

# Ceremony Guidelines



## VENUE BAG POLICY

- Clear bags only
- No larger than 12" x 6" x 12"
- One-gallon clear plastic freezer bag
- Small clutch or purse no larger than 8" x 11".  
May be inspected
- Medically necessary items after proper inspection
- Larger bags, coolers, backpacks, seat cushions and so on are prohibited
- For more information, visit Thomas and Mack Bag Policy. Scan Here



## COYOTE PRIDE

College Commencement ceremonies have a long and storied tradition and are a way to truly honor each and every student whose hard work, dedication, and sacrifice led them to be able to walk across the stage to accept their diploma. In order to truly honor and respect your fellow graduates, we ask that you remain in attendance through the entire ceremony, including the reading of all student names and diploma receipt. This maintains the same level of energy and excitement for all graduates regardless of name or degree type.

After all names are read and all graduates get their opportunity to walk across the stage in front of their families, professors, and fellow students and graduates, the time-honored tradition of turning the tassels will be performed, and a ceremonial balloon drop and celebration will take place. We respectfully ask that you stay and join in these elements of Commencement. Thank you for your cooperation.