Saint Louis Public Schools Class of 2021 Senior Closing Bulletin



Congratulations! The last day of student attendance for Saint Louis Public School District (SLPS) seniors is Tuesday, May 25, 2021. SLPS will provide continuous instruction to students and families during the closing days of school.

GRADES AND FINAL ASSIGNMENTS

All grades for seniors are due by end of day May 26, 2021. Please contact your teacher or counselor if you need support completing final assignments or anticipate being credit deficient.

SENIOR FINAL EXAMS DATES

Monday, May 17, 2021	Periods 1 and 2
Tuesday, May 18, 2021	Periods 5 and 6
Wednesday, May 19, 2021	Periods 3 and 4
Thursday, May 20, 2021	Periods 7 and 8
Friday, May 21, 2021	Makeup Exams

GRADUATION - May 26 and 27, 2021 at 6pm

The SLPS Class of 2021 graduates will have the distinction of hearing their names called at **Busch Stadium** in two separate evening ceremonies on May 26 and 27, 2021 at 6 p.m.! The District is excited to bring this unique and memorable opportunity to our schools and families. The District, the Stadium and the Department of Health of the City of St. Louis have partnered for more than a year to establish specific safety protocols for graduates and guests **(up to four guests per graduate)** to help ensure a positive and memorable graduation experience! All graduates will receive a custom Class of 2021 facemask, commemorative 5x7 Class of 2021 picture frame and cap and gown photo (taken at Busch)!

Visit www.slps.org/2021graduation by May 7th to complete the survey and RSVP for the 2021 Commencement. For any other senior info, visit www.slps.org/Class of 2021 or email 2021grads@slps.org.

Wednesday, May 26, 2021, 6 p.m.	Thursday, May 27, 2021, 6 p.m.
Vashon	Carnahan High School of the Future
Collegiate School of Medicine	Cleveland NJROTC
Roosevelt	Clyde C. Miller Career Academy
Soldan	Sumner/Fresh Start
Metro	Central Visual and Performing Arts
Northwest Transportation and Law Academy	Gateway STEM
McKinley Classical Academy	

SENIOR CURBSIDE CLEARANCE

Due to COVID-19 and social distancing guidelines, SLPS is conducting a Curbside Senior Clearance (CSC) at all high schools on May 24 – 25, 2021.

The purpose of CSC is to allow you to return school-issued textbooks, uniforms and technology and pickup personal belongings curbside—all without leaving your vehicle. If you are without transportation, you can walk-up to return items. Please be mindful of social distancing and wear protective gear.

In preparation for CSC, counselors will begin calling seniors during the week of May 10th to review clearance information and schedule appointments, if necessary. In addition, you will also receive information on the following:

- Current grades (final grades will not be available until after final exams)
- Textbooks, uniforms or technology issued that must be returned
- Date and time for Curbside Senior Clearance
- Any school fines (Please contact your Principal for more information.)

You can also schedule an appointment using Microsoft Teams or via email. Alternate dates for CSC can be scheduled with your school counselor by appointment only. (*Please check your school's website for more information on Curbside Senior Clearance.*)

<u>During Curbside Senior Clearance, an SLPS safety officer will be present to ensure social distancing guidelines are followed</u>. In addition, we ask that students and parents adhere to the following:

- Use the drive-through drop off/pick up process while on campus.
- Students/parents must wear masks covering their noses and mouths.
- Students/parents are to ask to remain in their vehicles except when dropping off books and picking up personal items.

<u>During Curbside Senior Clearance, seniors must return ALL uniforms, textbooks and District-issued technology (unless enrolling in SLPS virtual summer school)</u>. At this time, you will also have the opportunity to:

- Receive your cap and gown
- Receive all personal items gathered from your school-assigned lockers
- Return items and pay fines (cash or money order)

TECHNOLOGY RETURN

STUDENTS MUST RETURN ALL SLPS AND SCHOOL ISSUED TECHNOLOGY PRIOR TO RECEIVING THEIR DIPLOMA OR TRANSCRIPT. Technology can be returned during the Curbside Senior Clearance or after your final exams. Contact your school administrator for more information.

TRANSCRIPTS AND DIPLOMAS

Official transcripts of your academic record are available at no cost if your account with the District is in good standing (all equipment returned and fines paid). All students should complete the Graduate Survey at their schools or at www.slps.org/2021exitsurvey (for virtual students) to indicate where your transcripts should be sent. Your school counselor will communicate more information regarding the survey. For your convenience, transcripts will be mailed to those verified addresses on or after June 3, 2021.

Students with accounts in good standing (all equipment returned and fines paid) must return to their school sites to retrieve diplomas between May 28 – June 4, 2021. Please contact your school for specific times.

SUMMER COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS SUPPORT

The SLPS Online College and Career Readiness (CCR) Center will operate from June 7 to August 6 to assist you with transcripts, FAFSA, award letters, college applications, online college visits and college questions. Assistance with trades or employment is also available. The center will be available online from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. every Monday through Thursday. You can email slpsccrcenter@slps.org or call 314.345.4580 for assistance.