

Wednesday, October 21, 2020



**GAWLER & DISTRICT
COLLEGE B-12**

Years B-12

Barnet Road,
Evanston SA 5116

Dear Year 12 Families,

Information Sheet for our Year 12 Graduation Ceremony

Below is a brief overview of what to expect at this year's Graduation Ceremony, Thursday 22 October. This information sheet outlines the approximate timeline and also what you need to do on the day (Which can be found over the page).

COVID-19 Site Forms

Each guest must provide a completed (and new) **COVID Site Form** and be marked off our COVID Register. Guests who have not registered will be unable to attend as we have reached a total capacity based on current COVID restrictions. If you do not bring a new COVID Site Form (Dated 23 September) you will be asked to complete one prior to entering the theatre. This is a requirement of SA Health as we are holding this event off-site. If you have not received a new COVID Site Form to complete please contact us ASAP because we would like to minimize wait times prior to the event.

Social Distancing

Adults must continue physical distancing of 1.5 metres whenever and wherever possible. This requirement does not apply to people who live together.

If you are feeling unwell

A reminder that any person (child, student, staff member, or family member) who is unwell or symptomatic (even mildly) must not attend event.

College Uniform

As this is a College ceremony, students are required to wear full & appropriate uniform. This includes a College polo, shirt and/or blazer with black pants. No ripped pants, hoodies or hats. If you have any queries regarding any aspect of this information sheet, students can see Ms Hallworth prior Thursday to clarify or contact the College on 8521 2400.

We are looking forward to having you join us for this special ceremony, see you Thursday!

Kind Regards

Angela Michael
Principal



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Department for Education



Ceremony Timeline

9.00am Year 12 Breakfast (Students only)
STEM Building

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9.30am Guests can start to arrive at St Bigids
Please be patient as we accept your complete COVID Site Form, mark you off our COVID register and show you to the social distanced seating.

9.45am Walk to St Brigids with fellow Year 12's (Students only)
Walking across oval to take seats in St Brigids

**TBA Ceremony Commences

Presentation of Completion Certificates (All Students)

Instructions for Students:

- When your Home Care is announced make your way in alphabetical order to the left side of the stage – An SSO will be there to help you.
- Make your way up the stairs, stop and wait to be called
- When your name is announced, walk toward the Reception student
- Accept your certificate and say “Thank you”
- Move toward your HC teacher
- Stop, shake hands or elbow bump with your HC teacher & turn to the audience
- Look at the photographer (Who will be standing in front of the stage). Please wait for the photo to be taken before moving off stage.
- Once the photo is taken walk right, across the stage, walk down the stairs and wait by the stage for the remainder of your HC class
- Once the HC teacher joins you off the stage you will have a HC photo
- After the HC photo is done quickly & quietly make your way back to your seat behind all the guest seating – Do not cut in front of the guests and the stage

Special Award Presentation

Two Award categories will be presented at the Graduation Ceremony. The remainder of our Year 12 Special & Academic Awards will be presented at our College Awards Night, Friday 27 November

Ceremony Concludes

Once the ceremony concludes we ask you please make your way out of the theatre whilst still adhering to social distancing. Students are dismissed from the ceremony.