



F.W. Buchholz High School

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Dear Seniors,

The culmination of your high school education is celebrated with a graduation ceremony. Participation in the graduation ceremony is recognition of your hard work and dedication that has resulted in you successfully meeting high school graduation requirements. Having the opportunity to participate in graduation and walk across the stage will be limited to the students who meet the criteria listed below. Students who do not meet these requirements will NOT be allowed to participate in the graduation ceremony.

To participate in the Buchholz High School Graduation Ceremony, students pursuing the 24 credit Standard Diploma option must:

- Have a 2.0 or higher UNWEIGHTED Grade Point Average
- Have earned 23 of 24 credits **and missing no more than one of these core academic requirements:**
 - 4 English credits
 - 4 Math credits including Algebra 1 and Geometry
 - 3 Science credits including Biology
 - 3 Social Studies credits including World History, US. History, US Government – Economics
 - 1 Fine or Performing Art
 - 1 Physical Education credit including Health instruction or an approved PE waiver

To participate in the Buchholz High School Graduation Ceremony, students pursuing the ACCEL – Academically Challenging Curriculum to Enhance Learning - 18 credit diploma option must:

- Have a 2.0 or higher UNWEIGHTED Grade Point Average
- Have earned 18 credits **and missing no more than one of these core academic requirements:**
 - 4 English credits
 - 4 Math credits including Algebra 1 and Geometry
 - 3 Science credits including Biology
 - 3 Social Studies credits including World History, US. History, US Government – Economics
 - 1 Fine or Performing Art

Go Bobcat!

The Buchholz School Counselors

Ms. Bates, Mrs. Borden, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Inman, and Dr. Warner