EHS GRADUATION 2022

1. All graduates must complete all course work and tests and the results must be on file by the end of the school day on Thursday, May 12. Grades and Transcripts will be FINAL at noon on Friday, May 13th.

2. We have hired a professional photographer for our graduation ceremony. I encourage you to purchase a picture of your graduate as this makes a wonderful keepsake and you will not be able to leave your reserved seat during the ceremony. In addition, a group photo will be taken of the graduates at dress rehearsal on Thursday, May 19th. An order form is provided with this packet and must be returned with full payment during graduation rehearsal on Thursday, May 19th.

3. Each year Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church in Erath holds a graduation mass for all graduates of Erath High School. All graduates are invited to participate in the ceremony, even if you are not Catholic or if you attend another church. The mass will be held on Sunday, May 15th at 5:00 p.m. Graduates will line-up outside the church at 4:30 p.m. in their graduation gown (no cap) following the complete graduation dress code.

4. All debts must be cleared with the office by the end of the school day on Thursday, May 20th.

5. If all debts are paid, students will receive their medallion, gold tassel, and cords after practice on Wednesday, May 19th.

6. If all debts are paid and all practices attended, students will receive their 10 guest tickets after practice on Thursday, May 19th. ALL individuals, regardless of age, must have a ticket to attend the ceremony. Contact Mr. Turner if your family needs extra tickets.

7. All graduates must follow one of the two dress code options as stated on the graduation memo. If you are not in full dress code for the ceremony, you will **not** walk with the class.

8. All graduates must report to the mandatory scheduled practices (Wed. 5/18, 8:00 a.m. in the gym and Thurs. 5/19, 8:00 a.m. in the gym.) If you fail to report for any of the scheduled practices, you will **not** be allowed to participate in the ceremony, but may pick up your diploma in the EHS office on Monday, May 23rd. **(NO EXCUSES ACCEPTED.)** There is no dress code for the practice on Wednesday. However, full graduation attire must be worn to practice on Thursday.

9. All graduates must be at the gym promptly at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 21st dressed in **full** graduation attire. Graduation will begin at 7:30 p.m. The location of the ceremony will be at Robert J Segura Memorial Stadium.

10. Students have the option to have a private individual graduation in the gym. We will schedule these individual graduations for Sunday, May 22nd. If you are interested, contact me by April 25th.

11. Students have the option to opt out of the graduation ceremony. Your diploma will be given to you after Saturday, May 21st. If you are opting out of a ceremony, I need your name by April 25th.

12. Contact me directly if you have any questions. Marc Turner 356-2141 marc.turner@vpsb.net