



May 26, 2021

Dear Class of 2021 Graduates and Potential Graduates,

This letter is to provide the Class of 2021 Graduates and Potential Graduates with an update on the 106th Annual Commencement "Virtual" Ceremony.

We are actively working within the guidelines of Ontario and Toronto Public Health, the Ministry of Education and TDSB. All efforts are being made to proudly recognize the incredible success and achievement of our graduates.

What you need to know...

Grad Photos: due to the Provincial "stay-at home order", this activity is on hold. Additional information will as soon as possible. We must act to prepare the commencement video. We have asked graduates and potential graduates to upload a photo. You can find the specifications on the Central Tech website and the email sent to student TDSB emails.

The Ceremony: the virtual ceremony will go live on Monday, June 28 at 7:00 P.M. All are welcome to participate in the interactive event. Specific details will be provided as the date gets closer.

Diploma pick-up: at this time, no dates can be announced until direction is received from Ontario and Toronto Public Health, the Ministry of Education and TDSB. Graduates will receive their 2021 diploma and awards (if applicable), cap and Class of 2021 tassel, and a commemorating t-shirt.

Class of 2021 Valedictorian: Graduates, Potential Graduates and Staff can nominate a graduating student as a potential candidate. The criteria for Valedictorian can be found on the CTS website.

Important dates to remember:

May 26 – Valedictorian Nominations Open at 12:00 p.m.

May 27 – Due: Graduates and Potential Graduates photo upload for commencement video

May 28 – Valedictorian Nominations Close at 12noon

May 31 – Valedictorian Finalists announced

June 4 – Valedictorian Finalist speeches posted online 9:00 a.m.

June 4 – Online voting starts at 12noon

June 8 – Valedictorian Online voting, closes at 12noon

June 9 – Valedictorian announced at 12noon

June 28 – the 106th Annual Commencement "Virtual" Ceremony, 7:00 P.M.

To be determined – Diploma pick-up

Stay connected by visiting the [Central Tech website](https://www.centraltechschool.ca) or email centraltechnicalschool@tdsb.on.ca.

Stay safe and keep well.

Regards,
Central Technical School