



265 Park St.  
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Dear 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Families,

I know that this has been a hard time for everyone and we have been working on ways to make this last year of your child's middle school education special. The administrative team has decided to still hold 8<sup>th</sup> grade graduation on May 20<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm and a rain date of May 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:30 pm but we will use a modified format. The graduation will be a drive thru style. Each graduate will be allowed only one car with their family members. The cars will gather at the Edge parking lot and the gravel parking lot by edge starting at 5:15. Each car will be giving a placard with your graduates name on it so we know which student is in the car (please have the graduate sit by a window that opens). Then each car will be escorted through the Akros parking lot where the graduate will be handed their diploma and tassel. In order to keep everyone safe and allow us to hold this type of graduation ceremony everyone must remain in their cars at all times. If you would like to take pictures as a family after the event off school property that is fine. We know that this is an important time in your child's educational career so we hope all graduates and their families will attend.

Sincerely,

Akros Administrative Team