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Dear Parents and Guardians of the Class of 2022:

The finish line is in sight, and graduation is coming for the Proviso Mathematics and Science Academy Class of 2022! The administration, faculty and staff are excited to honor the academic life of your senior.

The commencement ceremony will be held on Sunday, May 22, 2022 at the University of Illinois-Chicago Credit Union 1 Pavilion at 9:00 a.m.

As we move closer to graduation, we have confidence that our seniors will continue to make good choices. Please encourage your son/daughter to continue to act responsibly so that they do not jeopardize their participation in senior events.

Below you will find some additional details for commencement regarding dates, fees and expectations. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. We very much look forward to sharing this momentous occasion with you.

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PMSA Commencement Information

Graduation Fee: Due may 13th, 2022

- The fee for graduation is \$75.00. This fee covers graduation-related expenses including your student's cap and gown.
- Students must pay the \$75 graduation fee at the PMSA Business Office before school, during their scheduled lunch period or after school.
- All outstanding school fees and obligations must be cleared with the Business Office before May 13th, 2022.

Graduation Rehearsal: Friday, May 20st 2022 from 12 pm - 3:00 pm

 In order to ensure participation in the commencement ceremony, all student accounts and any other outstanding obligations must be cleared with the Business Office before May 13th, 2022. Seniors are required to attend graduation rehearsal on Friday, May 20st, 2022 from 12 pm – 3:00 pm. At the conclusion of rehearsal on Friday, graduating seniors will receive their cap and gown and participate in the Class of 2022 photograph.

Graduation Day: Sunday, May 22, 2022

- The ceremony will begin on Sunday, May 22, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at the UIC Credit Union 1 Pavilion, located at 525 S. Racine Street, Chicago, Illinois.
- Graduates must arrive by 8:00 a.m. and enter at Gate 2.
- The event is open seating; no tickets are required. Families are encouraged to arrive to the ceremony early. Preferential seating will only be provided to guests with special needs.
- Parking lots are located directly across from and next to the UIC Credit Union 1
 Pavilion and are accessed via Harrison Street. The cost of parking is \$10.00.
- Students must wear suitable attire under their graduation cap and gown that does not violate school dress code.
- Students are not permitted to wear gym shoes, flip-flops, jeans, shorts or T-shirts.