Summers County Board of Education

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GRADUATION POLICY

The Summers County Board of Education believes that the graduation ceremony of every graduating class should be a dignified, enjoyable, and lasting experience for the graduate as well as for families and guests. Provisions for the safety and comfort of everyone involved should be taken into consideration when planning this experience.

Therefore, it shall be the policy of the Summers County Board of Education that weather permitting, graduation shall be held in Garten Stadium with unlimited guests being allowed to attend. In the event that weather will not permit, the ceremony shall be moved into the gymnasium where attendance will be limited to ticket holders only.

To be prepared for admittance to the gymnasium, seniors will be allowed to request and be issued up to eight tickets each. After the original allotment of tickets has been issued, any remaining tickets will issued based upon first come, first served.

The decision to move the graduation indoors will be made by the principal in consultation with the senior sponsors.

The only end-of-year activities that early graduates will be involved in are senior awards, prom, and graduation.