

Dr. Helen Baldwin Middle School

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Good evening 8th grade families,

We are looking forward to seeing you all on Thursday, June 10 for commencement. Below, please see important information:

- Please ensure that your student has turned in their chromebook and any other borrowed technology, or paid the fee if a device has been lost or broken. Students will not be able to attend commencement unless all technology has been returned or paid for.
- Report cards will go home with 8th grade students on Thursday June 10, prior to commencement.
- We have already had a large number of our extra seats claimed by families. At this point we have approximately 15 additional seats for 8th grade families. Please email Jill Smith with any additional requests! We will continue to assign extra seats on a first come, first serve basis. If it rains during our commencement, we will be forced to maintain our 2 person maximum per student, in order to abide by Covid-19 safety regulations.
- On the night of commencement, 8th graders should arrive no later than 5:30 PM at the school. Students should be dropped off at BMS before parents park their vehicles at the town hall. A shuttle will be provided for families to bring you from your vehicles to the commencement.
- NOTE!! THIS IS DIFFERENT FROM FRIDAY'S BLACKBOARD MESSAGE: THERE WILL BE LIMITED, FIRST-COME FIRST-SERVE PARKING FOR FAMILIES AT THE SCHOOL DURING COMMENCEMENT! If you have a family member with mobility needs or are in need of special parking circumstances, please call the school at 860-546-9421 by Thursday at noon. Where possible, please consider carpooling with other family members to ensure adequate parking for all 8th grade families.

I'm looking forward to seeing you all on Thursday!

Mr. Dukette