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# Joane Cardinal Schubert High School Graduation 2026



## JCS Graduation Day, May 12, 2026

JCS Graduation Class of 2026 *The Day of Grad* Message!

### Graduation Ceremony

8:30am-12pm Graduation Ceremony

8am graduands arrive

8:30 am doors open to guest

9am SHARP ceremony starts

Tickets required for all guest, graduands do not need ticket.

### Graduation Banquet

5:00 to 10:30pm Graduation Banquet

5:00pm doors open

6:00pm reception and speeches

6:30pm buffet style dinner & late entry deadline

Approximately 8:30pm dance

Ticket required for all.

### Important Upcoming Dates:

- May 12 | JCS graduation ceremony and banquet
- May 22 | Indigenous Student Graduation Celebration

### Help — my graduating student has not picked up their gown.

Students who have not yet picked up their graduation gowns must arrive early (no later than 8:00 a.m.) at the BMO Centre to collect them. Students who are not wearing a graduation gown and V-stole will not be permitted to participate in the graduation ceremony.

### Graduation Ceremony Programs

Graduation ceremony programs will be available at the event. Please note that these programs differ from the souvenir program each student has already received. We kindly ask that families request no more than two programs per graduate.

### Graduation Banquet Tickets

Please ensure that all guests attending the graduation banquet have a copy of their PowerSchool purchase receipt, as it will serve as their admission ticket if requested.

Please note that late entry will not be permitted. Guests are asked to arrive on time, no later than 6:30 p.m., for the banquet dinner.

### Parking at BMO Centre

The Calgary Stampede is managed by Calgary Parking. The daily parking rate is \$18 per vehicle. Payment options available:

MyParking App - Pay using your smartphone.

Virtual Parking Machine - Visit [vpm.parkplus.ca](http://vpm.parkplus.ca) to pay online.

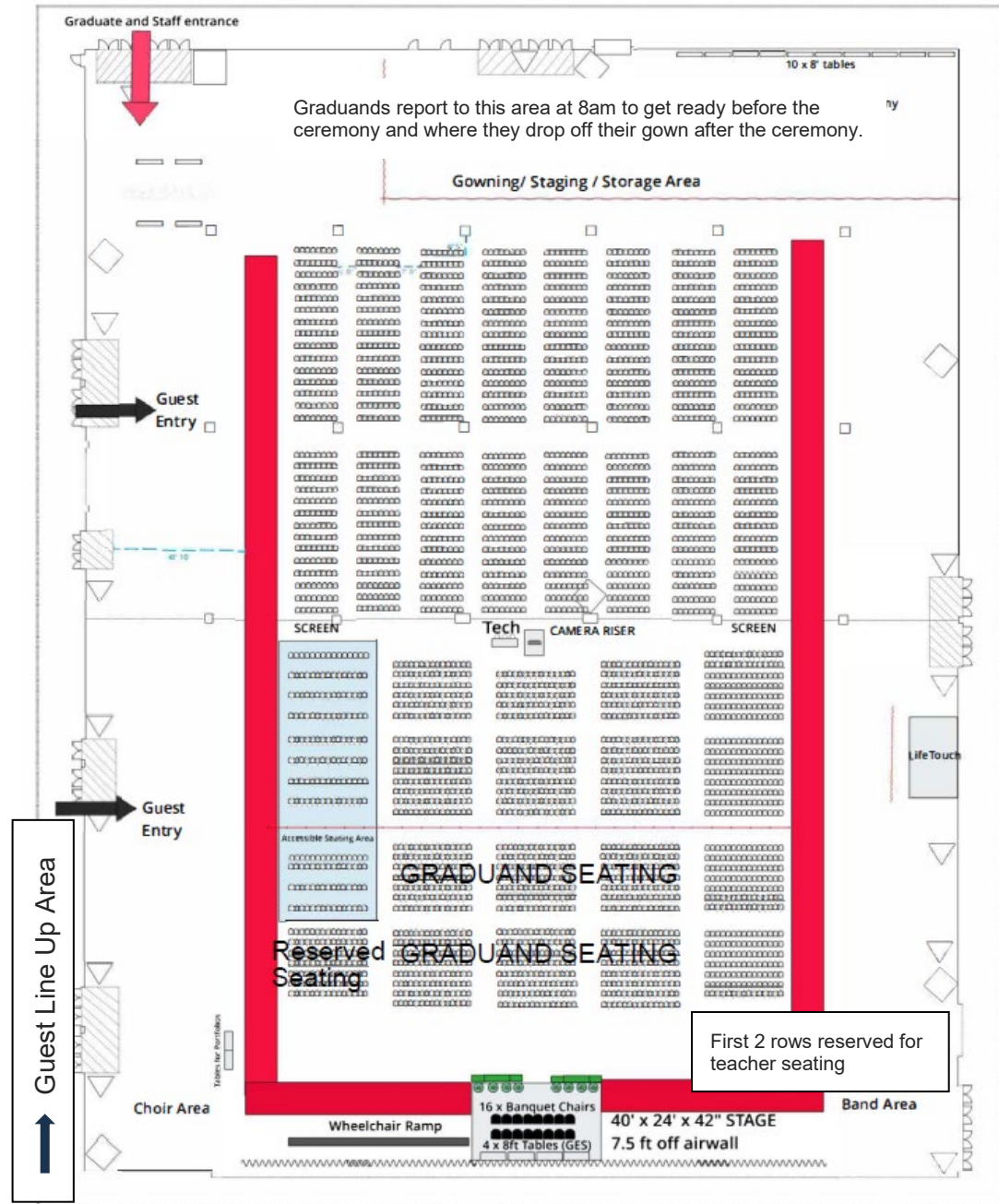
On-Site Parking Machines- Pay at one of the machines located throughout Stampede Park.

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## BMO Centre Graduation Ceremony Hall Map

Please note that graduands and staff will enter from the top of the map, while all guests should use the side entrance that is adjacent to the C-Train platform. Please also note the areas shaded blue are designated as accessible seating areas reserved for individuals with wheelchairs, walkers, etc.



## Graduation Ceremony Pictures

A Lifetouch photographer will capture a professional photo of each graduate during the ceremony. This photo will be provided to graduates at no cost before the end of

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May. Guests are welcome to take photos from their seats. However, access to the ceremony floor for photography will not be permitted.

### **Does walking in the graduation ceremony confirm that my student has met all graduation requirements?**

No, participation in the graduation ceremony is not an indication that the student will receive the Alberta Education High School Diploma or Certificate. Official Diplomas/Certificates are issued by Alberta Education upon completion of the [Alberta requirements](#).

### **Media Usage at BMO Centre**

Please note that the media vendor subcontracted by BMO includes a clause in their contract permitting the use of images captured during the event for promotional purposes. By attending the JCS Graduation Ceremony, you acknowledge that photos and video footage may be taken, broadcast, and used accordingly.

Repeated Messages from previous newsletters:

### **Thank you to Flower Aura by Natasha**

A sincere thank you to Flower Aura by Natasha for generously providing the floral arrangements for our graduation ceremony. The beautiful flowers add an extra special touch to our graduation ceremony. If you are interested, visit their website for additional graduation offerings, including corsages and boutonnieres.

<https://www.floweraurabynatasha.com/product-category/prom-flowers/>

### **Livestreaming Graduation Ceremony**

Please note that the JCS Graduation Ceremony will be livestreamed. Access details for the webcast will be shared exclusively with students through the Grad Class of 2026 D2L platform on Monday, May 11. To protect the safety and privacy of all students, we ask that this information not be shared on social media or other public platforms. Please be aware that the livestream may be cancelled if access details are distributed publicly.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the livestream, please contact Andrea Lloyd at [anlloyd@cbe.ab.ca](mailto:anlloyd@cbe.ab.ca).

### **Grad Fundraiser Information:**

#### **TipTop Grad Fundraiser**

The JCS fundraising society will get a \$25 donation for every suit purchased using our code until June 30th (up to a school maximum of \$2500), and the student will be entered to win \$10,000 for their education and future goals.

More information at: <https://prom.tiptop.ca/school/zqy8go8r>

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## We've partnered with SkipTheDepot

What is SkipTheDepot? A door-to-door bottle collection service that makes refundable recycling and fundraising easier than 1,2,3

1. Download the app and book a pickup using <https://app.skipthedepot.com/696a664898402d2ea60675d8>
2. Place your bags outside
3. Receive a refund or donate to us!



SkipTheDepot will allow everyone to donate directly to our organization with ease. Spread the word by sharing our SkipTheDepot posts on social media!

## Graduation 2026 Team Members:

Graduation Banquet and Ceremony Planning Team:

- [Ms. Baptist](#)
- [Ms. Taylor](#)
- [Ms. Lloyd](#)

Grad 2026 Student Initiatives Teacher Sponsor Team:

- [Ms. Gilbertson](#)
- [Ms. Hargreaves](#)

JCS Business Manager:

- [Michelle Tremblay](#)

For questions specific to your student, please contact:

Assistant Principals

- A-G: [Rob Brown](#)
- H-N: [Andrea Lloyd](#)
- O-Z: [Peter Zajiczek](#)

Student Advisors

- [Ben Kennedy](#) – English as an Additional Language (EAL), Indigenous Education, Knowledge & Employability (K&E), The Class
- [Shannon Maynes](#) – A-G
- [Mark Regnier](#) – H-N
- [Erin Melrose](#) – O-Z