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Dear Parents/Guardians of the Class of 2020,



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Well, after seeing all of the students over the past couple of weeks, it is apparent that they are counting down to the final day and are excited! It was wonderful to see their shining faces as they picked-up their graduation materials yesterday. All students were given a list of the delivery time for his/her diploma for Friday, June 19th, and I have included it for you HERE. As you can see, the day begins at 7:30 AM and ends approximately at 3:30 PM. I ask that you and your child are ready to go at the specified time so that I can stay on schedule as much as possible. I plan on spending at most 1 minute at each home due to the 217 stops that must be made, so if you want pictures, please have everyone out and ready to go! I look forward to sharing this day with each and every one of our graduates! If I do in fact fall too far behind, I will send out a phone blast letting you know. If I am way ahead, then a miracle occurred and I will slow myself down.

After Friday, the next milestone for us will be our in-person graduation ceremony that has been scheduled for July 24th inside the Joseph A. Chinnici Stadium. Since the ceremony will be outside at the end of July, we have made the decision to change the start time from 7:00 PM to 11:00 AM due to the "cooler" temperature as well as decreasing the chance of typical summer pop-up afternoon showers. As we get closer to July 24th, each family will receive a program, assigned parking placard, a limited number of tickets for entry, and instructions to ensure everyone's safety.

I had a great deal of questions about the Yearbook over the past few days. At this time, we are still waiting for the books to be delivered. If they arrive by Thursday afternoon, I will deliver them on Friday with the diplomas. If not, we will communicate with you and the entire DHS community what the process will be to pick-up the Yearbooks here at school.

My goal will be to provide you with an update on July 21st, leading up to our ceremony on July 24th. If there are any other updates, I will communicate as soon as decisions are made.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to email me at <u>dfinkle@delranschools.org</u> or call me at (609) 820-8993 at any time.

With Bear Pride and Spirit, Daniel S. Finkle Principal