



Pueblo High School Graduation Information and Event Timeline for Students - 2026

What do I need to do to make sure I can graduate on Wednesday May 20th ??

1. Pass all of your current classes! This means you need to GO TO EVERY CLASS EVERY DAY. Turn in your assignments on time. Complete your missing assignments. Thank your teachers for everything they do.
2. Make good choices! Code of Conduct violations could affect eligibility to participate in Graduation ceremony.
3. Complete your FAFSA or confirm your waiver with Dr. Avila. This must be completed before Senior Check-Out on May 19th.
4. Complete your Senior Survey (ask teachers for QR code). This must be completed before Senior Check-Out on May 20th.
5. Check with Eli in the Business Office to make sure all of your debts are paid. This must be completed before Senior Check-Out on May 19th.
6. Check with Ms. Burrola to make sure all of your library books have been turned in. This must be completed before Senior Check-Out on May 19th.
7. Graduation Agreement must be completed and handed in to Ms. Quevedo (Office Manager) in the Front Office by Friday, May 15th.
8. ALL LAPTOPS, CHARGERS, AND CASES DUE BY END OF DAY on Friday, May 15th.

Senior Honor's Night & Declaration Night – Tuesday, May 12th from 5:30 – 7:00 PM in Auditorium

- **This event is by invitation only!** Select seniors and their families are invited to attend this exciting evening celebrating our students, their accomplishments and recognitions, and their plans for after graduation. From 5:30 – 7:00 there will be a ceremony to recognize students who have earned awards and scholarships for their hard work while at Pueblo High School. These students will be notified in advance of their recognition and asked to RSVP to the event.

Last Day of Classes for Seniors – Friday, May 15th

- This is the last day of regular classes for all seniors. Seniors should only come to campus the final week for graduation related events (listed below). **There is NO SCHOOL for Seniors on Monday, May 18th.**

MANDATORY - Senior Check-Out – Tuesday, May 19th from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM (Start in Auditorium)

- All seniors planning to participate in the graduation ceremony on Wednesday May 20th will need to complete the Senior Check Out. Students may arrive anytime between 9:00 – 11:30 AM to complete the check out. The Senior Check-Out Task List will be provided Weds. May 13th to Seniors in the ELA classes. Please bring this list to Senior Check Out on Tuesday morning.

MANDATORY - Graduation Rehearsal – Tuesday, May 19th from 4:30 – 6:00 PM in Auditorium

- All seniors planning to participate in the graduation ceremony on Wednesday, May 20th **MUST** attend the graduation rehearsal. The rehearsal will begin at 4:30 PM in the Auditorium and will include the procession

out to the Football Stadium and ceremony run-through. It is recommended that students be prepared for hot weather during rehearsal – **bring a hat, sunscreen, and water!**

Senior Sunset – Tuesday, May 19th from 6:00 – 8:00 PM on Practice Field

- All seniors are invited to enjoy a final evening with their classmates for “Senior Sunset”. This event will have food trucks, music, and inflatables provided by Pueblo Student Council Senior Class Officers.

Graduation Ceremony – Wednesday, May 20th – Seniors at Auditorium at 5:00 PM, Ceremony at 7:00 PM

- Stadium opens at 5:00 PM for seating. All attendees must enter through the south field entrance between the Lever Gym and the pool.
- **Handicap parking and seating passes are available with Ms. Susie in the Front Office on a first-come, first-served basis.** There are a limited number available, so please pick one up ASAP if you need it for a family member!
 - Handicap parking and access will be off of 16th Avenue behind the Football Stadium.
 - Handicap seating will be on the track – each pass will include two seats only.
- **IMPORTANT CHANGES TO CEREMONY: Due to the new turf field, there are some important changes to the graduation ceremony including:**
 - **No one other than graduating Seniors and Pueblo staff will be permitted on the field before, during, or AFTER the ceremony.**
 - After the ceremony Seniors will walk out in an orderly fashion and report to one of four locations to pick up their actual diploma. Families can meet students at these locations:
 - Group 1: Top 25 --> Rows A4/B4 to Lever Gym North Entry
 - Group 2: Rows A5/B5 --> A8/B8 to Lever Gym South Entry
 - Group 3: Rows A9/B9 --> A12/B12 to LaVetter Gym
 - Group 4: Rows A13/B13 --> A17/B17 to Cafeteria
 - **Footwear Restrictions: No thin/spiky heels allowed! This will damage the field and also cause potential injury to students.** Approved footwear includes:
 - Boots, wedges, block heels (heel should be as wide as your palm, not as thin as your finger)
 - If students do not pick up their diploma on Wednesday evening they can still pick it up at Pueblo during the following times:
 - Thursday, May 21st from 12:30 – 3:00 PM
 - Friday, May 22nd from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM
- **Pueblo High School and TUSD has the right to prohibit entry and/or remove a person(s) deemed disorderly, intoxicated-impaired, not complying with staff directives to maintain a safe campus or considered a threat.**
- **Zero tolerance with persons in conflict, to include arguments. Persons involved will be escorted off campus.**
- **Security Restrictions Include:**
 - No intoxicated/individuals suspected to be under the influence of any substance will be denied entry.
 - No weapons of any sort.
 - No ballistic vests
 - No alcohol, narcotics-drugs, vaping pens, tobacco products, edibles
 - NO BAG Policy
 - No clear bags. No purses. No tote bags. No clutches, No backpacks. No satchels. No fanny packs. No shoulder bags or similar items, No camera bags.
 - No gift bags of any sort, even if sealed.

- No outside food or drinks.
- No hydro flasks, yeti or similar containers.
- No graduation signs
- No fireworks, sparklers, confetti, powder cannons, poppers or any similar items. No horns, cow bells, no big heads/fat heads.
- No umbrellas
- No bagged chairs. Chairs must be brought in without bags.
- No pets. ADA service animals only.
- Exceptions and Subject to Search:
 - Diaper bags. Must be with child at the time of entrance
 - Strollers. Must be with child at the time of entrance.
 - Women's wallets. Up to 6"x3".
 - Portable Stadium Cushion. Must not be in bags.
 - Sealed clear water bottles.
 - Medical supplies. All medications should be labeled.