



JAMES BOWIE HIGH SCHOOL

May 12, 2020

Dear Bulldog Nation,

In just a few short weeks, the Class of 2020 will graduate and we are so excited to begin celebrating their accomplishments! Plans are being developed for a Senior Parade at the end of this month. The event will be scheduled for the original day of graduation for Bowie, Wednesday, May 27. More details will be released soon.

Another Bowie tradition is the selection of Who's Who. The Who's Who Award is a notable honor that the Bowie faculty bestows annually on twenty-four seniors deemed "well-rounded" as leaders in the classroom and Bowie extracurricular activities and as having a positive and obvious impact on the school community. While for the first time since Bowie opened in 1988 we won't be able to celebrate the recipients at the annual Who's Who reception, their portraits will be prominently displayed in the Bowie library for the next four years as an inspiration to future Bulldogs. Please congratulate the 2020 Who's Who: Abbas Akhtar, Carlos Canepa, Landry Case, Katie Cole, Lindy Colton, Angela Cox, Lawson Crow, Ashlyn Dahl, Emma Davis, Anna Esaka, Maddi Feen, Gillian Griffis, Sydney Heim, Eric Larson, Payton Lord, Mishell Magnus-Ducloux, Kamryn Morales, Caroline Myers, Ava Nielsen, Paige Oldham, Marisa Salazar, Anika Scoma, Amy Swift, and Emma Wake.

Knowing that the families of seniors are eager to get started with their own graduation celebrations, we are pleased that AISD has authorized **Bowie seniors to pick-up their graduation caps and gowns on Wednesday, May 13, 2020**. Herff-Jones, the company that supplies Bowie's graduation regalia, along with some Bowie staff members, will be on-hand and stationed along the front drive to distribute caps and gowns, graduation medallions, Top 10% cords, GT cords, etc. **Seniors will also be able to turn-in textbooks and library books at this time** (please note that AISD-issued Chromebooks will be collected at a later date). To ensure safety for all, the entire process will be "drive-through" and follow strict protocols. Before coming to campus on May 13, Seniors and/or their parents should check their email for specific instructions and a schedule of assigned pick-up times, or click [HERE](#) for more information.

Until we can meet at the tree,

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