are suspended through Friday March 21<sup>st</sup>, you will not attend prom.
- Prom fees will not be reimbursed for ANY reason.
- You do not need a receipt or ticket to get in. We have your name on a list once you have paid the fee.

## **YOUR DATE:**

- 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 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.
- Visitor forms are located in the main office and must be completed and returned by March 14<sup>th</sup>.

**\*\*\*Bring your school ID or take a picture of it and have it on your phone. All students (and your date) must show their school ID/driver's license for admittance to prom.\*\*\***

## **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 black tuxedo, white tuxedo, or other appropriate color.
- Students may wear a formal or semi-formal dress.
- The dress must be appropriate for a school event.
- No dress showing the waist or midriff will be acceptable.
- No low-cut, **excessive mesh cutouts**, or overly revealing dresses.
- Any student wearing attire that does not fit within these parameters will be asked to leave.
- **NO** sunglasses will be worn inside of the location where prom is being held.
- **NO** facial piercings will be permitted, except for one nose ring. This also includes non-Zachary High School students.

- **CHECK AHEAD OF TIME IF YOU ARE UNSURE ABOUT ATTIRE.**
- 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.**

**ALL ZHS RULES APPLY**

**\*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 Raising Cane's River Center. You will be arrested, suspended, and possibly 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.

**Prom Sponsors:**

Mrs. Ernest - [Kaci.Ernest@zacharyschools.org](mailto:Kaci.Ernest@zacharyschools.org)  
Mrs. Crifasi - [Robin.Crifasi@zacharyschools.org](mailto:Robin.Crifasi@zacharyschools.org)

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

**JOIN THE PROM 2025 REMIND FOR IMPORTANT UPDATES.**

**Text @cc6bge to 81010**

# YEARBOOK

## 2025 CORRAL YEARBOOK & GRADADS

### ATTENTION SENIOR FAMILIES

Congratulate your senior by purchasing a Grad Ad in the 2025 yearbook!

#### Size & Cost Details:

1/4 page: \$90.00/ \$115.00

1/2 page: \$140.00/\$165.00

Full page: \$215.00/\$240

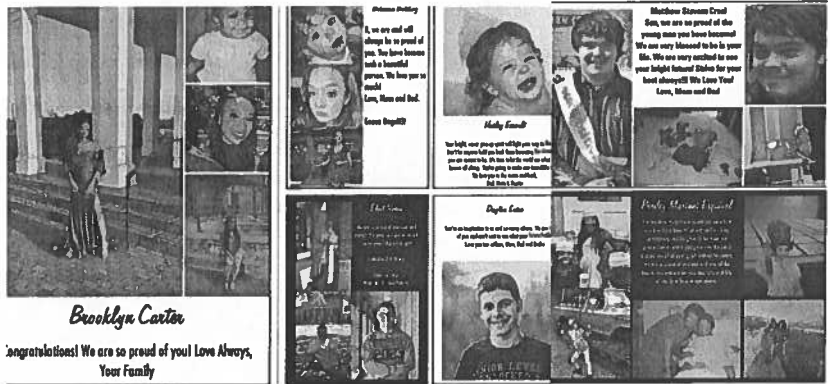
#### Payment

Create and pay for your yearbook and ad online at [www.yearbookordercenter.com](http://www.yearbookordercenter.com)



Debit card, credit card, eCheck, PayPal and PayPal Pay in 4\*.

\*Minimum payment of \$35



#### How to Submit Grad Ads:

Log on to [yearbookordercenter.com](http://yearbookordercenter.com) and enter school order number **2387**.

Go to tab **START YOUR AD** found in **SHARE YOUR LOVE** box.

Follow the prompts to design your ad, add it to your cart and purchase it. Your ad is not complete until you complete the checkout process and receive a confirmation email.

Direct questions to yearbook adviser, MRS. MCCLINTON at [zhstudentmedia@zacharyschools.org](mailto:zhstudentmedia@zacharyschools.org)

For Tech Support, while creating an ad, contact Herff Jones Tech Support at 877.362.7750.

### MESSAGE GUIDELINES

Create the message EXACTLY as you want it to appear in the yearbook. You will have a final approval before your submit your ad. The yearbook staff will NOT proofread ads!

The Corral staff reserves the right to refuse/edit any portion of the ad that editors deem unacceptable for publication.

Be sure to include your senior's name in the ad in one line or two. Make your text as LARGE as possible to fill the space! Do NOT use very thin type or outlined type as it is difficult to read.

## The price will increase May 1, 2025.

Ads are accepted on a space-available basis. When space runs out or we reach our plant deadline, we no longer accept ads. Order Early!! The Ad portal will close **May 15, 2025**.

# BRAC GRADUATES: BLUE RIBBON ACADEMIC CURRICULUM

The following students are BRAC graduates. If you feel you have met the requirements below and your name is not on this list, please see Mrs. Lipscomb ASAP.

- Follow a rigorous academic curriculum with a minimum of 10 Honors, AP or Dual Enrollment course credits.
- Maintain a 3.25 **unweighted** overall GPA by mid-term of senior year
- Score a 23 or higher on the ACT by April 1<sup>st</sup> of senior year

ALEXANDER, LEILA CORYNNE	GODBOLD, EVELYN LEA	NGUYEN, TINA NHU Y
ANDREWS, SKYLER REED	GOMILA, NATHAN CHRISTOPHER	O'BRIEN, WILLIAM JAMES
BARR, LANDRIE CHESNIER	GONZALES, CALEB RYAN	PATTERSON, JAZMINE PATIENCE
BEAUCHAMP, ANNA MARIE	GOUDEAU, WILLIAM ANDREW	PREJEAN, JACK HANSON
BELDAD, ELJEE FAITH OLIVEROS	GRESHAM, KALYCA SANAA	PUCKETT, WILLIA CHRISTINA
BLACKLEDGE, ISABELLA CHARLIZE	HERNANDEZ, LUCAS BRADLEY	QUIBODEAUX, REESE MICHELLE
BOYEA, NATHAN WILLIAM	HOLIDAY, BRYANNA SADE	RAMSEY, ZION JERVON
BOZEMAN, RYLEE ANN	HUANG, SELINA	RICHARD, LILLY JULIANA
BRADLEY, JOHN TOWNSEND	HUGHES, MATTHEW AARON	RISH, ELLI-CATHERINE YI-AN
BREES, JERROLYN CHARLOTTE	JONES, ZOE ELIZABETH	ROBERTSON, SYDNEY OLIVIA
BRUNSON, CARTER PAUL	LAMPTON, SARA LUCILLE	ROMERO, FISCHER DAVID
CARROLL, EMILY GRACE	LANDS, JAIDA ALEXANDRIA	RUSHING, ROSS LOGAN
CARTER, NOAH JAMES	LEA, MADISON RIDDELL	SETZ, BRAEDEN CARTER
CASTLEBERRY, PARKER JAMES	LEE, ANIYAH ANTIONETTE	SEVILLA, JENNALYN TULAGAN
CONCIENNE, AMELIA CHRISTINE	LUNSFORD, PATRICIA ELAINE	SHEPPARD, KAYLA JANAI
DAIGLE, CHARLES SAMUEL	MAAS, EMILY	SNYDER, MADELYN GRACE
DELEE, CHLOE ISABELLE	MARTINEZ, EMMA KATHRYN	STEPHENS, LUCAS CARPENTER
DEROCHE, EVELYN GAIL	MAYHEW, COLEMAN DAVIS	VARGAS, ALYSSA CLAIRE
DEROUEN, LILLIE MARIE	MCCRARY, KATHERINE ELIZABETH	VARGAS, EVELYN GRACE
DUGGAN, CHANDLER PELICHET	MCGEHEE, DREW DOUGLAS	VENABLE, RYAN SCOTT
EDEL, MAE ELIZABETH	MCKENZIE, EMMACLAIRE RUTH	WALTERS, COLE JAMES
ELKINS, JOY VIANNE	MITCHEM, AUDREY ANN	WALTERS, JACOB MICHAEL
FILOGONIO COSTA, RAFAEL	MURPHY, CAROLINE KLEIN	WEBSTER, AUTUMN RAYNE
FOREMAN, JA'MYREA MICHELLE	NAQUIN, AUSTIN KEARNEY	WILLIAMS, BROOKE MARGARET
FUNK, LILLIAN COLLEEN	NAQUIN, SEBASTIAN AARON	WOODARD, CARSON GRANT
GAINES, ELIZABETH ALICE	NECAISE, WYATT ANDREW	YOUNG, DOMINIC RODNEY
GAINES, MICAH DANIEL	NELSON, ETHAN FRANK	
GEORGE, NOAH JAMES	NELSON, WILLIAM JOSEPH	



## **In-House Scholarships Information**

- In-house scholarships will be posted on the Zachary High School website under Quick Links on **Thursday, March 13<sup>th</sup>**.
- Each scholarship that you apply for must have an application form with the corresponding number typed in the space provided and stapled together in the following order:
  - Application (with the scholarship number indicated in upper left corner)
  - Transcript (if required) can be printed from Parent Command Center
  - Letter(s) of recommendation (if required)
  - Essay (if required)
- The blank application is on Quick Links. This application must be typed and will be used for all scholarships, **except numbers 3, 7, 10, 12, 16, \*21, and 24**. The applications for these scholarships are attached to the scholarships themselves.
- \*Scholarship **21** must be submitted online at [scholarship@cardio.com](mailto:scholarship@cardio.com).
- The deadline for turning in all scholarship applications is **Wednesday, April 9<sup>th</sup>**. All scholarships must be turned in to the Counseling Office, except scholarship **21** must be submitted as directed on the scholarship information sheet.
- You will find out if you were awarded a scholarship at the Senior Honors Night Ceremony on **May 19<sup>th</sup>**.

# ZACHARY HIGH SCHOOL

## In-House Scholarship List

1. KATY LOCKETT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
  - high personal integrity and academically strong
  - good citizenship in the school, community, and family
  - must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher and attended ZHS for at least two years
2. ZACHARY ROTARY CLUB "SERVICE ABOVE SELF" SCHOLARSHIP
  - selection based on motto "service above self"
  - outstanding academics, leadership, and service to school and community
  - must have attended ZHS for at least two years
3. ZACHARY ROTARY CLUB OVERCOMER AWARD
  - must be an overcomer who has demonstrated strong perseverance
  - must have attended ZHS for at least two years
  - not required to be used for continuing education
4. CHIP WHEELER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
  - must demonstrate qualities of academic achievement, intellectual ability, character, and potential for future contribution to society
  - special consideration will be given to students interested in legal or medical careers
  - must have attended ZHS for two years
  - must rank in the top 15% of the class at the end of first semester senior year
5. MIKE ARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
  - exhibits good citizenship in the school, community, and family
  - must be entering the field of firefighting, law enforcement, or the medical field
  - must have a cumulative GPA of at least a 2.0
6. ZACHARY HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP
  - exhibits high personal integrity as well as good citizenship in the school and community
7. ZACHARY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP
  - must fill out special application (will be attached)
  - must have participated in extracurricular activities or community service
  - must attend a Louisiana college
  - maintained a 3.0 for last two years
8. DONALD D. HUNT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
  - exhibits high personal integrity as well as good citizenship in the school and community
  - must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
  - must plan to major in the field of education
9. MIKE MORRIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND
  - must have been a member of the Zachary High Baseball team for 4 years
  - must have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0
10. ZACHARY ATHLETIC FOUNDATION
  - must fill out special application (will be attached)
  - must be a student athlete
  - must demonstrate qualities of academic achievement, character, leadership, and work ethic
11. MEKALA BRION BROOKS MEMORIAL
  - must be a member of the ZHS Basketball Team
  - must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5
  - must display good morals and be of good character

12. \_\_\_\_\_ **ZACHARY MEN'S CLUB**

- must be a minority
- must have scored at least a 17 on ACT
- must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5

13. \_\_\_\_\_ **MARY ANN DOWNS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

- exhibits good citizenship in the school and community
- participated in band and/or band auxiliary for at least two years
- must have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0

14. \_\_\_\_\_ **REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL OF ZACHARY**

- must be pursuing a career in fine arts

15. \_\_\_\_\_ **FIRST STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

- must exhibit high personal integrity
- good citizenship in school and community

16. \_\_\_\_\_ **R.E. AMRHEIN COMMUNITY LEADER AWARD**

- must attend an accredited college or university
- must exhibit good citizenship in school and community

17. \_\_\_\_\_ **ZACHARY LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP (DISABILITY)**

- must have a disability
- must be a U.S. citizen
- must exhibit high personal integrity as well as good citizenship in school and community
- must have attended ZHS for 2 years and have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 (attach transcript)
- financial need-based

18. \_\_\_\_\_ **ZACHARY LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP (MEDICAL FIELD)**

- must be entering the medical field
- must be a US citizen
- must exhibit high personal integrity as well as good citizenship in school and community
- must have attended ZHS for 2 years and have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 (attach transcript)
- financial need-based

19. \_\_\_\_\_ **#TEAMTRISTIAN ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP**

- must have received a varsity letter for two years
- must have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher (attach transcript)
- must be attending a college/university and have agreed/contracted to play a sport for that college/university
- must complete the ZHS application and write a 500-word essay titled "How I Will Shock the World"

20. \_\_\_\_\_ **#TEAMTRISTIAN ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP**

- must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher (attach transcript)
- must have been accepted to a college/university
- must complete the ZHS application and write a 500-word essay titled "I am an Excellent Louisiana Student"

21. \_\_\_\_\_ **YOUNG HEALTHCARE MINDS SCHOLARSHIP (CARDIOVASCULAR INSTITUTE)**

- must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
- must be accepted into a college or program with a declared major in healthcare
- must complete the application, essay, and supplemental documents and submit to [scholarship@cardio.com](mailto:scholarship@cardio.com)

22. \_\_\_\_\_ **AARP ZACHARY CHAPTER 5432**

- must attend an accredited college/university
- must exhibit good citizenship in school, community, and family

23.        **LINDOW FAMILY MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP**

- must be majoring in medical field
- must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher
- must complete a one-page essay detailing future goals and why you are pursuing a career in the medial field
- at least one teacher letter of recommendation



**Raising Cane's River Center supports a safe and friendly environment.**

**The following items will NOT be allowed into the Raising Cane's River Center during any event, including graduations:**

- Air Horns
- Confetti Guns
- Confetti Poppers
- Flowers
- Balloons
- Large Gift Bags
- Large Signs

**The following items are strictly prohibited and are subject to seizure:**

- Coolers, ice chests, bottles, cans, cups (or any kind of container)
- Backpacks/ Duffle Bags
- Strollers, Car Seats, Baby Carriers, etc.
- Outside food and beverage
- Laser pointers
- Smart Phone Battery Packs
- Pets of any variety (except for certified service animals)
- Weapons of any kind - including pocket knives, multi-function tools, mace, and any items deemed inappropriate (no return of any confiscated weapons)

#### **Raising Cane's River Center Policies**

- All bags must be clear and must be searched before entering the facility regardless of size.
  - Items may not be stored at or near the entry way of the facility
    - Raising Cane's River Center is not liable for any personal belongings left unattended.
  - All items left unattended will be removed and discarded
- The use of ALL tobacco products is strictly prohibited inside the River Center.
  - This includes cigarettes, e-cigarettes, cigars, smokeless tobacco, snuff, pipes, and chewing tobacco are not permitted inside the facility

**All policies and enforcement are subject to the discretion of River Center event management.**

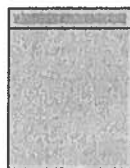
# CLEAR BAGS ONLY

SUPPORTING A SAFE AND FAN FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT

## ALLOWED



**CLEAR TOTE**  
PLASTIC, VINYL, OR PVC AND  
NO LARGER THAN  
12" X 6" X 12"



**PLASTIC  
ZIP TOP BAG**  
NO LARGER THAN  
1 GALLON - RESEALABLE - CLEAR



**SMALL  
CLUTCH PURSE**  
NO LARGER THAN 5" X 7"



**MEDICAL ITEMS**  
ITEMS RELATED TO  
A MEDICAL CONDITION

The Clear Bag Policy strictly limits the size and types of bags that are permitted.

Backpacks, purses (other than small clutches), and diaper bags are not permitted.

The Raising Cane's River Center strongly encourages patrons to not bring any bags, however the following are permitted:

- Each patron may carry one bag that is clear plastic, vinyl, or PVC no larger than 12"x6"x12" or a one-gallon clear plastic zip top bag (Ziploc bag or similar).
- In addition to one of the clear bags noted above, patrons may also carry in a small clutch purse/bag no larger than 5"x7", with or without a handle or strap, subject to search.
- Each ticket holder, including children, will be able to carry an approved clear bag and a clutch purse.
- Diapers and wipes can be carried in approved clear bags (nonclear diaper bags are not permitted).

# GRADUATION FORMS

(TO BE RETURNED)

# SENIOR SERVICE HOURS

20 hours of service are required to receive the chords at graduation.

Forms will be accepted in the Counseling Office **April 7<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>**.

**No forms will be accepted after Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup>!**

The purpose of this activity is for your personal growth.

Areas that are to be covered are:

1. Service to the elderly
  - a. Nursing homes
  - b. Assisted living facilities.
  - c. The elderly living alone that need assistance. (recommended by church or community)
  
2. Service to the infirmed.
  - a. Hospitals
  - b. Nursing Homes
  - c. Hospice
  
3. Service to the poor
  - a. Habitat for Humanity
  - b. Food Bank
  - c. Food Kitchens
  
4. Service to the community
  - a. Civic activities
  - b. Fire station
  - c. Town hall
  - d. Trash day
  - e. Christmas Parade
  - f. Lighting of the lights
  
5. School Activities
  - a. Assisting with special programs

You will need to have:

10 hours from areas 1, 2, and 3 combined

10 hours from areas 4 and 5

20 hours total



# SENIOR SERVICE HOURS

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

AREA OF SERVICE: \_\_\_\_\_

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PLACE OF SERVICE: \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF SERVICE: \_\_\_\_\_

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In 2013, the idea of the Community Service Endorsement was initiated by the [Volunteer Louisiana Commission](#) and approved by BESE. [RS 17:264, Bulletin 741](#), Louisiana Handbook for School Administrators: §2317. High Schools, outlines the diploma endorsements Louisiana high school students may earn upon graduation. School systems may award a Community Service Endorsement to students completing a minimum of 80 hours of service anytime between ninth and twelfth grade. Students may earn service hours identified in the [Community Service Diploma Endorsement Categories](#).

To earn the Community Service Endorsement, the student must have 80 documented community service hours by graduation. The school system will use the [Community Service Diploma Endorsement Tracking Form](#) to summarize the student efforts recorded on the [Community Service Diploma Endorsement Student Documentation Form](#). Documentation is housed at the local level.

**Action Steps**

Who	Action Step
Student	Complete service hours and document efforts on the <a href="#">Community Service Endorsement Documentation Form</a> after every experience. Submit completed forms to the identified school contact.
School System	Use the <a href="#">Community Service Diploma Endorsement Tracking Form</a> to summarize the student efforts. Documentation is housed at the local level.
School System	Use code "C1" in STS to document the student has met the requirements of the Community Service Endorsement.
School System	Order Community Service Seals yearly using the electronic Diploma Order Form shared via the Department Newsletter. The number of seals ordered should align with the number of students coded as "C1" in STS.

**Additional Resources**

- Access the [Community Service Diploma Video](#) to promote the community service endorsement. The video outlines requirements and offers examples of service.
- Review ways students can volunteer safely and still assist their community during the global pandemic in [Community Service Opportunities](#).

**\*MINIMUM OF 80 SERVICES HOURS TO GET A SEAL ON YOUR DIPLOMA\***

**EXTRA COPIES IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE**



**Community Service Diploma Endorsement Categories**

	<b>Service Category</b>	<b>Service Category Description</b>	<b>Examples of Activities/Organizations/Non-Profits</b>
1	<b>Animals</b>	Assist with education and support activities, including caring for animals, educating prospective owners, assisting with adoptions, and fund-raising.	Adoption Day at Pet Shops, Animal Shelters, Aquariums, Foster home for animals, Therapy programs, Zoos, etc.
2	<b>Arts &amp; Culture</b>	Assist with activities to promote and sustain the art and cultural events in the community including teaching music or art, giving tours at museums or homes, etc.	Art Gallery, Community Band, cultural events, Interpretative Guides, Museum, Tourists Centers, etc.
3	<b>Community</b>	Participation in events such as painting, rebuilding, refurbishing, construction, and landscaping in a community. Shreveport Examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Paint Your Heart Out- paint homes and complete minor, essential home repairs for disabled, low income, senior, and veteran homeowners as well as food banks and hospitals.</li> </ul>	Beach clean-up, Boys and Girls Clubs, Boy Scouts, coastal restoration, Girl Scouts, Habitat for Humanity, Kiwanis, Make A Difference Day, Paint Your Heart Out, Rotary Club, etc.
4	<b>Crisis Support</b>	Participation in fundraising and educational events to support individual crises such as home fires, death in families, job loss, etc.	Children's hospitals, Children's Miracle Network, Make A Wish Foundation, St. Jude's, Shriners' Hospital, etc.
5	<b>Disaster Relief/Emergency/Safety</b>	Participation in fundraising and direct action events to support rebuilding of communities devastated by unexpected event such as hurricane, tornado, flood, explosion, etc.	American Red Cross, Salvation Army, United Methodist Committee on Relief (UNCOR), etc.
6	<b>Education/Literacy</b>	Participation in activities to support education including tutoring.	Coach, ELL tutor, Host an exchange student, Library volunteer, Mentor, Referee, Tutor, Volunteers of America
7	<b>Environment</b>	Participation in activities, educational events and fundraising focused on preserving the environment.	Apprentice Ecologist Initiative, Keep America Beautiful, Nature Conservancy, Green School projects, Louisiana Environmental Education Commission projects, etc.

**Community Service Diploma Endorsement Categories**

8	<p>Participation in a service activity sponsored/hosted by a religiously affiliated organization, program, or congregation (church, mosque, synagogue, or temple).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Weekend of the Cross (Fri-Sun event for high school/college age students to work to repair, refurbish, and rebuild in a designated community</li> </ul>	<p>Acolyte, Altar Servers, Church or Vacation Bible School (VBS) Team member Citi IMPACT Ministries, Nursery, Mission trips, Rescue Mission, Retreat planning teams, Week-end of the Cross, etc.</p>
9	<p>Participation in fundraising and educational events to increase awareness about health concerns, medical needs, and improved wellness of community.</p>	<p>American Cancer Society, American Heart Association, Candy Stripper or Hospital Volunteer, Hospice, Marathons, March of Dimes, Nursing Home, Races, Relay for Life, etc.</p>
10	<p>Participation in fundraising and educational events to support individuals and families without homes or adequate shelter and food.</p>	<p>Coat drives, Food bank, Heifer International, Homeless shelters, Soup kitchen, Uniform drives, etc.</p>
11	<p>Participation in fundraising and education events to support community members who are retired or active duty military.</p>	<p>American Legion, Sons of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), Wounded Warrior, etc.</p>
12	<p>Activities that enhance the well-being of others.</p>	<p>Advisory Councils for parishes or nonprofits, Nursing home volunteer, Senior Citizen Volunteer, etc.</p>

**COMMUNITY SERVICE DIPLOMA ENDORSEMENT  
STUDENT DOCUMENTATION FORM**

**DIRECTIONS:** Use this sheet to document your hours of service. Only service hours that include a supervising adult signature and email or phone number will be eligible for service credit.

Student Name	School Name	Parish Name	Current Grade

<b>Date(s) of Completed Service:</b>	<b>Number of Hours:</b>
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<b>Description of Service:</b> <input type="text" value="SELECT A CATEGORY"/>
<p>Enter a brief description here.</p>

<b>Adult Supervisor Name:</b>
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<b>Adult Supervisor Phone Number:</b>	<b>Adult Supervisor Email:</b>
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<b>Adult Supervisor Signature:</b> <b>X</b>
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<b>Student Signature:</b> <b>X</b>
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# Handicap Ticket Request

Each graduate will receive **12** tickets. Graduation tickets are printed on heat sensitive security paper to avoid duplication. Entrance tickets are required for every guest, including children ages 4 and above. Anyone entering the River Center will be required to go through security which includes walking through metal detectors and bag check. Only clear bags are allowed in the facility.

The Raising Cane's River Center prohibits balloons, beach balls, confetti cannons, air horns, noisemakers, cowbells, gift bags, posters, fat heads etc. in the arena area. Confiscated items will NOT be returned.

## Handicap Seating

- Handicap seating must be requested by Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> (see form below).
- Handicap seating is limited to 4 handicap seats per family.
- Enter the River Center through Portal A on the ground level.
- Handicap guests may be dropped off in the inlet off River Road; however, this is not a parking area.
- Guests entering through this entrance must have a handicap ticket.
- Only one person can enter with handicap guest and must also have a handicap ticket.
- Chairs will be available in the Portal A lobby area for guests to sit prior to arena doors being opened (5:30 p.m.).
- Handicap seating is located on the back right corner on the arena floor.

## General Seating

- Enter the River Center through the Galleria Lobby.
- Limited seating will be available in the Galleria Lobby for guests prior to the arena doors being opened (5:30 p.m.).
- Guests entering through this entrance must have a ZHS ticket.

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**If handicap seating is needed, please return this portion with ticket(s) to the Counseling Office by May 13<sup>th</sup>.**

Senior's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Handicap Tickets requested: \_\_\_\_\_

## Standards of Behavior for Graduation

Graduation is a significant milestone that will be remembered for years to come. The commencement ceremony provides the school, the community, and families the opportunity to recognize the academic achievements of our graduates. It is a dignified, formal occasion where we will recognize graduates in a warm and meaningful way. In keeping with the importance of the event, dress and behavior expectations have been established as follows:

### Graduation attire:

- Solid color dress pants, dress shoes, ties and white or light-colored collared shirt.
- Light colored or white dress, dress shoes that are comfortable.
- Nose piercings can only be ONE small stud.
- Facial hair must be neat and well groomed.
- No flip-flops or cowboy boots. Please use caution when choosing your footwear.
- No jeans or joggers.

**\*\*\*Appropriate graduation attire will be determined by ZHS administration!**

It is advisable to dress in your cap and gown at home. The tassel should be on your RIGHT side. Pin caps on if needed. Honor stoles and cords will be distributed at graduation practice to students that meet the required criteria. **No outside graduation regalia is allowed.** No personal celebratory items can be worn during the ceremony. Students are **not** allowed to decorate their graduation cap.

### Behavior:

Improper behavior will **not** be tolerated. This applies to your behavior from now until May 20<sup>th</sup>, both on and off campus, as well as graduation practice and the ceremony. Violations eliminate a student from participation in the actual ceremony. Any student that appears to be under the influence of drugs or alcohol will not be allowed to participate in the graduation ceremony.

Graduates and spectators are expected to behave in accordance with the solemnness of the occasion. Should undignified acts distract from the importance of the occasion, participants and guests may be asked to leave and the student's diploma may be held.

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According to The Raising Cane's River Center guidelines, attendees who use confetti will receive a **\$250** clean up fee.

Please share these guidelines with your invited guest. Sign and return to the Counseling Office when tickets are picked up.

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Student Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



# SENIOR INFORMATION SHEET

## FINAL SPELL CHECK FOR GRADUATION PROGRAM AND DIPLOMA

Please print your legal name as it appears on your birth certificate (all three names).

This form must be completed in **Black** or **Blue** ink **ONLY**.

(This is **exactly** how your name will be printed on the program and diploma.)

STUDENT FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT MIDDLE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

JR., II, III, ETC.: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT / GUARDIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU PLAN TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GRADUATION CEREMONY AT THE RIVER CENTER?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

HAVE YOU PURCHASED YOUR CAP AND GOWN FROM JOSTENS?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_