

# Frequently Asked Questions for 8th Grade Graduation

## Graduation Ceremony Details:

- **Date:** Tuesday May 27, 2025
- **Time:** 6:00pm
- **Location:** Curtis M. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts located at 3201 Hull Rd, Gainesville, FL 32611, USA

- When can tickets be reserved? We will have three rounds of ticket sales this year: February 17th - 21st, April 7th - 11th, and May 5th - 9th.
- Does my graduating student need a ticket? No.
- Do small children need a ticket? Yes, however, infants will be permitted to sit on a parent's lap.
- Does my ticket reserve an assigned seat for me? No, seating locations in the theater will be first come first serve. Handicap seating is limited.
- What time does my graduating student need to arrive at graduation? 5:30pm
- What time will the doors open for families attending the graduation? 5:00pm
- Do families need their physical ticket for entry to graduation? Yes.
- When will families receive their actual tickets for the graduation? Tickets will be available in May (a specific date will be announced soon).
- How do I get my tickets in May? Parents will be required to pick up their tickets from the front office during the dates which will be announced later. Tickets will only be released to the parents listed on Skyward, and identification will need to be shown at the time of pick up. However, parents can also give written permission for their student to pick up the tickets for them.
- Will I have to pay for parking at the Phillips Center? No, because the ceremony is in the evening, parking is free in the museum lots as well as the parking garage.