

To: Paris CUSD 4, Paris Union School District No. 95, and PHS Families and Staff
From: Mrs. Danette Young, Superintendent and Dr. Jeremy Larson, Superintendent
Subject: Letter to Families and Staff about High School End-of-Year Events
Date: April 8, 2020

Dear Paris Students, Staff, and Families:

The end of a school year is a special time for students filled with extraordinary moments and lifelong memories. We recognize the importance of these events are even more significant for seniors graduating their final year of high school. The closure of schools has left a lot of questions regarding prom, May Fete, and high school graduation. We want to ensure you we understand the value of these events, and we will do our best to find ways to celebrate our seniors.

At this time, the Governor has not cancelled school for the month of May nor has the CDC provided guidance regarding events. The administrators have been busy discussing these topics and working to find solutions. Before we make an announcement regarding these events, we want to make sure we have all the facts so that we can ensure the best decision is made for our high school students.

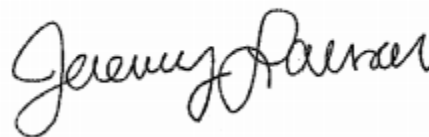
Several ideas have been discussed regarding postponing the events, turning events into virtual ceremonies, or cancelling the event due to community safety. We can assure you that at this time, no decision has been made. When more information is released from the State, we will do our best to provide information to our families in a timely manner.

Thank you for your support during this time. Please feel free to reach out to us with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,



Mrs. Danette Young, Superintendent



Dr. Jeremy Larson, Superintendent