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Moss School Kindergarten Graduation Details

Tuesday, June 15th, 2021

To Mrs. Kandel's / Ms. Mauro's / Ms. McKenna's PM Kindergarten:

We will be hosting Moss Kindergarten graduation tomorrow, one class at a time, starting in the gym. Below is the information for your class's graduation ceremony times and logistics:

Students will be dropped off at their regular time, via regular arrival procedures at 11:25AM.

We will have ceremonies staggered by class time slots throughout the morning. Your child's class time slot will be scheduled for 11:35AM.

Please park on Bounty and walk to the gym door with the ramp. Students will be brought to the gym by their teacher and will be arranged in a circle for the ceremony and dance. Once students are arranged, you will be invited to enter the gym and find your child and stand behind them, parents first. Masks must be worn upon entering the building.

Here is the agenda for the flow of activities:

11:35 – 11:45 am – In the Gym for the ceremony.

11:45 – 12:05 pm - Students/Guests will be directed to look on the gym walls to find out why Moss student's future is so bright. Once you find your child's my future is so bright, you make carefully take it down from the wall to keep and then exit the gym via the hallway towards to front of the school.

11:45 – 12:05 pm

1. Families can line up for a Photo Op in front of a PTO sponsored Mural in the hallway. Masks can be temporarily removed for the family at the Mural only. Once the photos at the Mural are taken, masks must be placed back on. If anyone is not comfortable waiting in the hallway in which one family at a time will be allowed to remove their masks for a photo, families can opt out of the Mural photo and go out of the gym via the ramp door (where you entered) and walk around to the front door for the photo with the teacher and diploma distribution. Since it may be raining, umbrellas are recommended since there could be a line formed outside while waiting for one on one photos with the teacher.

2. Once done with the mural photo and masks are back on, the family will be directed up the Main stairs to the front door where the teacher and para will be waiting. Diplomas will be distributed and family photos with teacher and para can be taken.
3. Parents have a choice of what to do next:
 - a. If you wish to take your child home with you at that time, please go around the building, outside back to your car and have a wonderful summer.
 - b. If you wish to have your child stay at school, please bring your child back into the building and walk your child back to your child's homeroom where Mrs. Jensen will be there to engage them in some fun activities until your child's teacher is done with individual photos.

Timing is of the utmost importance. We will be starting promptly and will have to limit the amount of time each family takes for photos and diplomas. Thank you again so much for all your flexibility and adaptability and cooperation. We can't wait to celebrate together as a class tomorrow, rain or shine.

Sincerely,

Rick Cohen and all of Moss School