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Dear Graduating Seniors and Parents,

As we enter second semester of senior year, we want to keep everyone informed of important upcoming dates and information.

Graduation ceremonies for the Class of 2017 will be held on Saturday, June 10, 2017 at 11:00 am at the East Los Angeles College stadium.

Rehearsal is mandatory for a student to be eligible to participate in graduation, it will be on June 9th at 8:00 a.m., students will meet in the auditorium this day. A full list of important dates and information about the graduation ceremony is on the backside of this letter.

Graduation has traditionally been a dignified occasion befitting the culmination of the high school experience. Many people are working hard to make sure this year's ceremony will be a memorable event for both graduates and guests. Participation in this ceremony is not mandatory but is based upon each graduate's fulfillment of all requirements and his or her commitment to cooperate. If a graduate chooses to take part, he or she will be expected to exhibit the attitude and behavior appropriate to the occasion.

Faculty and staff will assist with graduation rehearsal and with the line-up prior to the ceremony itself. If a graduate is not properly dressed or is not conducting him or herself appropriately, he or she will be removed from the ceremony and will not receive the diploma until after a conference with the principal.

If a graduate chooses to participate in the ceremony, they will have to ensure that they have met their academic graduation requirements and upheld the rules outlined in their senior contract.

We look forward to a positive and rewarding ceremony for all students.

Any questions regarding the Graduation Contract or graduation ceremony may be directed to the 12th grade Counselor, Ms. Carr or the Assistant Principal over graduation, Ms. Selig at 323-549-5900.

Sincerely,

Kimberly Lesure Principal