

Graduation Ceremony Participation Agreement

Dear Student and Parent/Guardian,

This letter outlines the official guidelines regarding participation in graduation ceremonies for students enrolled at York Adams Academy. Students are *not required* to attend any ceremony. However, if they want to participate in a graduation ceremony, below are the guidelines for participation.

Please read the following policy carefully:

1. Mandatory Participation in York Adams Academy Graduation

If a student is planning to participate in their **home school district's graduation ceremony**, the student is **required to participate in the York Adams Academy graduation ceremony** as well.

2. Conflicting Ceremony Dates

In the event that the York Adams Academy graduation and the student's home school district graduation ceremony are scheduled for the **same evening**, the student may **choose** which ceremony to attend.

3. Failure to Attend York Adams Academy Ceremony

If a student does not attend the York Adams Academy graduation ceremony **without a scheduling conflict** as defined above:

- A copy of this signed agreement will be forwarded to the student's **home school district administration**.
- The student will **not be permitted** to participate in the **home school district's graduation ceremony**.
- As a result, the student will have **forfeited the opportunity** to participate in **any graduation ceremony**.

This agreement is **binding** and must be signed by the student, the parent/guardian, and a home school district administrator to acknowledge understanding and acceptance of these terms.

Please sign below to indicate your agreement and return this document to your Guidance Counselor prior to enrollment at York Adams Academy.

Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Home School District Administrator Name: _____

Administrator Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

If you have any questions or concerns about this policy, please contact York Adams Academy.

Sincerely,
Ruth Ackerman
York Adams Academy Director