SMHSSTUDENT/PARENT HANDBOOK 2022-23

SENIOR ACTIVITIES PRIVILEGES

It is a privilege for students to participate in their "Senior Activities" (prom, grad night, and graduation speeches). The "senior" student and their Prom Guest will be held accountable for his/her behavior, attendance and academic performance.

In order to participate in Prom, Grad Night and/or recite a Graduation Speech:

Senior:

- Attendance Must not have received a Truancy Letter 2 notification (36 cuts) during the current school year.
- Credits Must have earned a minimum of 190 (of their 220) credits by the beginning of Spring semester. No exceptions.
- Discipline Must not have committed a major discipline act resulting in suspension (on campus or off-campus) and/or expulsion during the current school year at SMHS or an alternative school.
- Fees Must be cleared of any outstanding ASB, Library or Textbook charges <u>prior</u> to the deadline of event.

Waiver Process for Ineligible Seniors:

Students who for the reasons stated above, have been deemed ineligible must request an appeal/waiver form from their counselor to be reviewed at the discretion of an administrator.

Prom Guest:

- Must have current grade level credits
 - 150 credits for 11th graders
 - 90 credits for 10th graders
 - 30 credits for 9th graders
- Must not have any outstanding ASB, Library or Textbook charges from their attending school or any other school they may have attended.
- Cannot have committed a major discipline act resulting in a suspension and/or expulsion during the year at SMHS or at an alternative school.
- Can have no more than <u>36 period</u> cuts as of the current school year.
- Guest **must** show proof of age (**must** be 20 years of age or younger); guests who are enrolled in alternative education must show a transcript.

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Senior Activities Privileges Appeal Form 2022-2023 School Year

Gradnite ☐ (If event is sold out, students will be placed on a waiting list)		Prom □	aduation Speech 🗆
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Student Name:		Student ID #:	
Guidance Counselor: _			2000000
I was denied my senio	or privilege because (check al	l that apply):	
☐ Attendance	☐ Credit Deficient	☐ Suspensions (on/of campus)	Fees < \$100 must be paid in full
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