



WHEATON ACADEMY

SENIORS' FINAL WEEK: May 28 – June 3

Monday, May 28

Memorial Day – NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, May 29

8:00 a.m. 1st Period Final Exam

10:00 a.m. 2nd Period Final Exam

11:45 a.m. **Senior Luncheon at Wheaton Academy in the Commons**

Wheaton Academy faculty will share in a time of encouragement & prayer for our seniors.

1:00 p.m. **Graduation Rehearsal at Wheaton Bible Church**

Please note: Attendance at Graduation Rehearsal is mandatory for ALL seniors. Transportation to and from WBC will be provided for students that are in need.

Wednesday, May 30

8:00 a.m. 3rd Period Final Exam

10:00 a.m. 4th Period Final Exam

Thursday, May 31

8:00 a.m. 5th Period Final Exam

10:00 a.m. 6th Period Final Exam

Friday, June 1

8:00 a.m. 7th Period Final Exam

10:00 a.m. Make-Up Final Exam

7:00 p.m. **Baccalaureate Service at Wheaton Academy in the Fine Arts Center**

This will be a time to celebrate what the Lord has done in the lives of our graduates and their families. We will pray for and commission our seniors as they start new chapters in their lives.

Sunday, June 3

4:00 p.m. **Graduation Ceremony at Wheaton Bible Church**

See attached instructions.

GRADUATION DAY INSTRUCTIONS ~ Sunday, June 3rd

For the ceremony:

3:15 p.m. Seniors arrive at WBC Location: Gymnasium

- Remember your cap, gown, tassel and cord, if applicable. Proper attire underneath your gown is required:
 - ❖ Women: skirt & top/dress or top/dark pants and shoes/sandals that will allow you to navigate stairs safely.
 - ❖ Men: dress shirt and tie, dress pants & dress shoes.

3:15-4:00 p.m. Guests admitted to Main Auditorium – Wheaton Bible Church has reminded us of their policy – no balloons allowed in buildings. We appreciate your attention to this detail.

- In order for our faculty & staff to prepare for graduation, seats cannot be reserved or held prior to 3:15 p.m. Any attempts to do so before 3:15 p.m. will be removed.

3:45-4:00 p.m. Prelude Location: Musicians on Platform

- Pre-selected seniors will perform musical selections.

4:00 p.m. Procession Begins

6:00 p.m.* Conclusion of Ceremony

*This time is approximate.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS ABOUT GRADUATION

1. Tickets/Guests

We do not distribute tickets for graduation and there is no restriction to the number of friends and family members that may attend the ceremony. There is ample seating at Wheaton Bible Church.

2. Seating

In order for our faculty and staff to prepare for graduation, seats cannot be reserved or held prior to 3:15 p.m. at Wheaton Bible Church. Any attempts to do so prior to the time specified will be removed.

3. Student Dress Code for Graduation

Men: Dark pants, dark shoes and socks, collared shirts, and traditional neckties. No earrings.
Women: Appropriate skirt & top/dress or top/dark pants and shoes/sandals.
Caps: To be worn flat on head. Mortarboard parallel to the ground.
Tassels: To be worn on the right side. Instructions on moving the tassels will be given.
All: Dress Code standards apply to hair style, modesty, piercings, etc.

4. Parking

There is ample parking at Wheaton Bible Church. It is accessible from Morton Road and North Avenue.

5. Digital Downloads

The week of graduation ceremonies will be recorded by our live video team and made available on Wheaton Academy's Livestream channel (new.livestream.com/walivevideo). From the Livestream channel, you can watch the event LIVE while it is happening, watch the stream later or choose to download the file for personal archive. The following events will be recorded and made available to you: Junior/Senior Year-end Video, Final Senior Chapel, Baccalaureate, Graduation