

COMMENCEMENT INFORMATION FOR 2024 GRADUATES

COMMENCEMENT Sunday, December 5, 2024 at 3:00 p.m. at the Dothan Civic Center.

REPORTING TIME All candidates for graduation must report to the Dothan Civic Center between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m. Signs will direct graduates to the check-in area where each graduate will receive a card for use in the ceremony. **Do not** lose this card.

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SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS You, the graduate, or a family member require special accommodations for the Commencement Ceremony, please let us know as soon as possible, so we may make arrangements in advance of the day of the event by **Debbie Kirby** dbkirby@troy.edu or **Margaret Asselint** masselin177708@troy.edu

PROCEDURES FOR COMMENCEMENT

PROCESSIONAL ORDER Marshals lead students into the arena. Graduate students are followed by undergraduate students. Marshal 1 leads graduate students in order of college: CASSCOB, CCFA, COE, then CHS. Marshal 2 leads BS + AS in order of colleges: SCOB, CCFA, COE, CHS. Remain standing for The National Anthem invocation. (Men remove mortarboard.)

CONFERRING THE DEGREES After the commencement address, **Dr. Palmer** will ask all degree candidates to stand. He will affirm to the Chancellor that all degree requirements have been met and recommend the conferring of the degrees. The Chancellor will then confer each degree. At this point, please each graduate will move his/her tassel from the right side of the mortarboard to the left. After each degree is conferred, **Dr. Palmer** will ask the graduates to be seated.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMA COVERS (UNDERGRADUATES)

Frequent

