

PINELLAS COUNTY CENTER FOR THE ARTS

COMMENCEMENT AND AWARDS SERVICES

at Gibbs High School

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR ARTS COMMENCEMENT

ARTS COMMENCEMENT: Friday, May 24, 2019 in the Grande Theater. Seniors are to meet in the Experimental Theater for robing and processional lineup at 5:00 pm. Please come prepared to give your size/height to the wardrobe mistress.

In preparation for a momentous occasion in the lives of many graduating seniors, the parents, seniors, faculty, and staff of the Pinellas County Center for the Arts feel that certain responsibilities must be met so that the rights of all participants and their families will be preserved.

Each student participating in the Arts Commencement exercise has the right to expect a dignified ceremony and to be properly recognized without interference.

All students and their invited guests are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that will contribute to the best interest of the graduating class. To insure the above-mentioned rights, the following actions will be considered improper and shall be subject to disciplinary action, which may include removal from the Arts Commencement Exercises or withholding the student’s diploma.

a. DRESS: Dress with pride! The dress code is as follows:

 **MEN WOMEN**

Dark dress slacks Dress or skirt

 Necktie Dressy slacks

 Shirts (must have collar) Dressy pantsuit

 Dress Shoes/Socks Hosiery

 No coat

**NOTE:** Absolutely NO jeans, sandals, sneakers, or other casual wear. All school dress code must be observed. Seniors inappropriately dressed will be turned away at the door. See Dr. Clark for further questions regarding attire.

b. Improper noises or distractions during the ceremony.

c. Being under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

d. Detonating explosive devices (fireworks).

e. Giving obscene, suggestive, or disrespectful gestures (including “Booing”).

**CONGRATULATIONS!** If you have any questions, please see Dr. Clark in the PCCA office.

I have read and understand the code of conduct for the Art Commencement Exercises at the Pinellas County Center for the Arts at Gibbs High School and agree to abide by all of the items in the above code.

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Student’s Name (Last Name, First Name) Student Signature