

KRUM HIGH SCHOOL

GRADUATION CEREMONY BEHAVIOR CONTRACT

We, the **SENIOR CLASS OF 2017**, recognize that graduation is a formal ceremony of decorum. **Graduation will be on Friday, June 2, 2017 at 2:00 pm at Denton Bible Church.** Participation in the Krum High School graduation ceremony is a privilege, not a right. We wish for this to be a prestigious event remembered for years to come. It is for this reason that we agree to the following terms:

Before participating in the graduation ceremony:

- Students who have exceeded nine absences in any class (per semester) must complete ALL make-up hours by May 24, 2017.
- All fines or obligations must be cleared with the office by May 24, 2017.
- Any student who receives disciplinary action, which results in an out of school suspension or placement at the Disciplinary Alternative Education Program (DAEP-Linda Tutt), must complete the disciplinary assignment by the end of the last day of class instruction.
- Any student sent to JJAEP after April 26th will not be able to participate in graduation ceremonies.

For the graduation ceremony, we will:

- Arrive on time (no later than 1:00 pm);
- Be alcohol and drug free;
- Be dressed appropriately;
- Have no vulgar or suggestive language or symbols on graduation gown or caps.
- Not bring drinks or food of any kind
- Not chew gum;
- Behave appropriately;
- Respect the speakers;
- Applaud appropriately;
- and Abide by all KISD, KHS, and Denton Bible Church rules.

Required Appropriate Dress is defined as:

- Collared shirt, tie and full length slacks with dark dress shoes for male students;
- Skirt, Dress, Sun Dress or Dress Slacks with dress shoes for female students;
- No jeans, shorts, or athletic shoes;
- Males must be clean shaven;
- All students will adhere to dress code within the guidelines of KISD and KHS policies.
- The graduation cap should be worn with the deep part to the back of the head, as level as possible. The tassel is on the left until everyone receives a diploma, and the principal announces that all may move it to the right.

Purses shall not be brought to the robing room as the student will not be able to carry them during the ceremony nor will they return to the robing room to retrieve them.

Unacceptable behavior before, during, or after the ceremony is defined as:

Inappropriate public behavior (i.e. gymnastics, pranks, obscene gestures, yelling, bringing toys, noise makers, flying objects, laser pointers, food, animals, throwing objects, not sticking to rehearsed speeches, etc.)

Failure to comply with the requirements above will result in loss of privilege to participate in the graduation ceremony and or disciplinary penalties/consequences. Any disciplinary penalties/consequences, including required community service, must be completed before receiving their diploma.

Student Name: _____

Check one statement below:

_____ Will participate in the graduation practice and ceremony

_____ Will not participate in the graduation practice and ceremony

Failure to comply with the listed requirements will result in loss of privilege to participate in the graduation ceremony and or disciplinary penalties/consequences. Any disciplinary penalties/consequences, including required community service, must be completed before receiving their diploma.

I, _____, as a member of the Krum High School Class of 2017, will abide by the provisions of this contract and will encourage my peers to do the same in order to ensure a ceremony with dignity. I understand that failure to comply with this contract and the rules of KISD, KHS, and Denton Bible Church may result in my immediate dismissal from the ceremony or school and disciplinary penalties/consequences. In addition, I may be denied entrance into Project Graduation.

Student Signature

Print Student Name

Date

As a parent/guardian of a graduating senior, I support this contract and encourage 2017 seniors to abide by the stated provisions. By signing this contract, I understand that failure of my senior to comply may result in his/her immediate dismissal from the ceremony or school and disciplinary penalties/consequences. In addition, he/she may be denied entrance into Project Graduation

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Graduation and practice for 2017

Practice* Friday, May 26, 2017 9:00 am Denton Bible Church

Graduation Friday June 2, 2017 2:00 pm Denton Bible Church

***Students with speaking parts must rehearse at practice**

Return *this page* of the contract to the KHS office by 3:00 pm Monday, May 15th. Failure to return signifies that the student will not participate in the graduation practice or ceremony.