

# MHS CLASS OF 2020 Senior Calendar



August	13	Senior Class Assembly (during school)
August	13 17	Yearbook "Back to School special" ends-includes free name or monogram and 4 icons (\$85)
	21	MHS Open House
	27	Senior Parent Night 6:30pm MHS Auditorium – Sponsored by the MHS Guidance Dept.
	30	Full Release Day (student holiday)
	30	Yearbook \$85 price ends (does not include free name or icons-see above) order at
	30	www.Miltonyearbook.com
	31	Senior Dues <u>deadline</u> - to be entered in free parking pass drawing (\$100 collected by the PTO**)
September	2	Labor Day (school holiday)
•	5	Balfour Class Ring and Letter Jacket Sizing day – all lunches in the MHS Cafeteria
	10	Yearbook Senior Tribute Discount #1 (lowest price) order at <a href="https://www.MiltonYearbook.com">www.MiltonYearbook.com</a>
	12/13	Cap & Gown, class ring, and letter jacket orders taken through Balfour (cash or check) during
	•	lunches at MHS (for those who can't order at <a href="https://www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a> ) *see details on last page
	26	PTO Senior Snack
October	1	Senior PTO dues deadline – you will be entered in a 2 <sup>nd</sup> drawing for a prom package
	3	Cap & Gown and Grad Announcement orders taken through Balfour (cash or check) during
		lunches at MHS (for those who can't order at <a href="https://www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a> ) *see details on last page
	10	Yearbook Senior Tribute discount #2 ( <u>www.MiltonYearbook.com</u> )
	11	Teacher Workday (student holiday)
	14	Columbus Day (school holiday)
	15	Full Release Day (student holiday)
	15	Lip Sync Show (MHS Gym)
	16	PSAT 9 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> Grade/SAT offered for Seniors
	16	Powder Puff Game (MHS Stadium)
	17	Fall Festival (MHS Front Lawn)
	18	Homecoming parade, football game, and court presentation
	19	Homecoming Dance 7 – 11pm, MHS front lawn
	31	PTO Senior Snack
November	1	Senior PTO Dues deadline – paid students will be entered into a prom package drawing
	5	Election Day (student holiday)
	7	Cap & Gown and Grad Announcement orders taken through Balfour (cash or check) during
		lunches at MHS (for those who can't order at <a href="https://www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a> ) *see details on last page
	10	Yearbook Senior Tribute Discount #3 <u>www.MiltonYearbook.com</u>
	20	Senior Service Day with lunch provided by the PTO
	20	Yearbook Senior Tribute final <b>deadline</b>
	25-29	Thanksgiving Holidays
December	12	PTO Senior Snack
12/2	23 – 1/2	Winter Holidays
January 9	9/16/17	Cap & Gown and Grad Announcement orders taken through Balfour (cash or check) during
-		lunches at MHS (for those who can't order at <a href="https://www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a> ) *see details on last page
	20	MLK Day (school holiday)
	23	PTO Senior Snack
	31	Cap and Gown order Final <b>DEADLINE</b> . Late fee added after today – price goes up \$25 tomorrow!
		(online orders taken at <u>www.gabalfour.com</u> )
	31	Yearbook \$90 price ends – does not include free name or icons

February	1	\$25 LATE ORDER FEE added to all Cap & Gown orders (www.gabalfour.com)
•	3	Full Release Day (student holiday)
	6	Cap & Gown (late fee) and Grad Announcement orders taken through Balfour (cash or check)
		during lunches at MHS (for those who can't order at <a href="www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a> ) Final day to order
		Graduation Announcements at school *see details on last page
	13	PTO Senior Snack
	17	Presidents Day (school holiday)
	29	Yearbook \$95 price ends – does not include free name or icons ( <u>www.MiltonYearbook.com</u> )
March	1	Yearbook \$100 (orders must be placed before 3/1 to guarantee a yearbook on distribution day)
	1	Grad Lawn Sign ordering begins—see flyer on senior page under "students" at www.miltonhighschool.com
	13/16	Teacher Workdays (student holidays)
	19	PTO Senior Snack
	28	Prom, Georgia Freight Depot, 7 – 11pm
	29	Grad Lawn Sign order <u>deadline</u> #1 (free school delivery Tues. 4/14) order at <u>www.vipdecals.com</u>
April	2	Cap & Gown orders taken through Balfour (cash or check-\$25 late fee) during lunches at MHS for those that can't order at <a href="www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a> (Graduation announcement orders available online only) *see details on last page
	6-10	Spring Break
	14	Grad Sign pick up in MHS Atrium (only orders placed by March 29)
	16	PTO Senior Snack
	19	Grad Lawn Sign order deadline #2 (free school delivery Thur. 4/30) www.vipdecals.com
	24	After this date, all Cap & Gown orders (online only) will be shipped home for an additional shipping fee. No free school delivery for orders placed after 4/24
	24	International Night (MHS Gym)
	27	Cap & Gown delivery at MHS during lunches
	30	Grad Lawn Sign pick up in MHS Atrium (only orders placed by April 19 <sup>th</sup> )
	TBA	<b>Deadline</b> for submitting pictures for Senior Slide Show
	TBA	PTO Sponsored Senior Event
May	3	Grad Lawn Sign order Final Deadline (free school delivery Wed. May 13) www.vipdecals.com
	13	Grad Lawn Sign final free school pick-up (only orders placed by May 13)
	TBA	Deadline for submitting cards/letters for Red Envelopes (more details TBA)
	TBA	Senior BBQ/Slide Show/Red Envelopes distribution (more details TBA)
	TBA	Mandatory Graduation Practice at Ameris Bank Amphitheatre—day/time TBA
	TBA	Graduation Ceremony at Ameris Bank Amphitheatre

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Senior Final Exam schedule TBA

The **graduation ceremony** will be held at Ameris Bank Amphitheatre during the last week of school (5/18-5/22). The exact date is determined by the amphitheatre schedule and will be announced in February. The mandatory graduation practice at the amphitheatre will most likely take place the week before, or possibly the weekend before, the ceremony. With this advance notice, please do not make plans to go out of town or be otherwise engaged during the last two weeks of school (5/9 - 5/22). Requests to miss the mandatory graduation practice will be addressed only by Principal Jones and will not be approved except in the most extraordinary and unusual circumstances.

<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>On days that Balfour is at MHS during lunches, seniors may order letter jackets and class rings also

## What are the Costs Associated with Senior Year?

\*Mandatory—Graduation Fee \$80 (Participating in the graduation ceremony is not required to graduate and receive a diploma. However, it is a tradition that most families/students choose to participate in.

All graduating seniors who plan to participate in the graduation ceremony must pay the graduation fee of \$80 (collected at <a href="www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a>). This fee includes a cap and gown with embroidered M logo, 2020 tassel, and diploma cover. The cap, gown, and tassel will be delivered to school for student pick up prior to the ceremony date if placed by the April 24<sup>th</sup> deadline. The diploma cover will be given to the student during the graduation ceremony. Fee should be paid online at <a href="www.gabalfour.com">www.gabalfour.com</a>. For those who cannot pay online with a credit or debit card, Balfour representatives will be at school at various times throughout the year (see the calendar for dates) to accept fees by cash or check.

### Fee: \$80 (increases to \$105 on February 1st, 2020)

Families with a demonstrated financial hardship can receive assistance. Please email Mrs. Angel (MHS Graduation Coordinator) at <a href="mailto:angel@fultonschool.org">angel@fultonschool.org</a> or Patrick Hartigan (MHS Social Worker) at <a href="mailto:hartigan@fultonschools.org">hartigan@fultonschools.org</a> or the student's school counselor for assistance.

All questions regarding Graduation 2020 should be sent to Jackie Angel (Graduation Coordinator/Senior Class Advisor at angel@fultonschools.org

#### \*\*PTO Senior Events/Senior Dues: \$100

Senior t-shirt, monthly snack days, Senior Service Day, Red Envelopes, Senior BBQ, Senior Slide Show, and Senior Grad Celebration event are paid for through Senior Dues - \$100 (deadline Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> 2019). All students who pay by Aug. 31<sup>st</sup> will be entered into a drawing for a free parking pass (\$ will be reimbursed). Students who have paid by Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> will be entered into a second drawing for a Prom Package. To pay dues, go to

https://miltoneaglespto.membershiptoolkit.com, log in/create an account, then scroll down to the choices for paying PTO membership and Senior Dues. If you need financial assistance, please contact Mrs. Angel at <a href="mailto:angel@fultonschools.org">angel@fultonschools.org</a> or student's school counselor. Additional monetary donations to cover students with financial hardships will be greatly appreciated. If you can't pay online, a printable, mail-in form can be found on the PTO website (see address above) under the Seniors tab, senior information.

All questions regarding any of the above PTO *Senior Events*, senior dues, and/or PTO volunteer opportunities should be sent to Miltonclass2020@gmail.com

### **Additional Optional Costs**

- Graduation announcements with official engraved Milton Crest. *Price*: set by Balfour and determined by package ordered at www.gabalfour.com (see calendar for deadlines)
- Honor students will be eligible to wear honor tassels and/or stoles at graduation. These can only be purchased through the school and honor society sponsors. The prices vary from \$10 \$20. More info will be made available during Spring Semester. Club and society members should see individual sponsors for information.
- Yearbook. Price: \$85 \$100 (depending on when ordered—see deadlines on calendar)
- Senior Recognition Tribute in yearbook. *Price*: varies depending on size purchased/date ordered (see calendar)
- Personalized Milton Grad lawn sign. Price: \$25/\$35 <u>Senior class fundraiser</u> flyer can be found at <u>www.miltonhighschool.com</u> on the senior page under "students." Orders will be taken beginning March 1, 2020 at <u>www.vipdecals.com</u>

Questions regarding the <u>Yearbook</u> should be sent to Jordan Kohanim at <u>kohanimj@fultonschools.org</u> (yearbook sponsor)

More details regarding senior events and graduation will be forthcoming through the MHS website senior page (<a href="www.miltonhighschool.com">www.miltonhighschool.com</a> click on "students" then "seniors") the digital Eagle Update, and senior email blasts. Please sign up for the Eagle Update at <a href="www.miltonhighschool.com">www.miltonhighschool.com</a> and <a href="make sure the school has your correct/updated family email address">make sure the school has your correct/updated family email address</a>.