Series 5000: Students, Curriculum, and Academic Matters

5400 Curriculum, Instruction, and Parent/Guardian Involvement

5410 Commencement

The District may conduct a commencement ceremony for eligible students at the end of the school year. Participation in the ceremony is a privilege, not a right. The Superintendent or designee may prohibit students from participating in the ceremony as a consequence for misconduct. A student's disqualification from participating in the commencement ceremony does not impact the issuance of a diploma to the student, provided that all graduation requirements have been satisfied.

"Eligible students" means those students who have completed all District graduation requirements or who have received a certificate of completion.

A student may participate in only 1 commencement ceremony.

A student who needs credits to satisfy graduation requirements may appeal to the Superintendent to participate in a commencement ceremony but will not be awarded a diploma until all graduation requirements have been met. Being permitted to participate in the ceremony does not constitute graduation, and only those students who have completed all graduation requirements will receive a diploma.

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