#### Graduation Info for the Class of 2023!

Sunday, May 28, 2023 at 7:00pm University of North Texas Coliseum

601 North Texas Blvd, Denton, TX 76201 • Phone: 940-565-2557



FIND WHERE YOU ARE SEATED HERE: https://bit.ly/LHSGRADLIST

\*FIND THIS AND ALL GRADUATION INFORMATION AT https://bit.ly/LHSGRAD23

#### \*GRADUATION WILL BE LIVE-STREAMED ON THIS LINK: http://lisd.net/graduation

- Graduation should last around 2.5 hours. Returning home should take an hour.
- Seniors arrive between 6:00 6:30pm through the West Tunnel (shown in photo above) to be lined up. REMEMBER TRAFFIC IS HORRIBLE ON I35! Seniors won't be allowed to enter until 6:00pm. Any senior that enters after 6:40pm will be seated in the overflow section.
- \*\*REMEMBER TO CHECK FOR YOUR SEAT COLOR AND ROW GRADUATION LAYOUT MAP SHOWN BY PARKING MAP
- **Do not bring in anything except one key.** No purses, cell phones, etc. are allowed on the graduate. Metal detectors in use. If you bring items, you will be sent back to your car to leave them. We will NOT have any way to keep your things
- Families may enter after 6:00pm in the coliseum doors A, D, and G to get good seating. SET UP A MEETING PLACE WITH YOUR GRADUATE AFTER THE CEREMONY SO THEY CAN FIND YOU SINCE IT IS DARK!!!

#### **Dress Code for Graduation:**

- Everyone must have a cap, gown and tassel that they purchased from Jostens. NO DECORATIONS on the cap. The maroons must match to be able to participate in Graduation. Any gown before 2021 is a different share of maroon.
- Jostens will be present at the line up area selling the following:
  - o Caps, gowns, tassels for \$55 Tassels for \$10 Caps for \$15
- *Males:* Black dress slacks, White dress shirt that buttons at the neck, black necktie, black dress shoes—no sneakers or flip flops. No decorations on cap.
- **Females:** dresses or skirts shorter than graduation gown, not to show beyond the neckline or sleeves of gown. Females may wear black slacks. Black/Nude/White dress shoes or sandals; no casual sandals, flip flops or sneakers. No decorations on cap.
- PLACEMENT OF MORTAR BOARD (CAP): Flat on top of head ~ tassel on the RIGHT ~ NO DECORATIONS ALLOWED ON CAP. Caps on headbands are allowed for thicker hair.
- Only pre-approved cords and sashes are allowed at the coliseum. Faculty has a list of approved sashes and cords and will turn away anyone in non-approved stoles/cords.
- Graduates will have to walk through a metal detector (standard at all UNT graduations) and will not
  be allowed to bring in anything except one key. No purses, cameras, hangers or cell phones
  allowed on any senior. You will only be allowed to enter with your cap, gown, tassel, and key.
  MAKE SURE TO HOLD YOUR TASSEL TIGHTLY WHEN CARRYING YOUR CAP. IT WILL FALL OFF EASILY!
  TASSELS WILL BE SOLD AT THE COLISEUM FOR \$10 IF NEEDED. If you bring any other items, you will
  be sent back to your car to put them away.

REMEMBER, EACH GUEST OVER 3 YEARS OF AGE WILL PRESENT A TICKET AT THE DOOR!

Watch out for others trying to sell you copies of tickets — they can detect any copies made.

\*UNT WILL NOT ALLOW ANY SIGNS, BALLOONS OR NOISE MAKERS AND WILL NOT ALLOW RE-ENTRY INTO THE COLISEUM IF YOU LEAVE.

#### **GUIDELINES FOR GRADUATES AND GUESTS**

Guests may enter the coliseum between 6:00-6:50pm. Seating is *limited* so get there early. They will not allow seat holding. At the end of graduation, the seniors will exit the tunnel and then be dismissed to find family and friends. They will have flowers and concessions available for purchase at the coliseum.

### PLEASE FIND A MEETING PLACE BEFORE GRADUATION STARTS SO YOU CAN FIND YOUR GRADUATE! IT WILL BE DARK!

#### **GRADUATION PHOTOS**

The photographers taking close up shots will send you a proof when you fill in the link below. Questions about Flash Photography, please e-mail <a href="mailto:flash@airmail.net">flash@airmail.net</a>.

 GRADUATION PHOTOS: FILL IN THIS LINK SO FLASH CAN EMAIL YOU THE PROOFS: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/lewisvillehs2023">https://tinyurl.com/lewisvillehs2023</a> Graduation is a time of celebration, but the actual event is formal and appropriate behavior is a must. Please make sure to walk with dignity and class and when sitting with your fellow graduates, show Farmer Pride by showing classy behavior. When going across the stage, please smile and continue walking. Any form of misbehavior or any act undignified will cause you to not receive your diploma that day.

<u>Guests in the audience:</u> We ask that the audience also show their respect for our graduation, by acting dignified and with class. Please follow the following rules of etiquette for graduation:

- The audience should be seated and quiet throughout the entire ceremony. Please take the time to check that all cell phones, and watch alarms are OFF to eliminate distractions. This will insure a healthy listening atmosphere for all.
- Please avoid entering and leaving the coliseum during the activities. If it is absolutely necessary to do so, move only between changes in speakers or musical pieces.
- Feel free to exit the ceremony with small children that may become a distraction for others. It may be best to sit near an aisle and or doorway in case of the need for a speedy exit.
- Please show your approval and support for the students and speakers with applause. Whistling and/or whooping are considered inappropriate and would interrupt the ceremony for our Graduates. If you are cheering loudly for a long duration for your graduate, you will not be able to hear the name of the next graduate.
- · Conversations should be avoided.
- Noise-making devices, such as air horns, whistles, and other inappropriate distracting devices are not permitted. Items of distraction will be taken up by the coliseum Denton and Lewisville Police on security and the user will be asked to leave.

By following these guidelines, parents and guests set the proper example for our graduates and will make the festivities a more enjoyable experience for all. Every parent and family should enjoy the ceremony without a distraction as well as being able to hear their graduate's name as it is called. Thank you for celebrating with us and supporting the **Lewisville High School Graduating Class of 2023.** 

#### Directions to UNT Coliseum (GPS might mess you up so follow these simple directions)

**From Lewisville:** Go North on I-35 E toward Denton, Exit North Texas Blvd and stay straight. Parking on left, across from the coliseum. Address of the Coliseum: UNT Coliseum. Graduates cross to the white tent to enter. Guests go to entrance gates. 601 North Texas Blvd, Denton, TX 76201 • Phone: 940-565-2557

#### **PARKING GUIDELINES:**

#### PARKING MAP: https://bit.ly/23UNTPARK

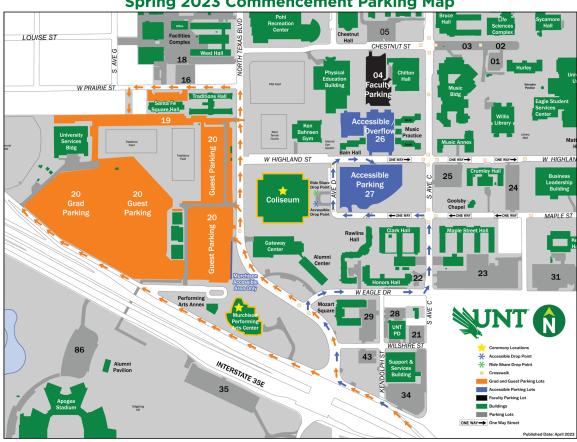
#### **Instructions for Graduates**

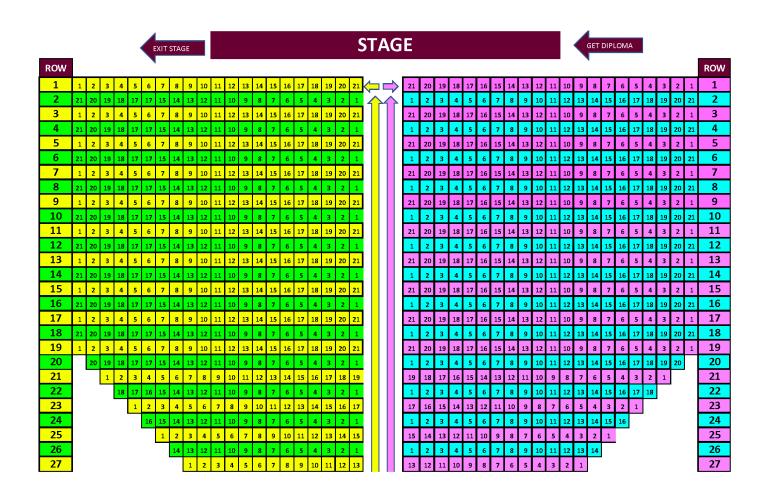
• Graduates may park in Lot 20 for, but space is limited and the surrounding streets will be congested with event traffic. Expect delays.

• Graduates will enter the Coliseum through the west tunnel along North Texas Boulevard.

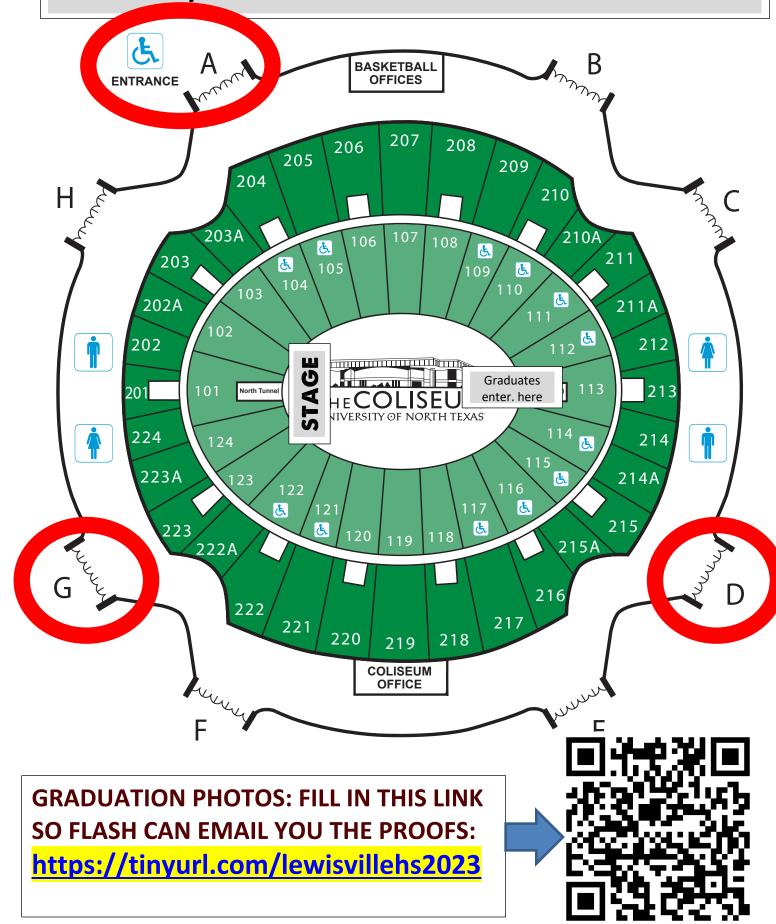


**Spring 2023 Commencement Parking Map** 





## ONLY DOORS A, D, AND G WILL BE OPEN. METAL DETECTORS USED, CLEAR BAG POLICY. DOORS OPEN AT 6PM





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