

Worcester Public Schools
2021 Middle School Graduation Guidelines

Gates will open for graduations one hour prior to the start of each ceremony.

Please, only guests with official tickets will be admitted. In the event of rain, the ceremony will take place under a large tent on the field adjacent to the main field. Remember your umbrella!

General Admission Seating, Masking, and Distancing

Per DESE guidelines, guests who are not fully vaccinated are encouraged to wear masks. All guests are strongly encouraged to maintain distance between households. Guests who are not feeling well or experiencing symptoms should not attend under any circumstances.

No Air Horns/Balloons/Confetti/Glitter/Signs

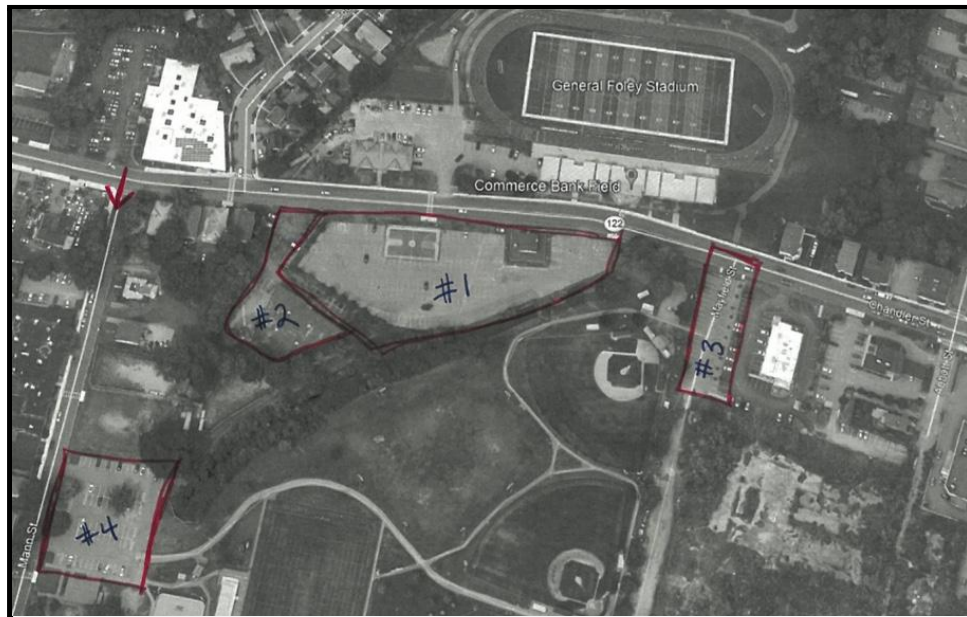
In line with how previous WPS graduations were executed, ***we ask that you leave these items in your car*** for after the ceremony.

Footwear for Graduates

No sort of heels or platform shoes are allowed. Aside from them being damaging to the turf, heels may sink which could result in an injury. This is a safety concern just as much as it is a maintenance concern.

Parking

Below is a map of parking lots that are within walking distance of the stadium. Prices may vary. All guests and staff should expect to use parking lots/garages #1-4.



After the Ceremony

Plan to exit immediately after the end of the ceremony and meet your graduate outside the stadium. Per DESE guidelines, no communal gatherings or receptions are permitted.