



# **UNIONVILLE HIGH SCHOOL**

GRADUATION INFORMATION PRESENTATION  
CLASS OF 2024



# Congrats!

**ON THIS HUGE ACCOMPLISHMENT!**

In this slideshow you will find everything you need to know about attending our UHS Graduation Ceremony 2024 and other important information related to Graduation.

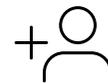
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# PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Graduates,

It has been an honour and privilege to serve as your Principal this academic year, your last year of high school. This year, like any other, brought its unique set of challenges and triumphs. Each of you, in your own way, has demonstrated resilience, adaptability, and an unwavering commitment to learning and becoming the best version of yourself.

As you embark on the next phase of your journey, whether you are planning to move on to the workforce or other post-secondary options such as college or university, know that your potential is limitless, and your future is bright.

Go forth with the confidence that you can, and will, make a meaningful impact in the world.

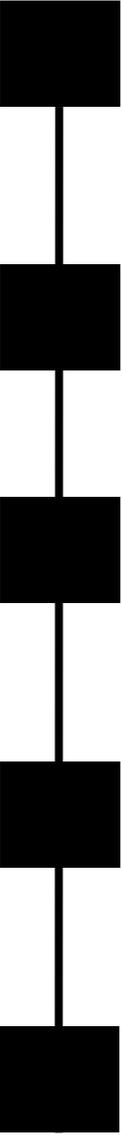
You will always belong to our UHS family.

With pride and best wishes,

Ms. Nunes



# TIMELINE OF EVENTS



## GRADUATION AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS APPLICATIONS

- May 2024

## GRADUATION PACKAGE PICKUP

- Friday, June 7, 2024

## GRADUATION CEREMONY

- Wednesday, June 26, 2024

## DIPLOMA PICKUP

- Starting Monday, July 8, 2024

## GAPPS ACCOUNT DEACTIVATION

- No later than July 2024



## [SELF-NOMINATED GRADUATION AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS](#)

Don't forget to join the **Scholarship Google Classroom** for scholarship and graduation award opportunities!

Applications for the following graduation awards open May 3rd and close May 15th at 3:00 pm:

1. **LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR'S VOLUNTEER AWARD**
2. **MARKHAM DENTAL AWARD**
3. **SOUTHEAST COLLECTOR ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES AWARD**
4. **YRDSB STUDENT TRUSTEE AWARD FOR CHARACTER**

Don't forget that self-nominations for Valedictorian are due by May 8th at 3:00PM!

## [VALEDICTORIAN GOOGLE FORM](#)

More information regarding scholarship opportunities, graduation awards applications, and the valedictorian nomination form are all available in the Scholarship Google Classroom (**code: 6fdb6l3**).

# GRADUATION AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

# WHEN

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2024

- Period 1: 8:30AM - 9:00AM
- Period 2: 9:50AM - 10:20AM
- Period 3: 11:10AM - 11:40AM
- Period 4: 12:30PM - 1:00PM
- Period 5: 1:50PM - 2:20PM

# WHERE

Library



# GRADUATION PACKAGE PICKUP

On **Friday, June 7, 2024**, please visit the library on your lunch to pick up your **Graduation Gown Package, Composite and/or Yearbook. (as applicable)**

Staff and volunteers will be there the first 30 minutes of each period.

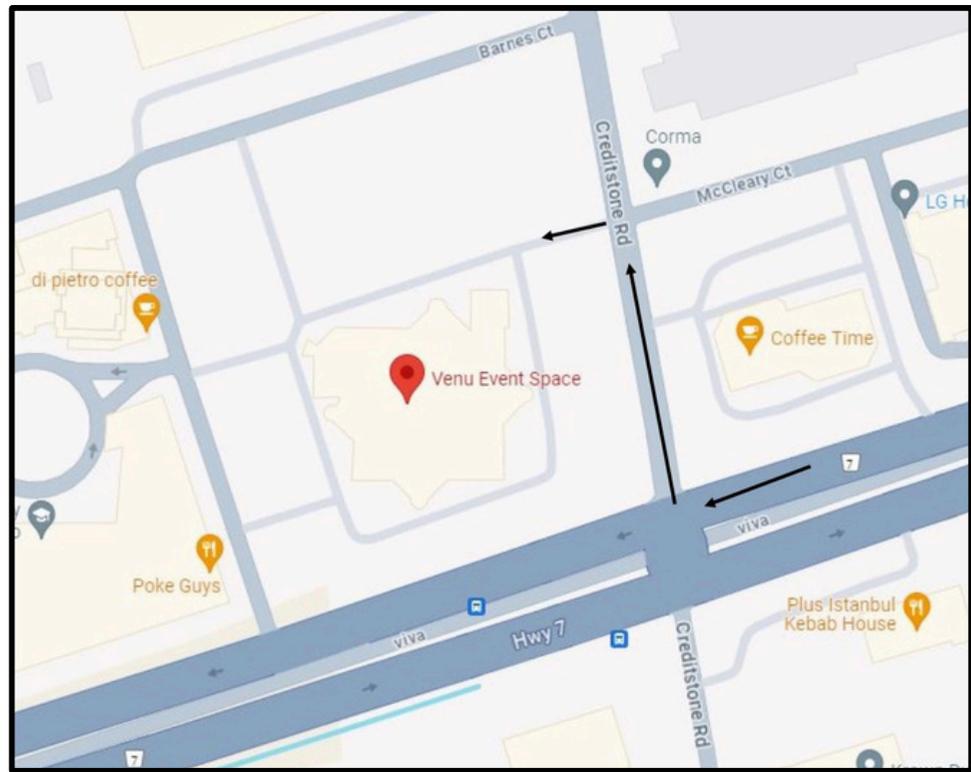
## YOUR GRADUATION GOWN PACKAGE WILL INCLUDE:

- Grad Gown
- Grad Cap
- One Envelope Which Will Include:
  - Your Grad Cap Tassel
  - A Graduation Ceremony Information Sheet
  - 2 Guest Tickets

A graduate **does not** require a ticket to attend the ceremony. Guests **will** require a ticket to attend. **NO TICKET = NO ENTRY.** Due to our large graduating class we are unable to accommodate the request for extra tickets.

## ACTION REQUIRED ✓

In order to pick up your graduation package you **must** review this presentation and fill out the graduation Google Form located at the end of this presentation.



**DATE:** WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2024

**LOCATION:** venu event space

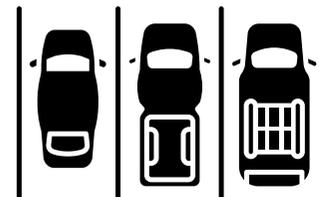
**ADDRESS:** 2800 HIGHWAY 7, WOODBRIDGE

**PHONE NUMBER:** 416 - 238 - 8195

**ARRIVAL TIME:** 5:30PM

**DOORS OPEN:** 6:00PM

**CEREMONY START TIME:** 6:30PM



**\*PARKING IS FREE\***

# GRADUATION CEREMONY DETAILS



# GRADUATION CEREMONY TIMELINE

## **ARRIVAL TIME: 5:30PM**

- Graduates must arrive by 5:30pm and report to their Graduation Prep room according to their alpha
- Please do not forget to bring your Grad wear

## **PREPARATION: 5:30PM - 6:30PM**

- Graduates will prepare for the ceremony in Graduation Prep room (get dressed into gown, receive reader card and line up for procession)
- Guests tickets are collected and Graduates will proceed to the ballroom on the second floor

## **REFRESHMENTS: 5:30PM - 6:00PM**

- Guests are welcome to refreshments in the lobby. (May contain traces of nuts)

## **DOORS OPEN: 6:00PM**

- Guests are seated in the ballroom and await the procession

## **CEREMONY START TIME: 6:30PM**

- Graduates walk in to procession and ceremony begins

## **EXPECTED CEREMONY END TIME: 8:30PM**

- Guests are expected to stay for the duration of the entire ceremony

**GRADUATION CAP**



**TASSEL**

**2 X GUEST TICKETS**



**STOLE**

**GRADUATION GOWN**



**DON'T  
FORGET  
TO BRING...**

# GRADUATION CEREMONY EXPECTATIONS

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- ✓ Please arrive on time and go to the designated Graduation Prep room according to your alpha
- ✓ You must pick up your name card in Graduation Prep room and **KEEP IT WITH YOU AT ALL TIMES.**
- ✓ Line up with your marshall and wait for instructions.
- ✓ As you step on stage give your name card to the reader
- ✓ Graduates will be seated in alphanumeric order to allow for official proceedings (You **may not** change seats with a friend)
- ✓ Please keep cellphones on silent mode
- ✓ Please dress appropriately. Comfortable footwear is recommended
- ✓ You must wear your cap & gown to cross the stage. Gowns should be zipped up when on stage
- ✓ Your sash is worn with the point in the back and your tassel should hang on the right side of your cap. Once you cross the stage you can move your tassel to the left
- ✓ You may need to steam your gown and sash. **Do NOT iron**
- ✓ If you misplace or forget your cap or gown, you will have to purchase them at the venue at a cost of \$20.00 (**while supplies last**)
- ✓ There will be no coat check or place to secure personal items
- ✓ Graduates and families **must remain seated** until the end of the ceremony

# FLOWERS



# READER CARDS



# PHOTOGRAPHY OPPOURTUNITIES



Fresh flowers and teddy bears will be available for pre-order and sale at the venue. Simply order online through the link below and stop by the booth located at the entrance of the ceremony.

**PLEASE PRE-ORDER HERE**

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Each graduate will be given a reader card in the Graduation Prep room. This card is your introduction to be read by a staff member before you walk across the stage.

You must keep this card during the ceremony and present it to the reader before you cross the stage.

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There will be a professional photographer taking pictures of students as they cross the stage. We ask parents to remain seated at all times throughout the ceremony. Details will be shared closer to the ceremony regarding how to access photos.



From **Monday, July 8, 2024 - Thursday, July 25, 2024** graduates will be able to pick up their diploma and official transcript from the main office.

Diploma PICK UP hours for the main office are:

**Monday, July 8, 2024 - Thursday, July 25, 2024**

**8:30am - 2:30pm**

**Friday Closed**

When coming to pick up your diploma please remember to bring your student card for identification purposes.

If you are unable to pick up your diploma and are sending a parent/guardian to pick up the diploma on your behalf you must email [unionville.hs@yrdsb.ca](mailto:unionville.hs@yrdsb.ca) **no less than 48 hours in advance**. In the email, please provide your legal and preferred name with your student number, as well as the full name of the person picking it up on your behalf. Identification will be required for your parent/guardian to pick up your diploma.

# DIPLOMA PICKUP



**GAPPS  
ACCOUNT  
WILL BE  
DE-ACTIVATED**

Graduates and any student leaving YRDSB at the end of June 2024 who wish to keep work that has been saved on YRDSB Google Drive (GAPPS account) will need to download it **no later than the end of July 2024.**

You will not have access to this account after this time.

Instructions on how to download your Google data is posted on the Graduation Google Classroom and has been e-mailed to your GAPPS account.

# GRADUATION PRESENTATION SIGN OFF GOOGLE FORM

## ACTION REQUIRED

Please click on the link below and complete prior to pick up of your graduation gown on **June 7, 2024**.

[GRADUATION PRESENTATION SIGN OFF FORM](#)

You will not be able to pick up your graduation gown until this Google Form has been completed.

Thank you for taking the time to read through this presentation.

Thank you to the members of the UHS Graduation Committee for making this amazing event even more special.

