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Dear Parents and Guardians of San Diego Met Senior Class of 2018:

As the parent of a prospective graduate of the Class of 2018, you are very proud of your child’s accomplishments. That being said, I am sure you want them to be eligible to participate in the Met graduation ceremony and senior activities. Participation in graduation and senior activities is a privilege. It is important that I share my expectations with you. The following is a summary of the minimum requirements:

To earn a diploma, students must:

- Earn 44 credits in required courses
- Pass the ELA and Math sections of the CAHSEE
- Maintain an overall academic GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Complete the computer literacy requirements

To walk in the graduation ceremony, students must:

- Meet the expectations for a diploma
- Have no attendance issues 2nd semester
- Maintain an overall citizenship GPA of 2.0 or higher
- No suspensions 2nd semester
- No involvement in senior pranks
- All debts paid/books returned

To attend prom, breakfast, grad nite and other senior activities, students must:

- Have no attendance issues 2nd Semester
- Maintain an overall citizenship GPA of 2.0 or higher
- No suspensions 2nd semester
- No involvement in senior pranks
- All debts paid/books returned

Advisors review senior records every 9 weeks and will alert the school counselor and parents of any concerns. Students who do not meet academic requirements participate in a Senior Review meeting with the counselor or Principal. The meeting explores solutions to the problems and offers assistance or guidance to meet the requirements listed above. Letters and phone calls are made to keep parents informed. Should your child appear to be in jeopardy of not meeting the above requirements, he/she will meet with the counselor and Principal in May of 2018. Students who do not meet requirements will not be allowed to participate in graduation and/or senior activities. Our school policy does not allow for exceptions.

As the parent of a prospective graduate, I ask that you impress upon your child the need for responsible citizenship, scholarship, and attendance. Also, please diligently report absences as they occur. Please take time to discuss this letter with your senior. At the beginning of the school year, you will sign that you read and understand the requirements for participation in graduation and senior activities.

As you prepare for this wonderful event, we want to remind you that attending the graduation ceremony does require a ticket. In order to allow for a fair distribution of tickets, seniors will receive a limited number of general admission tickets for graduation. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the office. I look forward to a continually successful school year.

Sincerely,

Sara Leonard
Principal