

# Somerville High School

## Graduation Ceremony Procedures

### Graduates

- Dress Code:
  - Boys should wear white, collared shirts with a tie, dark pants and dark dress shoes. They must be neatly trimmed and groomed.
  - Girls should wear a dress, within dress code, or slacks and a nice blouse. Girls should wear dress shoes in which they are able to walk comfortably, as we will be walking from the Yegua Center to the gym.
  - No jeans, flip flops or tennis shoes are to be worn by anyone.
  - Facial piercings may not be worn and all tattoos must be covered.
  - Hair must be a natural color.
- All students must arrive to the Yegua Center by 9:00 a.m. for accountability and dress code check.
- No phones, purses or other personal items may be left in the Yegua Center nor be carried to the gymnasium from the Yegua Center.

### Guests

- Gym doors will be open by 9:00 a.m.
- All guests should be seated by 9:50 a.m. so that the graduates may march without distractions.
- Seats on the gym floor are generally reserved for the graduate families.
- Cell phones should be silenced or muted during the ceremony.
- Guests are asked to remain seated until all graduates have exited the building.